

Aproximaciones Al Estudio De La Literatura Hispanica

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Portraits in the Andes examines indigenous and mestizo self-representation through the medium of photography from the early to mid twentieth century. As Jorge Coronado reveals, these images offer a powerful counterpoint to the often-slanted, predominant view of indigenismo produced by the intellectual elite. Photography offered an inexpensive and readily available technology for producing portraits and other images that allowed lower- and middle-class racialized subjects to create their own distinct rhetoric and vision of their culture. The powerful identity-marking vehicle that photography provided to the masses has been overlooked in much of Latin American cultural studies—which have focused primarily on the elite’s visual arts. Coronado's study offers close readings of Andean photographic archives from the early- to mid-twentieth century, to show the development of a consumer culture and the agency of marginalized groups in creating a visual document of their personal interpretations of modernity.

Taking a student-centered approach to learning, CULTURAS DE ESPAÑA, 2nd Edition truly engages students with its wealth of authentic texts and visual materials while encouraging them to think critically about the cultures of Spain. Developed for Spanish students at the fifth-semester level or higher, this insightful reader makes an excellent main text in a civilization, culture, or reading course. A departure from traditional texts, which present Spanish civilization as a neutral recounting of historical facts, events, and data, CULTURAS DE ESPAÑA, 2nd Edition emphasizes that history, culture, and civilization are concepts under constant construction. An intriguing conceptual focus brings to life the history and everyday experiences that shape national identity. Important Notice: Media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version.

This perennial best-seller is written for Advanced Grammar and Composition or Advanced Composition and Conversation classes. Repase y escriba combines solid grammar coverage with contemporary readings from a variety of sources, including literature, magazines, and newspapers. Readings are preceded by a short passage introducing the author and the context and is followed by vocabulary, comprehension questions and conversation prompts. The Sección léxica teaches readers proverbs, idioms, and word families. There are also topics for creative compositions with guidelines. With updated literary and cultural readings, Repase y Escriba includes an "oral exchange," to make the text

more useful when stressing conversation.

El léxico-gramática del español ofrece una aproximación alternativa al estudio de la gramática avanzada del español. Este libro brinda al estudiante un enfoque auténtico y contextualizado del uso del español, basándose en datos provenientes de corpus de español-L1 y L2 junto a la investigación lingüística a fin de describir las características léxico-gramaticales fundamentales de la lengua y su variación. Cada capítulo incluye actividades guiadas para que los estudiantes puedan realizar búsquedas en estos corpus con el propósito de llegar a conclusiones fundamentadas en evidencias empíricas sobre cómo los aprendices de varios niveles de competencia usan ciertos elementos léxico-gramaticales. Este libro representa un recurso ideal para los estudiantes de la gramática avanzada del español a nivel de pregrado y posgrado. El léxico-gramática del español provides an alternative approach to the study of advanced Spanish grammar. Drawing on L1 and L2 Spanish language corpora and linguistic research to describe key lexico-grammatical characteristics of the Spanish language, this book gives students insight into real, variable, and contextualized usage of Spanish. Each chapter includes guided exercises so that students can conduct their own searches of the corpus and draw evidence-based conclusions on how particular grammar structures are used by Spanish speakers at varying levels of proficiency. This is an ideal resource for advanced undergraduate and postgraduate students of Spanish language and linguistics.

