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President's Report
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As we approach our XV International Congress in Puerto Rico, I am pleased to report that LASA is in excellent condition. The splendid overall health of the organization is mainly due to the skillful management of the Secretariat by Reid Reading and Lynn M. Young. The membership continues to expand. Special efforts have been made to enroll more Latin Americans, not only as members but also on committees. The finances are in very good shape, and the endowment has risen over \$50,000. The Endowment Funds Committee, chaired by Louis W. Goodman, has given the Executive Council valuable advice on the accumulation, investment, and deployment of those monies, which mainly come from member contributions. We hope those donations will keep coming in.

The Congress in Puerto Rico promises to be the largest ever, with exceptionally ample representation from Latin America. The Association is heavily indebted to the Program Committee (chaired by Mark B. Rosenberg), the Finance Committee (Steven Sanderson), and the Local Arrangements Committee (Luis Agraít). We are also grateful to Michael E. Conroy for agreeing to chair the Program Committee for the 1991 meeting in Washington, DC. Appointments will be made later for the 1992 convention in Los Angeles.

At the Congress in San Juan, most of the existing Task Forces and Working Groups will complete their eighteenmonth cycle, to be reappointed or replaced by incoming President Jean Franco. The Association greatly appreciates the work of the current chairs and members. Perhaps the most active has been the Task Force on Scholarly Relations with Cuba. Under chair Lars Schoultz, they secured \$50,000 from the Ford Foundation for six bilateral working groups on international relations and for the travel of ten Cuban scholars to the convention in Puerto Rico. One of the Cuban visitors at the Congress will be brought in under the auspices of the Lourdes Casal Fund, explicitly established for that purpose; LASA members are urged to contribute to that special account in the endowment.

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Report from the Program Committee XV International Congress San Juan, Puerto Rico September 21-23, 1989

Featuring almost 300 panels and workshops, LASA's XV International Congress on September 21-23, 1989, is now emerging as one of the association's largest and most varied. The Congress program should be in the mail to you by the time that you receive this issue of the *Forum*.

The Program Committee is pleased with the wide array of sessions that are comparative and multinational. We have sought to concentrate on the academic interests of the diverse group of scholars interested in this year's Congress and to accommodate as much as possible their needs and interests. Thus, over 50 sessions have been created just from the 250 individual paper proposals that were received by the Committee.

Because of the heavy demand for space, the Program Committee has reduced the number of special sessions/plenaries to four. Major sessions will focus on U.S.-Latin American relations, on Puerto Rico, on the problems of scientific and technological development in Latin America, and on current problems in Latin American education.

Other panels will feature former Latin American presidents and prominent Latin American religious leaders. The Congress also presents a large array of sessions on Latin American/Hispanic literary and humanistic concerns. On these panels and others, colleagues traveling from the Soviet Union, Japan, China, Western Europe, South Africa, Canada and from throughout Latin America will be participating.

The Program Committee has made a special effort to schedule panels so that similar themes or topics would not overlap. Moreover, we have attempted to allocate sequential time slots and adjacent meeting spaces for these sessions in order to minimize late arrivals and last minute dashes across the hotel properties.

Seeking to cope with some 400 requests for travel support from Latin American scholars, the Congress finance

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#### (President's Report, cont.)

The Task Force on Scholarly Relations with Nicaragua/Central America has been chaired by John A. Booth. One of its efforts has been to keep alive the *LASA-NICA Scholars Newsletter*. It also continues to sponsor the highly successful Summer Research Seminars in Nicaragua, directed by Thomas Walker and Harvey Williams.

Despite the diligent efforts of chair Alejandro Portes, the LASA Task Force on Scholarly Relations with the Soviet Union has been stymied by the refusal of IREX to continue funding our exchanges. Since Portes has resigned, Franco will be naming a new chair to try to find alternate funding sources and reactivate the program.

Federico Gil has continued to chair the Task Force on Scholarly Relations with Spain. They have been working to enroll more members from Spain and to place panels on Spain on the program for Puerto Rico.

The Task Force on Human Rights and Academic Freedom has also been organizing sessions for San Juan. Led by Alexander Wilde, the members of that group have, at the same time, been involved with individual cases and issues.

Under the direction of Richard A. Nuccio, the Task Force on the Media has been conducting its competition for the Award for Outstanding Media Coverage of Latin America, which will be announced in Puerto Rico.

The LASA Task Force on Women is co-chaired by Norma Stoltz-Chinchilla and Edna Acosta-Belén. In San Juan, they will be meeting with representatives from Women's Studies in the Caribbean. They have also been working on a resource guide to incorporating Latin American and Caribbean women into the curriculum, preparing sessions on gender issues for the upcoming Congress, and on proposals for new LASA policies on sexism and sexual harassment.

