



## Guide to the Joanna Rivas Nino oral history interview

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## Summary Information

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## Scope and Contents Note

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Oral history interview with Joanna Rivas Nino conducted by Dr. Norma Lisa Flores on October 19, 2018 for the Latinx Voices of Southern Nevada Oral History Project. In this interview, Joanna Rivas

Nino shares her early childhood experiences and her family history, discussing her family's move from the United States back to Zacatecas, Mexico and the differences between the two countries. At the age of fourteen, she came back to the United States. Joanna relates her difficulties regarding cultural assimilation and her experiences in the United States with racial discrimination. She came to Las Vegas, Nevada in 2016 and she details her time at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, both as a student and an employee. She explains the importance of personal and community development, as well as how both of those concepts affect her own life. Digital audio available; no transcript available.

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## Administrative Information

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## Names and Subjects

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- Oral histories (document genres)

- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Mexican Americans
- Immigrants -- Cultural assimilation
- Race discrimination
- Community development
- Children of immigrants
- University of Nevada, Las Vegas