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No existe en nuestro planeta prácticamente un lugar donde no podamos encontrar bacterias, hallándolas en los sitios más inhóspitos como en la Antártida, en los géiseres de Islandia o en el desierto del Sáhara. Por tanto, están tanto en el exterior como en el interior de los seres vivos. Se estima que en un gramo de arena hay diez millones de bacterias y, solamente, en un mililitro de agua de un río, un millón. Son los seres vivos más numerosos en el planeta, calculándose que hay del orden de cinco quintillones (o cinco billones de trillones), es decir, un trillón de bacterias por cada persona viva. Hay más de 13.000 especies clasificadas, aunque, seguramente, haya muchísimas más sin clasificar, como mínimo otras 30.000, por lo que conocemos una parte muy limitada del mundo bacteriano. Afortunadamente, el 99,994% de las clasificadas hasta la fecha son inocuas para el hombre; es más, muchas son imprescindibles, ya que son responsables del mantenimiento de los ciclos biogeológicos. Además, han intervenido desde siempre en nuestra dieta, produciendo alimentos y bebidas fermentadas, sirva como ejemplo el yogur, o los productos encurtidos. Nuestra microbiota experimenta cambios, como consecuencia de la influencia de múltiples factores, de un modo similar a los que experimenta cualquier órgano de nuestro cuerpo desde la ontogenia a la muerte. Estos cambios pueden ocurrir en

cuestión de días, como ocurre durante la ingesta de antibióticos, o a más largo plazo durante la exposición continuada a una dieta. A pesar de ello, el estudio de la microbiota ha permanecido bastante estancado durante la mayor parte del siglo XX debido a que no se habían desarrollado tecnologías que permitieran el análisis adecuado de las complejas comunidades microbianas que habitan en nuestro organismo y de la enorme variedad de interacciones que se producen. Este conocimiento ha cambiado radicalmente en los últimos años con la caracterización del microbioma humano, que supusieron un hito en la historia de la biomedicina. Las Técnicas Ómicas aparecen para contribuir al estudio de la totalidad de microbios existentes en los seres vivos. A este conjunto de microorganismos se les denomina microbiota y los podemos encontrar en el aparato digestivo, en el reproductor, en el respiratorio, en la boca, en la piel..., en definitiva, sobre todo en las zonas de mayor humedad del organismo. La relación de simbiosis entre humano y los miembros de la microbiota es el resultado evolutivo de una interacción biológica en la que, normalmente, una o ambas partes obtienen beneficio. Ahora sabemos que el estilo de vida actual ha ejercido un fuerte impacto en nuestra microbiota y que algunos de los microorganismos ancestrales y los genes que estos contienen han ido perdiéndose o disminuyendo.

More than just an anthology of Spanish and Spanish American literature, *Aproximaciones* is also an introduction to literary analysis. Organized by genres (prose, poetry, drama, and the essay), it provides a rich and diverse array of reading selections. Each section is accompanied by an introduction and exercises. For the Introduction to or Survey of Peninsular and Latin American Literature courses.

"A critical report about the origins, present state and future perspectives of sociology in Spain."--Page 4 of cover. This collaborative multi-authored volume integrates interdisciplinary approaches to ethnic, imperial, and national borderlands in the Iberian World (16th to early 19th centuries). It illustrates the historical processes that produced borderlands in the Americas and connected them to global circuits of exchange and migration in the early modern world. The book offers a balanced state-of-the-art educational tool representing innovative research for teaching and scholarship. Its geographical scope encompasses imperial borderlands in what today is northern Mexico and southern United States; the greater Caribbean basin, including cross-imperial borderlands among the island archipelagos and Central America; the greater Paraguayan river basin, including the Gran Chaco, lowland Brazil, Paraguay, and Bolivia; the Amazonian borderlands; the grasslands and steppes of southern Argentina and Chile; and Iberian trade and religious networks connecting the Americas to Africa and Asia. The volume is structured around the following broad themes: environmental change and humanly crafted landscapes; the role of indigenous allies in the Spanish and Portuguese military expeditions; negotiations of power across imperial lines and indigenous chiefdoms; the parallel development of subsistence and commercial economies across terrestrial and maritime trade routes; labor and the corridors of forced

and free migration that led to changing social and ethnic identities; histories of science and cartography; Christian missions, music, and visual arts; gender and sexuality, emphasizing distinct roles and experiences documented for men and women in the borderlands. While centered in the colonial era, it is framed by pre-contact Mesoamerican borderlands and nineteenth-century national developments for those regions where the continuity of inter-ethnic relations and economic networks between the colonial and national periods is particularly salient, like the central Andes, lowland Bolivia, central Brazil, and the Mapuche/Pehuenche captaincies in South America. All the contributors are highly recognized scholars, representing different disciplines and academic traditions in North America, Latin America and Europe.