The LASA Working Groups on Natural Resources and the Environment (chaired by John O. Browder) and on Labor Issues (John D. French) will also be convening in Puerto Rico, where they have scheduled special sessions and meetings.

During my tenure, three special Commissions have observed and reported on unusual events in Latin America. Following the Commissions on compliance with the Central American peace accord and on the Chilean plebiscite, the third, coordinated by Diego Abente, has monitored the Paraguayan election of May 1, 1989, marking a transition from the longest standing dictatorship in South America. Although the first two enjoyed Ford Foundation funding, the third had to manage on its own resources.

The Nominating Committee, chaired by James M. Malloy, produced an excellent slate of candidates for LASA's top offices. The winners will be known by the time of the XV

Congress. The Association is grateful to the committee and to all those who agreed to be nominated.

In addition to the Media Award, two other major prizes will be conferred in Puerto Rico. The Association's highest honor—the Kalman Silvert Award for lifetime contributions to Latin American Studies—will go to Lewis Hanke. He was chosen by a committee chaired by past LASA president Cole Blasier.

For the first time, the Bryce Wood Award will be presented for the outstanding book on Latin America published in English in the United States during the previous eighteen months. The winner will be announced at the Business Meeting by the chair of the award committee, John D. Wirth. We are pleased and honored that Bryce Wood's widow, Kay Wood, will attend the presentation. To defray the costs of honoring the recipients, we have established the Bryce Wood Fund, to which LASA members are encouraged to contribute. The Executive Council continues to consider ways in which a similar award might be made for publications in Spanish and Portuguese.

Also in Puerto Rico LASA will be extending its relations with other professional associations. We have recently joined the National Council of Area Studies Associations, which includes our counterparts in African, Asian, Middle Eastern, and Slavic studies. That group has been considering proposals from the Coalition for the Advancement of Foreign Language and Area Studies for a national foundation or endowment for international studies. Through our spokesperson Gilbert Merkx, LASA has expressed its support for such a new federal entity so long as it generates additional dollars, launches new initiatives, and maintains apolitical academic integrity. LASA also has been invited to submit an application for membership in the American Council of Learned Societies and is exploring more mutually beneficial cooperation with the Seminar on the Acquisition of Latin American Library Materials.

On the eve of its first Congress in the Caribbean, LASA remains a vibrant, growing organization, mainly thanks to the energy and ideas emanating from the membership. I am looking forward to presiding in Puerto Rico and then passing the baton to Jean Franco. I am sure that she will enjoy serving as president as much as I have. My sincere thanks to all those who helped me through my term.

#### CORRECTION

The presidential term for the person elected vice president of LASA was incorrectly stated in the last issue. The presidential term will begin May 1, 1991 and not April 1, 1991 as reported. The *Forum* apologizes for the error.

#### El Viejo San Juan by Luis E. Agraít Fundación Luis Muñoz Marín

A dramatic juxtaposition of the new and the old, of the modern and the traditional, will greet LASA visitors to San Juan.

San Juan, the capital city of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, is a bustling metropolis of over 430,000 inhabitants—over 1,250,000 if the whole metropolitan area is included—in an area of 122 square kilometers. The airport at which most visitors will arrive, the Luis Muñoz Marín International Airport, with its eight million passengers a year is the busiest in the Caribbean. The Port of San Juan is the second busiest cruise-ship port in the Western Hemisphere and the busiest of the region in terms of containerized cargo.

The city is home to the Rio Piedras Campus and the Medical Sciences Campus of the University of Puerto Rico, as well as to its Central Administration, nestled in the lush Botanical Gardens. The city also hosts the Metropolitan Campus of the Inter-American University, the Universidad Metropolitana, the Universidad del Sagrado Corazón, as well as the Centro de Estudios Avanzados de Puerto Rico y El Caribe and the Centro Caribeño de Estudios Post-Graduados, two graduate institutions. Puerto Rico, inci-

dentally, has the third highest percentage of its population in post-secondary institutions, behind only the Soviet Union and the United States.

The tourist areas of El Condado and Isla Verde boast examples of some of the best modern tropical architecture. The Radisson-Normandie, built in the 1930s, reminiscent in its shape of the ship of the same name that was sunk during the First World War, was at that time home to what later would be known as the jet-set. The Caribe Hilton, which is government-owned, was built in the late 1940s as Puerto Rico's first resort hotel, spearheading the island's efforts to develop a modern tourism industry. It was designed in such a way, however, that it could be converted into a hospital should the plans for the industry not succeed.

