

Latin American & Caribbean Studies

MARCH

TUESDAY, MARCH 1st ~ DEADLINE

Conference Paper Proposals due for upcoming April 8th LACS Graduate Conference.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2nd ~ Lecture

4:30PM at Humanities 1008

Histories of Modernity Project

Paul Firbas, *Hispanic Languages & Lit.*, Stony Brook

"Moral Geographies: The Strait of Magellan in the Early 17th Century"

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9th ~ Lecture

12:50-2pm at Social & Behavioral Sciences, N-320

Refreshments Served

Tracey Walters, *Africana Studies*, Stony Brook

"From Margin to Center: Uncovering the Silence of Caribbean and Latin American Domestics"

TUESDAY, MARCH 15th ~ Event

4:30PM at Humanities 1006

Si Se Puede! Unity Housecleaners Cooperative and the Struggle for Immigrant Women's Rights on Long Island

Members of the Unity Housecleaners Cooperative (part of the Workplace Project) will discuss the situation of Latina immigrant workers, the formation of the first domestic worker cooperative on Long Island, and the struggle to pass the New York Domestic Workers' Bill of Rights, the first of its kind in the US.

Also joining them will be representatives of the Farmingville Community Support Center who will speak briefly about their organizing efforts in Suffolk County.

Organized by Women's and Gender Studies

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23rd ~Lecture

12:50- 2pm at Social & Behavioral Sciences, N-320

Refreshments Served

Liliana Dávalos, *Ecology and Evolution*, Stony Brook

"Drug-driven Environmental Externalities in Biodiversity Hotspots"

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30th

12:50- 2pm at Social & Behavioral Sciences, N-320

John Lipski, *Dept. of Spanish, Italian and Portuguese*, Pennsylvania State University

"Is decreolization reversible? Palenquero and Afro-Bolivian Spanish"

APRIL

FRIDAY, APRIL 8th ~ 10th Annual Stony Brook LACS Graduate Student Conference

"Changing Landscapes: The Intersections of Culture, Politics, and Environment in Latin America"

9 am-6 pm at Stony Brook Manhattan

(387 Park Avenue South at 28th Street)

For more information, see: www.stonybrook.edu/lacc

The conference, organized by our multi-talented graduate students from many countries and fields, stimulate cross-disciplinary discussions, the conference invites graduate students to examine and transcend the boundaries of their own academic fields.

NYC LATIN AMERICAN HISTORY WORKSHOP(NYCLAHW)

(FRIDAYS, 11am-1pm, New York University, King Juan Carlos Center, Room 607, 53 Washington Square South)

Papers under discussion are circulated to the NYCLAHW mailing list one week in advance of the session.

To join the mailing list or for more information, contact Julia del Palacio at ajd2128@columbia.edu

Jan. 28th Sarah Sarzynski, *New York University*,
"Resurrecting Canudos and Revolutionizing Jesus: Religious Symbols and Rural Activism in Northeastern Brazil During the Cold War?"

Feb. 25th Adriana Perez, *CUNY*,
"From Patriotism to Pragmatism: Collaboration in Puebla during the Mexican-American War, 1847-1848"

March 25th Martine Jean, *Yale University*,
"Public Order and the Private Sphere in Rio de Janeiro, 1900-1930"

April 22nd Margareth Rago, *Universidade de Campinas & Columbia University*,

"Memórias de clandestinidade: Criméia Alice Schmidt de Almeida e a guerrilha do Araguaia?"



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