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education Ph.D. History of Mathematics. Univ. of Toronto, 1983
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MA. History and Philosophy of Science. Univ. of Toronto, 1979
Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
BSc. Mathematics. Univer. Nac. Autónoma de Méx, 1977
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research and teaching specialization

Mathematics education; popularization of mathematics; scientific journalism; scientific methodology; history and philosophy of mathematics (theory of sets, set-theoretic paradoxes; Bertrand Russell; Georg Cantor; Philip Jourdain; Greek and Mexican Mathematics)

publications

I include a list of some relevant publications

teaching and research experience

Universidad Iberoamericana. Visiting Scholar 2014 - 2015

Universidad Iberoamericana. Visiting Scholar 2007

Cinvestav, IPN. Visiting Scholar 2000 - 2001

Cinvestav, IPN. Visiting Scholar 1998 - 1999

Dibner Institute, MIT, MA, USA. 1996 - 1997

Ball State University. Muncie, IN, USA. 1990

Cinvestav, IPN. Visiting scholar. 1989

UNAM. Full time Professor 1983 - ...

University of Toronto. Teaching assistant. 1982

Universidad Iberoamericana. Associate professor. 1976-1977

UNAM. Teaching assistant. 1975-1977

special lectureships

Research: 65

Pedagogic: 206

dissertation advisor

35 BA (Mathematics)

9 (Master of Science, Mathematics and Mathematical Education)

2 PhD (Mathematical Education)

honors

Visiting scholar (Universidad Iberoamericana, 2007, 2014-2015)

Academic Merit, Soc. Mex. de Historia de la Ciencia y la Tecnología (2006)

Dibner Fellow (1996-1997)

Honorary member of the *Académie Internationale d'Histoire des Sciences*.

Member of the *International Commission of Historians of Mathematics*.

Fulbright Scholar (1990)

Best Proposal for Doctoral Dissertation (The Bertrand Russell Society, 1981)

Best Student (*El Diario de México*, Mathematics, 1976)

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| fellowship & grants | Conacyt. National System of Researchers, 2019-2034 Conacyt. National System of Researchers, 2015-2020 UNAM. Academic Grant. 2012-2017 Conacyt. National System of Researchers, 2012-2015 UNAM. Academic Grant. 2009-2012 Conacyt. National System of Researchers, 2010-2012 UNAM. Academic Grant. 2006-2009 Conacyt. National System of Researchers, 2006-2010 UNAM. Academic Grant. 2003-2006 Conacyt. National System of Researchers, 2002-2005 Conacyt. National System of Researchers, 1999-2002 UNAM. Academic Grant. 1998-2003 Dibner Resident Research Fellowship. MIT, MA, USA. 1996-1997 Conacyt. National System of Researchers. 1996-1999 UNAM. Research Grant History Mexican Mathematics. 1995-1998 UNAM. Academic Grant. 1993-1997 Conacyt. National System of Researchers. 1993-1996 Conacyt. 1992 UNAM. Research Grant Greek Mathematics. 1992-1995 Conacyt. National System of Researchers. 1990-1993 UNAM. Academic Grant. 1990-1992 UNAM. Research Grant <i>Mathesis</i> . 1990-1992 Fulbright. Muncie, Indiana. Jan 90 - Oct 90 UNAM. Academic Grant. 1989-1990 Conacyt. National System of Researchers. 1987-1990 Conacyt. National System of Researchers. 1984-1987 University of Toronto. 1983 Bertrand Russell Society Grant. 1982 Kenneth O. May Fund. 1981 UNAM. 1979-1983 (PhD Program) UNAM. 1977-1979 (Master Program) |
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professional services

editor: *Mathesis*, 1985 - ... (cofounder)
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co-editor: *Anamnesis* 1992 - 2000

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| associate editor | <i>Revista Brasileira de História da Matemática</i> (2001 - ...) <i>Modern Logic</i> (1995 - 1998) <i>Historia Mathematica</i> (1992 - 1994) <i>Revista Ciencias</i> (1986 - ...). |
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| collaborator | <i>Zentralblatt für Mathematik</i> (1989 - 1999) <i>Mathematical Reviews</i> (1987 - 1996) |
| chairman | VII International Colloquium on the History and Philosophy of Mathematics. (Mexico, D. F., March 2015) ICME (Study Group, 2008) HPM (local committee, 2008) III Conference on the History, Philosophy and Pedagogy of Mathematics. (Mexico, D. F., April 1996) II Conference on (Mexico, D. F., April 1995) I Conference on (Mexico, D. F., October 1994) VI International Colloquium on the History and Philosophy of Mathematics. (Mexico, D. F., Jun 1995) V International ... (México, D. F. Jun 1994) IV International ... (Bogotá, Colombia, July 1993) III International ... (Mexico, D. F., Jun 1992) II International ... (Mexico, D. F., Dec 1990) I International ... (Mexico, D. F., Dec, 1985) |