Beside these modern buildings lies the Fortín de San Gerónimo, a small eighteenth century fort that served to protect San Juan from an attack by land. Just a five-minute walk from the hotels is the Old Military Hospital, an impressive nineteenth century structure that now houses the National Archives, and where one of the activities of the Convention will be held. Further on lies the massive





Sights of San Juan.

Opposite: Callejón del Hospital. Right: Capilla del Cristo. Below: La Puerta de San Juan.

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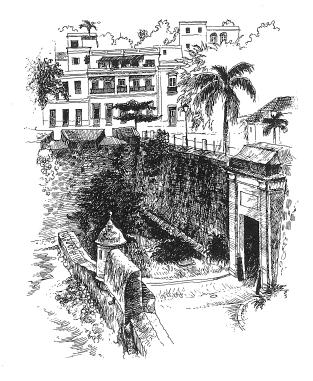
San Cristóbal Fortress that marks the beginning of the system of fortified walls that surrounded the Old City.

"El Viejo San Juan," as it is universally called, is a jewel of historical preservation and restoration. Its history dates back to 1519 when the first Spanish settlement at Caparra was moved to the islet at the entrance of the bay then called Puerto Rico. Some sixteenth century buildings remain around the Plaza San José, including the church of the same name, annexed to the Dominican Convent that now houses the Institute of Puerto Rican Culture. The church has been recently restored and traces of what is believed the oldest remaining European fresco in the New World were discovered. It portrays San Telmo, patron saint of sailors.

The strategic location of Puerto Rico and the excellence of the bay made San Juan an attractive target for European powers. The Spaniards, then, felt it was necessary to fortify the city. The first fort to be built was La Fortaleza de Santa Catalina, that now serves as home and office to the Governor of Puerto Rico. In fact, it is the oldest executive mansion in continuous use in the Hemisphere. In 1540 the construction of San Felipe del Morro was initiated to protect the entrance of the bay. And at the end of the century the system of walls that would make San Juan a walled enclave was begun. It would not be finished until the late eighteenth century. doors-Puerta de San Juan, Puerta de San Justo and Puerta de Tierra-allowed access to the city. At the end of the nineteenth century the walls facing inland were demolished to allow for urban growth. Only the Puerta de San Juan, which faces the bay and leads to the entrance of the Cathedral remains standing. The effectiveness of the system can be ascertained by the fact that San Juan,

although attacked three times by the English, once by the Dutch and, in 1898, by the United States, was never taken by sea.

Within the walls a town of plazas, churches, convents, public buildings, stone houses and narrow streets paved with metallic blue cobblestones developed. The restoration and preservation undertaken since 1955 makes it possible to experience the Old City as the colonial Caribbean capital that it once was.



#### Publishing at Princeton University Press by Forrest D. Colburn Princeton University

For the last 22 years, Sandy Thatcher has served as editorin-chief at Princeton University Press. During this period, he acquired nearly 600 books; over 80 were on Latin America, and 9 of these have won a total of 13 prizes for distinguished scholarship in the field. Authors he worked with on more than one of their books include Albert Hirschman, Al Stepan, David Collier, Cynthia McClintock, Daniel Levine, Abe Lowenthal, Brian Smith, Joan Nelson, Gary Gereffi, Maurice Zeitlin, Robert Conrad, Laird Bergad, Hugo Nutini, and Lars Schoultz. Representing Princeton, he attended every LASA annual meeting from 1976 to 1988.

Sandy Thatcher has resigned from his position at Princeton University Press to become Director of The Pennsylvania State University Press. During his last week at Princeton University Press, I interviewed him, inquiring about the origin and development of publishing on Latin America at the Press, trends in scholarly publishing, and his own conception of the field of Latin American studies. An abridged transcript of our conversation follows:

- FC: How did Princeton University Press develop its list in Latin American studies?
- ST: The Press had always published an occasional book on Latin America. But the list really began to grow in the early 1970s. We had been publishing books on political development theory written under the auspices of the Social Science Research Council (SSRC). Most of those books on modernization were based on fieldwork carried out in Africa and Asia. But bright graduate students seeking to extend or challenge that literature were increasingly going to Latin America, in part because there was a shift in funding priorities within foundations and also because African countries had become less hospitable to scholars doing research in the social sciences.

In Latin America, graduate students from the United States encountered intellectuals who were captivated by currents of European Marxism. The blending of Marxist ideas with the empirical methods of American social science provided a healthy new stimulus to development studies. I had been the Social Science Editor at the Press since 1969. I confess I knew nothing about Latin America at the time. I couldn't read or speak Spanish and had never taken a course on the region. But my interest in social science theory attracted me to the work on Latin America that this new generation of scholars was producing.

