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## Líneas de Investigación actuales

- Estudios Irlandeses, poesía y género
- Feminismo y Postcolonialismo
- Feminismo; multiculturalidad; globalización; inmigración
- Representación de la identidad femenina, y la relación entre nacionalismo, multiculturalidad y género en la obra de escritoras y escritores irlandeses/as contemporáneos/as en habla inglesa
- Género y cine irlandés.

## Proyectos de Investigación de género (últimos 10 años)

- 2017-2020: Título del proyecto: Título: "Política, estética y mercadotecnia en las formulas literarias populares de consumo femenino: historia, exotismo y romance" (HER) / "Politics, aesthetics and marketing of literaryformulae in popular women'swriting: history, exoticism and romance" (HER)- Convocatoria: Ayudas a proyectos de I+D correspondientes al Programa Estatal de Fomento

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de la Investigación Científica y Técnica de Excelencia, Subprograma Estatal de Generación de Conocimiento regulada por Resolución de 8 de marzo de 2016 (BOE núm. 63 de 14 de marzo de 2016). Investigador responsable: Paloma Fresno Calleja

- 2017-2020: Título del proyecto: Título: " El secreto en la ficción contemporánea en inglés" / "Politics, aesthetics and marketing of literary formulae in popular women's writing: -Convocatoria donde se publicó: Resolución de 17 de junio de 2015, de la Secretaría de Estado de Investigación, Desarrollo e Innovación, por la que se aprueba la convocatoria para el año 2015 del procedimiento de concesión de ayudas correspondientes al Programa Estatal de Fomento de la Investigación Científica y Técnica de Excelencia, Subprograma Estatal de Generación del Conocimiento, en el marco del Plan Estatal de Investigación Científica y Técnica y de Innovación 2013-2016. -Nombre del responsable: María Jesús López Sánchez-Vizcaíno
- 2013-2015: Título del proyecto: FFI2012-36765. Community and Individual in Modernist Fiction in English. Financing entity: Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad. Main researcher: Paula Martín Salván, University of Córdoba. Duration: 01/01/2013-31/12/2015. Budget: 32760€. Participation: part-time researcher.
- 2013-2015: Título del proyecto: FFI2011-254539. Title: The Construction of Otherness in the Public Domain: A Critical Study of the Case of Ireland. Financing entity: Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad. Main researcher: **Encarnación Hidalgo Tenorio, University of Granada.** Duration: 01/01/2013-31/12/2015. **Budget: 58.080 euros.** Participation: part-time researcher.
- 2010-2012: FFI2009-13244. Title: Community and Immunity in the Contemporary Novel in English. Financing entity: Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad. Main researcher: Julián Jiménez Heffernan, University of Córdoba. Duration: 01/01/2010-31/12/2012. Budget: 42350,01€. Participation: part-time researcher.

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  - Villar-Argáiz, Pilar. "'Humanising the Lived Experiences of Migrants': An Interview with Alan Grossman and Áine O'Brien". Ed. *Nordic Irish Studies*. Special Issue Discourses of Inclusion and Exclusion: Artistic Renderings of Marginal Identities in Ireland. Published by Dalarna University Centre for Irish Studies, Sweden. Volume 15, Number 1, 2016. Pages 169-187. ISSN 1602-124X
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  - Villar-Argáiz, Pilar. Ed. *Nordic Irish Studies*. Special Issue Discourses of Inclusion and Exclusion: Artistic Renderings of Marginal Identities in Ireland. Published by Dalarna University Centre for Irish Studies, Sweden. Volume 15, Number 1, 2016. ISSN 1602-124X. 198 pages.
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  - Villar-Argáiz, Pilar. "'A global regionalist': Paula Meehan's Transnational Poetics of Globalization". Glocal Ireland: Current Perspectives on Literature and the Visual Arts. Eds. Marisol Morales Ladrón y Juan Francisco Elices Agudo. Cambridge: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2011. 100-117. ISBN (10): 1-4438-2979-X; ISBN (13): 978-1-4438-2979-3
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## **Tesis dirigidas**

Dirección de DOS TESIS DOCTORALES SOBRE GÉNERO Y LITERATURA EN LENGUA INGLESA