Mucho antes de que los hombres inventasen la escritura, y por supuesto mucho antes aún de la modernización de la imprenta, los relatos y las canciones de tradición oral alimentaban esa necesidad tan humana que llamamos cultura y que tan bien logra satisfacer la literatura. Aquella literatura de tradición oral ha tenido desde siempre en la niñez a uno de sus principales aliados, ya fuese como emisores, como receptores, o simplemente porque estaban por allí, a los pies de sus mayores... Esa voz infantil de la memoria de los pueblos ha sido el tema de investigación y encuentro de unas jornadas iberoamericanas que nacieron en 2007 en el seno de la Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha, de la mano y el buen hacer de uno de sus profesores más reconocidos, Pedro C. Cerrillo. Desde entonces se han venido desarrollando de manera ininterrumpida como da fe esta monografía, en la que se recoge la esencia de todo lo tratado durante el pasado mes de octubre en las V Jornadas Iberoamericanas de Literatura Popular de Tradición Infantil en torno a cinco grandes apartados: memoria y literatura; Cancionero Popular Infantil; la memoria narrada; la didáctica de estos textos, en todos los niveles educativos; y un importante apartado en el que se aborda el continuo desafío al que se enfrentan estos textos en un sociedad cada vez más digital. Pocos meses antes de desarrollar este encuentro de investigadores, se nos fue su alma máter, falleció Pedro. Por eso la clausura del congreso fue un sentido y merecido homenaje al hombre al que tanto debemos. Los textos de los compañeros intervinientes cierran la presente monografía: leerlos nos devuelve por un momento la presencia de un maestro leal, trabajador y generoso. Su recuerdo permanecerá siempre entre nosotros.

The best-selling text for the Business Spanish course, ÉXITO COMERCIAL gives post-intermediate students of Spanish a solid foundation in business vocabulary, basic business and cultural concepts, and situational practice that will prepare them for success in today's Spanish-speaking business world. This comprehensive and definitive program integrates textual, aural, visual, and web-delivered media to deliver the most complete instructional and learning experience. More than just a handbook containing frequently-used business terms and grammatical constructions, ÉXITO COMERCIAL

turns students into potential professionals by improving the critical thinking and problem-solving skills needed in the business world. Each chapter incorporates a representative variety of situations, transactions, and conflicts into real-life communicative activities and simulations that challenge students to find effective and profitable solutions while developing geo-demographic literacy and cross-cultural communication skills. Important Notice: Media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version.

The "Student Workbook to accompany Aproximaciones al estudio de la literatura hispanica" (4th edition) offers students a framework by which to approach the study of literary texts in Spanish. Coordinated with the best-selling literature textbook "Aproximaciones al estudio de la literatura hispanica," this "Workbook" reviews the four literary genres (narrative, poetry, drama, and essay) and provides reading strategies to help students comprehend and appreciate the texts.