The list began with three manuscripts that came to us from the Rand Corporation, one of which was Al Stepan's work on the military. I built up the list initially in the social sciences where most of the novel theoretically inspired research seemed to be occurring. Around 1976, though, I began to be attracted to the work of historians writing about Latin America, as I noticed that the younger scholars especially were well-informed about contemporary theoretical debates and interested in drawing on them to guide their study of history. It was very gratifying to have my sense of the importance of these historians' work confirmed when prizes for their Princeton books were later awarded to several of them, notably Nancy Farriss, Mary Karasch, Linda Lewin, Florencia Mallon, and Rebecca Scott.

- FC: How has publishing on Latin America changed? Where do we stand now?
- ST: There have been significant changes, and they are troubling. The feasibility of publishing scholarly books on Latin America has diminished.

Cloth sales of books on Latin America have steadily declined since the mid-1970s. Whereas we used to count on sales of 1,000-1,200 copies over a threeyear period, by 1984 the average had dropped to 600-700. Some of our recent books, particularly those in Latin American history, have only sold 300-400 copies. This decrease in cloth sales is disturbing because it means that prices have to be set higher on forthcoming titles as expectations for sales are lowered (unless substantial subsidies can be found) and these higher prices meet ever greater resistance from potential buyers, thus creating a vicious cycle of increasing prices leading to decreasing sales. Under these circumstances, issuing simultaneous paperback editions which tend to reduce cloth sales by about 40 percent, becomes less and less viable as a strategy for continuing to make books available to individuals at reasonable prices. Since the income from a paperback copy sold is only about one-fifth of the income from a hardback sale (because of the lower price and higher discount), the market for paperback sales would have to grow very significantly to offset the effect of reduced hardback sales.

Erosion in the market for hardbacks therefore has to be a major source of concern to the field. I have had to cut back on the publication of books in Latin American studies at Princeton, and so have my counterparts at other university presses. Given present trends, it is going to be increasingly difficult to publish scholarly books on Latin America.

- FC: Why have book sales fallen?
- ST: I can speculate, but I have no hard data. Library sales have fallen in part because of the establishment of interlibrary loan networks. Also, an increasing percentage of library budgets are devoted to journal subscriptions. Ten years ago libraries were already spending 60 percent of their budgets on subscriptions, and that figure has probably grown by another 10 percent since then.

Book purchases by individuals also appear to have fallen. Ever cheaper and more accessible photocopying may be part of the explanation. The fragmentation of scholarship probably also hurts sales: fewer broad synthetic books and more books focusing on narrower topics mean smaller markets for each individual title.

- FC: Could depressed book sales also say something about the vigor of Latin American studies? How do you perceive the state of the field?
- ST: Book buying habits do differ by discipline. For example, in comparison with Latin American studies, books on philosophy sell well. Philosophers have tended to build personal libraries probably because there are not many books of significance published in any given year that they need to buy to stay abreast of their field. In addition, these books do not become dated as quickly as books dependent on empirical work such as those in Latin American studies. Latin Americanists are more like social scientists than philosophers in preferring not to buy books until they are available in paperback; they show greater resistance to paying high prices for hardbacks than philosophers do.

It is possible, too, that the state of Latin American studies explains in part the decline in sales. The paradigms that have long been dominant seem to have been exhausted as useful guides to research, and there is no new paradigm on the horizon that captures everyone's imagination and stirs up the profession. What I see now is a proliferation of theories, not new theories but instead permeations of existing theories. In a way, this environment is healthy: one can get a hearing for just about any approach. But sales are affected because this pluralism contributes to fragmentation of the market.

Writing on feminism is illustrative. The first wave of feminist books sold well. The second and third waves have not done so well. The level of controversy abated, and there was a splintering of the central theory into three groups—radical, liberal, and Marxist—each speaking to its own constituency. The debates are now over subtleties. Still, the entry of feminism has enriched both academic fields, including Latin American studies, and book sales.

