Dr. Teresa Marrero addresses Cirstercian Preparatory Academy's interscholastic symposium as key note speaker on the Latin American Literary Boom invited by former UNT Masters Student Lisa Hernandez, and current grad. Tara Kennedy. It was a gathering of 230 students from various high schools from the Catholic archdioceses of Dallas who gathered in various breakout sessions to discuss in English and in Spanish stories such as "La muñeca menor" by Rosario Ferré, "Axolotl" by Julio Cortázar, "Chac Mool" by Carlos Fuentes, "Un señor muy viejo con alas enormes" by Gabriel García Márquez. They later gathered for UNT's Dr. Teresa Marrero, Professor of Spanish and Graduate Advisor, for the keynote speech. Many thanks to Father Paul, head of the Academy, Lisa and Tara for the invitation and Mr. Gary Nied for organizing this event, the first of its kind whereby literature from the Spanish-speaking world was center stage, both in Spanish and in English translations.