Aproximaciones al estudio del español como lengua de herencia reúne diversas perspectivas sobre el estudio del español como lengua de herencia en el contexto de los Estados Unidos. El volumen presenta una amplia gama de enfoques lingüísticos, modelos pedagógicos e innovaciones programáticas. Dirigido a investigadores noveles y experimentados, al igual que a estudiantes y profesionales de la enseñanza, es un volumen ideal para aquellas personas que desean actualizar sus conocimientos del campo y obtener una perspectiva panorámica sobre la investigación y la enseñanza del español como lengua de herencia. Características principales: temas que incluyen, entre otros, la fonología/la fonética, la morfosintaxis, la pragmática, la enseñanza mediante el enfoque por tareas, la literacidad múltiple, el translenguar, los programas de community college, el español para fines específicos y la investigación-acción; contenidos teóricos, empíricos y pragmáticos relevantes para la enseñanza del español como lengua de herencia; descripciones y ejemplos que facilitan la adquisición de conocimientos sobre la materia; diferentes secciones que permiten la flexibilidad en cuanto al orden de lectura del volumen; preguntas de reflexión al final de cada capítulo para facilitar la comprensión de los temas presentados. Escrito de manera clara y accesible, Aproximaciones al estudio del español como lengua de herencia es un recurso indispensable para cursos de grado y posgrado en español sobre el español como lengua de herencia. Aproximaciones al estudio del español como lengua de herencia brings together a number of diverse scholarly voices and perspectives on the study of Spanish as a heritage language with a focus on the United States context. The volume presents a comprehensive view of this growing and dynamic field with the latest on linguistic approaches, pedagogical models, and programmatic innovations. Directed to beginning and seasoned researchers as well as to students and practitioners who wish to update their knowledge of the field and gain a fresh perspective on different approaches to researching and teaching Spanish heritage bilinguals. Written in Spanish for a wider audience in the Spanish-speaking world and for the teaching of undergraduate and graduate courses in Spanish.

Key features: A broad range of topics including phonology/phonetics, morphosyntax, pragmatics, task-based language teaching, multiliteracy, translanguaging, community college programs, Spanish for specific purposes and action research among others; Clear overviews of theoretical, empirical and pragmatic issues relevant to the teaching of Spanish as a heritage language; Every chapter builds on specific core questions central to current understandings of research and practice; Concise descriptions and examples throughout provide readers with the tools they need to understand the subject matter; Organized into three sections that allows for flexibility regarding reading order; A section of reflection questions at the end of each chapter to help readers gain a deeper understanding of the issues at stake. Written in clear and accessible Spanish, *Aproximaciones al estudio del español como lengua de herencia* is a critical resource for those interested in understanding Spanish heritage speakers' multifaceted linguistic experience in tandem with providing a meaningful educational experience that supports their personal, professional, and learning goals.

Traducción, competencia plurilingüe y español como lengua de herencia (ELH) explora las conexiones entre la enseñanza del ELH y la competencia traductora. En el libro se identifican estrategias para que las experiencias y prácticas lingüísticas de los estudiantes del español como lengua de herencia se vean representadas en el contexto de la formación profesional de traducción e interpretación. Basado en un estudio empírico con estudiantes universitarios, esta monografía ofrece pautas para fomentar el desarrollo de habilidades de traducción a partir de tres dimensiones principales: como estrategia plurilingüe, actividad pedagógica y destreza profesional. Por su carácter introductorio, este libro es de particular interés para profesores e investigadores del ELH que buscan integrar de manera sistemática la práctica de la traducción en sus actividades docentes. Asimismo, los profesores de traducción e interpretación que deseen aprender como potenciar la mediación como componente de aprendizaje en las habilidades de traducción e interpretación encontrarán en esta obra numerosas sugerencias para conseguirlo. *Traducción, competencia plurilingüe y español como lengua de herencia (ELH)* explores the connections between Spanish heritage language (SHL) education and translation competence. The volume identifies strategies to represent the linguistic experiences and practices of SHL students in the context of professional translation and interpreting training. Based on an empirical study with undergraduate students, this monograph provides insight on how to develop translation skills in three ways: as a plurilingual strategy, a pedagogical activity, and a professional skill. Because of its introductory nature, this book is of particular interest to SHL teachers and researchers seeking to systematically integrate translation practice into their teaching. Likewise, teachers of translation and interpreting who wish to learn how to enhance mediation as a learning component in translation and interpreting skills will find numerous suggestions on how to do so in this volume.