- FC: Is there a solution to the financial constraints on publishing scholarly books on Latin America? What about cost-cutting through computer-generated typesetting? Or subventions from foundations?
- ST: I do not see any easy solution. Better technology will help, but it is not a panacea. About 60 percent of the cost of publishing a book is in the nonmanufacturing end: the review process, editing, design, overhead, and marketing. Salaries constitute a large part of this cost, of course, and labor is not getting any cheaper. On the manufacturing side, composition itself only accounts for about 25 percent of the cost. So, even if a publisher could achieve a dramatic 50 percent reduction in typesetting costs by using disks supplied by an author, the overall saving would be just 5 percent of the total cost of publishing the book—not enough to make possible sharp reduction in the selling price! As for the availability of publishing subsidies, I can't be very optimistic. Despite repeated efforts, I have had no success in obtaining foundation support specifically for books on Latin America.
- FC: Given your sober appraisal of publishing books on Latin America at university presses, how do you explain the surge of books on the region coming out from such commercial publishers as Westview?
- ST: These presses make publishing on the region feasible by taking advantage of economies of scale—putting out a large number of titles and keeping costs down. Savings are achieved partly by using less expensive materials (for example, lower grades of paper and binding) and also by not expending so much effort on editing and design. In addition, they do not incur the kinds of costs in reviewing manuscripts that university presses do. But these publishers' sales of individual titles on Latin America are probably not any higher than those of titles brought out by university presses.
- FC: Can scholars write different kinds of books that would be viable for university presses?
- ST: Shorter books are more viable. Manuscripts that are under 300 pages, or at least under 400 pages, are more attractive. Broad synthetic treatments of the kind represented by John Sheahan's latest book, Patterns of Development in Latin America, which can be adopted for courses, are eagerly sought by

presses. So, too, are book-length essays of the type for which Albert Hirschman is justly renowned. Al Stepan's Rethinking Military Politics, in its length, scope, and style, combines the virtues of both. Of course, the success of this kind of book often depends heavily on the breadth, and even stature, of the author, and there are not many books like these available to be published—not enough, anyway, to sustain a publishing program in the field.

I am more concerned about the continuing viability of publishing what, to my mind, provides the intellectual life-blood of disciplines, which is the case-study book. These books, usually revised dissertations, are based on extensive field work, packaged so as to address theoretical issues. This type of book can be a great success critically even if it does not turn out to be commercially successful. (A rare example of a book that has been highly successful in both ways is Peter Evans's Dependent Development.) Proof of the intellectual importance of these revised dissertations is the number that have won prizes—six, among the titles Princeton has published.

In looking to the future, I cannot be very optimistic about the publishing of books on Latin America at university presses. Increasingly, concerns about sales potential are keeping editors from even considering many of the excellent manuscripts offered to them. If the trend toward lower cloth sales continues, while scholarship fragments further and publishing costs keep rising, there won't be many books that can be printed and sold in sufficient quantity at reasonable prices to sustain the interest of university presses in the field.

Scholars of Latin America therefore need to begin thinking seriously about alternative modes of pub-It may be time for LASA to consider setting up a system for publishing manuscripts of scholarly importance but limited market potential that can certify quality, through peer review, and then store these works on microfilm or computer disk, printing abstracts in the LASA Forum of accepted manuscripts and providing full text to anyone interested in ordering them. This type of "on demand" system, which is mainly used now by University Microfilms for publishing dissertations, may need to be adopted more widely in the future. In any case, universities are going to have to recognize that all worthy scholarship cannot continue to be published by university presses (unless they want to increase their direct subsidies to presses!) and that they cannot depend on presses' imprints as a guide to promotional decisions.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Alfred Hower Book Prize. As part of an expanded publications program, the Center for Latin American Studies of the University of Florida is pleased to announce the Alfred Hower Book Prize for the best book-length manuscript on a Brazilian topic. The Prize has been established in honor of Alfred Hower, Professor Emeritus of Romance Languages and Literatures and Latin American Studies, in recognition of his teaching and his contribution to scholarship on Brazilian studies and the Portuguese language. Hower, who taught Portuguese and Brazilian literature at the University of Florida for 25 years, is co-editor with Richard Preto-Rodas of the annotated Portuguese readers Crônicas Brasileiras and Quarenta Historinhas e Cinco Poemas (by Carlos Drummond de Andrade) and the book Empire in Transition: The Portuguese World at the Time of Camões. Authors writing on a Brazilian topic are encouraged to submit completed manuscripts in English on any aspect of Brazil. manuscript selected for the Prize will be published by the Center through the University of Florida Press, and the author will receive a cash prize of \$1,000 to be awarded at a ceremony at the University of Florida. All manuscripts will be evaluated by a multi-disciplinary committee. Deadline for receipt of manuscripts is March 15, 1990, for publication in spring 1991. They should be submitted to: Hower Prize Committee, Center for Latin American Studies, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL 32611.

