

## **2011 AAHHE/ETS *Outstanding Dissertations Competition***



### **First Place**

***Rocío Magaña***, Assistant Professor of Anthropology, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey

***"Bodies on the Line: Life, Death, and Authority on the Arizona-Mexico Border"***

Degree-Granting Institution: University of Chicago



## **Second Place**

***Edris J. Montalvo, Jr.***, Assistant Professor, Cameron University

***"The Recruitment and Retention of Hispanic and African-American Undergraduate Students in Public Universities in the U.S., 2000-2006"***

Degree-Granting Institution: Texas State University-San Marcos



## **Third Place (co-winner)**

***Alisia Caban***, Senior Staff Therapist & Eating Disorders Coordinator, University of Oregon

***"Development and Initial Validation of the Multicultural Competence Change Scale for Psychology Trainees"***

Degree-Granting Institution: University of Oregon



**Third Place (co-winner)**

***Sophia Jordán Wallace***, Assistant Professor of Political Science, University of Kentucky

***"Beyond Roll Call Votes: Latino Representation in the 108<sup>th</sup> – 110<sup>th</sup> Sessions of the U.S. House of Representatives"***

Degree-Granting Institution: Cornell University