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"During the late 20th and early 21st centuries, dictatorships in Latin America hastened the outward movement of intellectuals, academics, artists, and political and social activists to other countries. Following the coups that toppled democratically elected governments or curtailed parliamentary oversight, the incoming military or civilian-military administrations assumed that, by forcing those aligned with opposition movements out of the country, they would assure their control of politics and domestic public spheres. Yet, by creating or enlarging a diaspora of co-nationals, the authoritarian rulers merely extrapolated internal dissent and conflicts, emboldening opposition forces beyond their national borders. Displaced individuals soon had a presence in many host countries, gaining the support of solidarity circles and advocacy networks that condemned authoritarianism and worked along with exiles and internal resistance towards the restoration of electoral democracy. This is the first systematic analysis of the movement of individuals who have made a substantive mark on the development of post-authoritarian politics, society and culture in the Southern Cone of the Americas, specifically Argentina, Chile, Paraguay and Uruguay. It argues that political exile and expatriation have generated new awareness to the lack of convergence between national identities and the territorial boundaries of the nation-state, and also had profound effects on intellectual and political life in the countries of origin"--

In this important new book Jorge Larrain examines the trajectories of modernity and identity in Latin America and their reciprocal relationships. Drawing on a large body of work across a vast historical and geographical range, he offers an innovative and wide-ranging account of the cultural transformations and processes of modernization that have occurred in Latin America since colonial times. The book begins with a theoretical discussion of the concepts of modernity and identity. In contrast to theories which present modernity and identity in Latin America as mutually excluding phenomena, the book shows their continuity and interconnection. It also traces historically the respects in which the Latin American trajectory to modernity differs from or converges with other trajectories, using this as a basis to explore specific elements of Latin America's culture and modernity today. The originality of Larrain's approach lies in the wide coverage and combination of sources drawn from the social sciences, history and literature. The volume relates social commentaries,

literary works and media developments to the periods covered, to the changing social and economic structure, and to changes in the prevailing ideologies. This book will appeal to second and third-year undergraduates and Masters level students doing courses in sociology, cultural studies and Latin American history, politics and literature. .

This text provides an introduction to the history and civilization of Spain. All important cultural and historical information from previous editions has been retained in this new edition, and new information about modern-day political organization and culture has been added. With added emphasis on the regional divisions of Spain and improved treatment of women, this text is an excellent vehicle for introducing intermediate or advanced students to Spanish civilization and culture.

In *The Prison of Love*, Emily Francomano offers the first comparative study of this sixteenth-century work as a transcultural, humanist fiction.

Fractional Freedoms examines paths to liberty forged in the slaveowning household, and legal claims brought by slaves in colonial Lima.

Exploring the historical roots of horror in the modern age

Introducción a la lingüística hispánica actual is the ideal introduction to Spanish linguistics for all undergraduate and postgraduate students of Spanish. No prior knowledge of linguistics is assumed as the book takes you step-by-step through all the main subfields of linguistics, both theoretical and applied. Phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, pragmatics, second language acquisition, history of the Spanish language, dialectology and sociolinguistics are concisely and accurately outlined providing a comprehensive foundation in the field. A comprehensive companion website provides a wealth of additional resources including further exercises to reinforce the material covered in the book, extra examples to clarify the most difficult concepts, extensive audio clips which reproduce the sounds of phonemes and allophones and sonograms. Written in a clear and accessible manner with extensive auxiliary materials, *Introducción a la lingüística hispánica actual* has been specially designed for students of Spanish with little or no linguistic background who need to understand the key concepts and constructs of Spanish linguistics.

We are almost programmed into thinking of our sexuality as a wholly natural feature of life. But sexual relations are but one form of social relations, as Jeffrey Weeks makes clear in his book. Drawing on the analyses of Michel Foucault, amongst others, the book examines the social, moral and political issues raised by contemporary forms of sexuality. Weeks provides an authoritative introduction to the sociology of sexuality, discussing its cultural and socio-historical construction, its relationship with power and the State's involvement in its rationalisation and regulation. This second edition is also updated to include global and postcolonial perspectives on sexuality, queer theory, the internet and cybersex, AIDS as a global phenomenon and international debates on the politics of sexuality. This book is an indispensable introduction to this complex and expanding field.

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