Urban History Association. The Urban History Association has been established to stimulate interest in the history of the city in all periods and geographical areas. develop a broad membership, the Association welcomes scholars who pursue research or teaching involving urban topics or materials, even in the context of some other field (e.g., social or cultural history, industrialization, early modern Europe, imperialism, etc.). In addition to the publication of a newsletter and the sponsorship of sessions at scholarly meetings of major historical organizations, the Association intends to offer prizes and to undertake other activities to enhance the visibility and nurture the growth of urban history. Individuals who wish to join the Association should send 1989 dues of \$20.00 to: Professor Michael H. Ebner, Executive Secretary and Treasurer, c/o Department of History, Lake Forest College, Lake Forest, IL 60045.

#### PARAGUAYAN ELECTION

Because of deadline considerations, the Report of the LASA Commission for Paraguayan Elections will be published as a separata. Members will receive copies in the mail prior to the San Juan Congress.

LASA Women's Task Force Curriculum Project. The Task Force is cosponsoring with the Institute for Research on Women (IROW) at University at Albany, SUNY, the publication of Incorporating Latin American and Caribbean Women into the Curriculum, a curriculum guide with information on strategies and examples of how gender has been incorporated into various kinds of Latin American Studies courses. The project will be coordinated by Edna Acosta-Belén and Norma Chinchilla, Women's Task Force Co-Chairs. If you have any brief articles, course syllabi or lists of teaching resources that you would like to submit for consideration for this project, please mail to: Edna Acosta-Belén, Department of Latin American and Caribbean Studies, University at Albany, SUNY, Social Science 250, Albany, NY 12222 no later than September 30, 1989.

Latin American and Caribbean Women's Studies Meeting at LASA Congress. The LASA Women's Task Force, the Institute for Research on Women (IROW) at the University at Albany, SUNY, and the Proyecto de Estudios de la Mujer at the University of Puerto Rico, Recinto de Cayey will host a luncheon roundtable discussion on "Women's Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean: Directions and Priorities," with participants from El Colegio de México, the University of Costa Rica, the Universidad Nacional de Costa Rica (Heredia), the University of the West Indies, and the University of Puerto Rico. Discussion about IROW's Women's Studies Network Project will also take place at this encuentro. The luncheon will be scheduled for Thursday, September 21, 12:00-2:00 at the Caribe Hilton. There will be a \$12-15 charge and reservations must be made in advance by calling 518-442-4890 no later than August 1, 1989. Space will be limited.

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#### FORTHCOMING CONFERENCES

Manuscripta announces the Sixteenth Saint Louis Conference on Manuscript Studies. It will be held October 13-14, 1989, at Saint Louis University, Saint Louis, Missouri. Participants will be presenting papers in the following areas of manuscript research: Codicology, Paleography, Illuminations, and Texts. Further information concerning attendance of the conference may be obtained by writing to: Conference Committee, Manuscripta, Pius XII Memorial Library, Saint Louis University, 3650 Lindell Blvd., Saint Louis, MO 63108.

La Junta de Estudios Históricos del Puerto "Nuestra Señora Santa María de Buen Ayre" convoca a participar del Primer Congreso Iberoamericano de Historia de los Puertos, que se lleverá a cabo en la ciudad de Buenos Aires, República Argentina, entre los días 19, 20 y 21 de octubre de 1989, con el objeto de incentivar la investigación, el estudio y la difusión de aquellos aspectos relativos a la historia de los puertos fluviales y marítimos y establecer una vinculación e intercambio de conocimientos entre los historiadores del país y de Iberoamérica, en todo lo atiente a la historia y evolución de los puertos. Las inscripciones deberán formalizarse por escrito, acompañados por los datos personales, hasta el 15 de septiembre de 1989, en Tucumán 1561, piso 10, Of. 64, 1050 Buenos Aires, Argentina. Los aranceles podrán abonarse con giro o cheque a la orden de Carlos J. Benítez, en la cantidad de 300 australes (titulares) o 150 australes (adherentes) para los interesados del interior de la República Argentina, o US\$100 (titulares) o US\$70 para extranjeros.