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| coordinator | International Congree of History of Science (Manchester, Great Britain, 2013). Session on the History of Iberoamerican Mathematics. International Congress of History of Science (Budapest, Hungary, 2009). Session on the History of Iberoamerican Mathematics. International Congress of History of Science (Mexico D. F., Mexico, 2001). Session on the History of Iberoamerican Mathematics. International Symposium on Mathematical Structures (San Sebastian, Spain, Oct 1990). |
| member | International Programme Committee of ICMI (International Commission on Mathematical Instruction) for the study: “The Role of the History of Mathematics in the Teaching and Learning of Mathematics” [ICMI: Study on History]. 1996 - 2000 |
| administrative experience | Administrator research project ‘History of Set Theory in Mexico’, 2012 - 201, Conacyt Administrator research project ‘History of Mathematics in Mexico’, 1995 - 1998, UNAM Administrator research project ‘History of Greek Mathematics’, 1992 - 1995, UNAM Administrator society: ‘Association for the History, Philosophy and pedagogy of mathematical ideas’, 1993 - 1995 Administrator research project: ‘Mathesis’, 1990 - 1993. Administrator journal Mathesis, 1985 - 1997 Treasurer ‘El Colegio de Profesores’ Faculty of Sciences, UNAM |
| professional societies & associations | <i>Académie International d'Histoire des Sciences</i> (invited member) <i>American Mathematical Society</i> <i>Asoc. para la Historia, Filosofía y Pedagogía de las Cien. Mat.</i> (President and founder). <i>Association for Politics and the Life Sciences</i> <i>Bertrand Russell Society</i> <i>British Society for the History of Mathematics</i> <i>British Society for the History of Science</i> <i>British Society for the Philosophy of Science</i> <i>Canadian Society for History and Philosophy of Mathematics</i> <i>Canadian Society for History and Philosophy of Science</i> <i>History and Pedagogy of Mathematics [America section]</i> <i>History of Science Society</i> |

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SOME RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS

13. *Principios, infinito y paradojas. Escritos históricos en torno a los fundamentos de las matemáticas*. 2014. Madrid: Plaza y Valdés. (Coll. Nuevo Astrolabio, 3). 593 pp. ISBN: 978-84-15271-88-8.
12. *Uno, dos, tres, infinito, ..., y más allá*. 2011. Madrid: Nivola. (Col. Violeta 27). 157 pp. ISBN: 978-84-92493-60-9. [Coauthor Enrique M. Carpio].
11. "Historia de las ideas científicas y matemáticas. Una guía inicial". *Mathesis III 5₂* (2010) 163 - 303.
10. "The Americas. Mexico". Contained in: Christopher Scriba y Joseph Dauben (editors). *Writing the history of mathematics. Its historical development*. Basel: Birkhäuser. (Col. Historical Studies. Science Networks. Vol 27). 2002. 256 - 263 pp.
9. "El estado emocional de Bertrand Russell, circa 1901-1902". *[Revista de la] Universidad de México No. 541* (february 1996) 3 - 8.
8. "The Principles of Mathematics of Bertrand Russell. A biobibliographical note on its composition", contained in: R. S. Cohen y S. Ramírez (editors). *Mexican Studies in the History and Philosophy of Science*. 1995. The Netherlands: Kluwer Academic Press. Pages 213 - 232.
7. "The set theoretic paradoxes", contained in: Ivor Grattan-Guinness (editor). *Companion Encyclopedia of the History and Philosophy of the Mathematical Sciences*. Great Britain: Routledge. 1993. Vol I. Pages 629 - 634.
6. *Bertrand Russell and the origins of the set theoretic ‘paradoxes’*. 1992. Basilea: Birkhäuser. 264 pp. ISBN: 3-7643-2669-7. [Digital version (2014): Berlin: Springer Verlag. ISBN: 978-3-0348-7402-1. Paperback version (2014): ISBN: 978-3-0348-7404-5. Spanish edition (1992): *Bertrand Russell y los orígenes de las ‘paradojas’ de la teoría de conjuntos*. Madrid: Alianza Editorial. (Col. Alianza Universidad 714). ISBN: 84-206-2714-3].
- 5."Should we trust primary sources? Bertrand Russell, a case study". *Archives Internationales des Histoires des Sciences* 42₁ (1992) 87 - 93.

4. “La precision du langage de Russell”. *Cahiers du Séminaire d’Histoire des Mathématiques de Toulouse* **No 10** (1987) 1 - 12.
3. “On rewriting the history of the foundations of mathematics at the turn of the century.” *Historia Mathematica* **13₁** (1986) 39 - 41.
2. “The emergence of some of the non-logical paradoxes of the theory of sets”. *Historia Mathematica* **12₄** (1985) 337 - 351.
1. “Burali-Forti’s paradox: A reappraisal of its origins”. *Historia Mathematica* **8₃** (1981) 319 - 350.
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