The Tenth World Congress of Jewish Studies will take place in Jerusalem August 16-24, 1989. A special section will be devoted to the study of Latin American Jewry in various aspects: history, sociology, economy, political science, demography and literature. Extracurricular activities will accompany the presentation of papers, e.g. a literary symposium, visits to Archives holding Latin American collections and encounters with Latin American immigrants living in Israel. The Latin American Jewish Section is organized by the Institute of Contemporary Jewry, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem and AMILAT, an association of Israeli scholars studying Latin American Jewry. For more details, please contact P.O. Box 71184, Jerusalem 91079, Israel. Telex: 341171 KENS IL

Reflections of Social Reality: Writings in Colonial Latin America is the title of a five-college symposium honoring Lewis U. Hanke, Professor Emeritus of the University of Massachusetts at Amherst. The Symposium, to take place April 19-20, 1990, will feature addresses by Rolena Adorno, Raquel Chang-Rodríguez, Asunción Lavrin, Walter Mignolo, and Enrique Pupo-Walker. This is an interdisciplinary conference addressing issues of writing, gender, and ethnicity in Colonial Latin American Discourse. Papers focusing on a variety of topics in history, art, literature,

and linguistics will be considered. The deadline for receipt of abstracts is October 1, 1989; finished papers, January 1, 1990. Selected papers will be published. Please respond to: Colonial Latin America Symposium, Department of Spanish and Portuguese, 418 Herter Hall, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA 01003; 413-545-2887.

The Missouri Valley History Conference will take place March 8-10, 1990. The History Department of the University of Nebraska at Omaha is now soliciting session and paper proposals in any field of history. Proposals, including an abstract and vitae, should be submitted by November 1, 1989, to: Jerold Simmons, Program Coordinator, Missouri Valley History Conference, Department of History, University of Nebraska at Omaha, Omaha, NE 68182.

The Southwest Council of Latin American Studies (SCOLAS) 1990 meeting will be jointly hosted by Texas Lutheran College and the Universidad Autónoma de Nuevo León. It will be held in Monterrey, Nuevo León, Mexico from March 29-31. The theme of the meeting is "Borders: Bridges and Barriers." Papers from a variety of disciplines which examine economic, social, political, cultural or artistic interaction between the U.S. and Latin America and the Caribbean are called for. Presentations may be in either English or Spanish. For further information contact Dr. Richard Milk, President, SCOLAS, Department of History, Box 322, Texas Lutheran College, Seguin, TX 78155; 512-379-4161 ext. 215.

The Mid-Atlantic Association of Luso-Brazilianists announces its annual meeting October 7, 1989, at Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania. Abstracts or papers on any aspect of Luso-Brazilian Studies should be sent to Professor Linda Ledford-Miller, Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures, University of Scranton, Scranton, PA 18510; 717-961-6160.

The Conference on New Anthropological, Demographic, and Ecological Perspectives on the Conquest of America will take place in Barcelona, Spain April 17-24, 1990. Participants will include Xavier Albó, Manuel Burga, Alfred Crosby, Manuela Carneiro da Cunha, and Shelton Davis. The conference, which will focus on historical anthropology and the demographic and ecological history of Latin America from 1492 to the present, is supported by grants from the Wenner-Gren Foundation and local sources. A small number of researchers may be invited to attend, particularly Latin Americans. Those interested should send a paper and curriculum vitae before February 1990. The purpose of this conference is to advance knowledge and awareness of recent research on the history of America among university teachers and graduate students in Spain. For more information, please contact Verena Stolcke, Dpt. Antropología Social, Facultad de Letras, Universidad Autónoma, Bellaterra, Barcelona 08193, Spain.

#### **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

NACLA (North American Congress on Latin America) is seeking a Co-editor for its bi-monthly magazine Report on the Americas. Responsibilities: work with current co-editor on all editorial and production aspects of Report on the Americas, including story development, commissioning of articles, and in-house production. Some writing, research, Requirements: agreement with NACLA's and travel. perspective, knowledge of Latin American politics and economics, fluency in Spanish, editing skills and experience, production experience or willingness to learn. Compensation: competitive salary, four weeks paid vacation, medical coverage. Starting date: September 15, 1989. To apply, send resume to Stephen Slade, Executive Director, NACLA, 475 Riverside Drive, New York, NY 10115. Women and people of color are strongly encouraged to apply.

The Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies at the University of California, San Diego, anticipates an opening for the position of Director of Studies and Programs (Academic Administrator), appointment to be effective September 1989. The Director of Studies and Programs will have major responsibility for conceiving, funding, and executing academic and public service programs including a residential fellowship program, research workshops and seminars, a publications program, and various public outreach The incumbent will also continue his/her activities. personal research activities, as part of the Center's overall research program. Required qualifications include Ph.D. (or A.B.D.) in one of the social sciences; complete fluency in Spanish; extensive substantive knowledge of Mexico and U.S.-Mexican relations; extensive professional experience in Mexico; strong organizational, managerial, interpersonal, writing and oral communication skills; demonstrated ability to raise extramural funds; capacity to do original research on Mexico-related subjects; substantial Mexico-related publications record. Rank and salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. The University of California is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Applications including curriculum vitae, list of five references, detailed personal statement of research interests and career goals should be sent by August 15, 1989 to: Dr. Wayne Cornelius, Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies (D-010), UC-San Diego, La Jolla, CA 92093.

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The John Carter Brown Library. The Library will award short-term and long-term research fellowships for the year June 1, 1990-May 30, 1991. Fellows will conduct research in the library's collection of primary materials relating to the discovery, exploration, settlement, and development of the New World. The collection contains more than 45,000 volumes dating from before ca. 1820 including European accounts of voyages by explorers, literature on the growth of the colonies, accounts of the American Indians, religious writings, and literature on the colonial wars and wars for independence.

The short-term John Carter Brown Library Fellowships are available for periods of two to four months and carry a stipend of \$800.00 per month. These fellowships are open to U.S. citizens and foreign nationals who are engaged in pre- or post-doctoral, or independent research. The library will also receive applications for long-term fellowships funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities. These NEH Fellowships are for six months (with a stipend of \$13,750) or twelve months (with a stipend of \$27,500). Applicants for NEH Fellowships must be U.S. citizens or have been a resident in the United States for the three years immediately preceding the term of the fellowship. Graduate students are not eligible for NEH Fellowships.

Recipients of all fellowships are expected to be in regular residence at the John Carter Brown Library and to participate in the intellectual life of Brown University. Applications should be postmarked no later than *January 15, 1990*. For more information, write to the Fellowship Coordinator, John Carter Brown Library, Box 1894, Providence, RI 02912.

H. John Heinz III Charitable Trust. The Trust supports a program of small grants for archaelogical field research in Mexico, Central America and South America. Grants will be awarded annually in January for research projects aimed at determining the feasibility of a full-scale exploration or projects that will carry to completion an important phase of a larger exploration. Applicants must be taxexempt educational institutions (not private foundations) sponsoring projects headed by an individual with a Ph.D. or equivalent degree. Applications for dissertation research will not be considered. The maximum amount per grant will be \$8,000; university overhead charges will not be paid. Proposals must be received by October 30, 1989. For information on proposal requirements, contact Dixon R. Brown, Trustee, H. John Heinz III Charitable Trust, 600 Grant Street, Suite 4440, Pittsburgh, PA 15219.

Fulbright Scholar-in-Residence Program. Opportunities for U.S. colleges and universities to host a visiting scholar from abroad for all or part of the 1990-91 academic year are available through the Fulbright Scholar-in-Residence Program. Institutions are invited to submit proposals for

visiting scholars in the humanities and social sciences, or in professional specializations with a strong international focus. Of particular interest for the 1990-91 program year will be proposals to bring professionals from the media or in government; scholars interested in the bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution; scholars interested in the quincentennial of Columbus' discovery of the Americas, and—from the Western European countries—scholars interested in topics related to European economic unity in 1992.

A Fulbright Scholar-in-Residence may teach regular courses from a comparative or foreign area perspective, serve as a resource person in interdisciplinary courses, assist in developing new courses, or participate in special seminars. An institution hosting a scholar-in-residence would be expected to share the scholar's expertise among departments and with neighboring institutions, involve him/her in community activities and professional organizations, and provide opportunities for the visitor to advance professional research interests.

The program provides round-trip travel for the grantee and, for full-year awards, one accompanying dependent; a monthly maintenance allowance; and incidental allowances for travel, books, and services essential to the assignment. The host institution is expected to share some costs in the form of supplementary funding and in-kind support such as housing.

The deadline for receipt of proposals is *November 1, 1989*. Detailed program guidelines and proposal forms are available from the Council for International Exchange of Scholars, 3400 International Drive NW, Suite M-500, Washington, DC 20008-3097; 202-686-7866.

Fulbright Scholar Program. The Council for International Exchange of Scholars is accepting applications for 1990-91 lecturing awards offered to the Caribbean islands, Mexico, and Venezuela. There are opportunities in all disciplines and for all academic ranks, and grants range from three months to a full academic year in duration. Eligibility requirements are U.S. citizenship, a doctorate at the time of application and postdoctoral college or university teaching experience at the level and in the field of lectureship sought, and in some cases, proficiency in a foreign language. Benefits include round-trip travel, maintenance and incidental allowances, and housing or tuition allowances in some countries. The application deadline is September 15, 1989. For more information and applications, call or write the Council for International Exchange of Scholars, 3400 International Drive NW, Suite M-500, Washington, DC 20008-3097; 202-686-7866.

Fulbright Grants for Graduate Study. Approximately 56 grants for graduate study in the American Republics will be provided under Fulbright and other programs during the

1990-91 academic year. Applications will be accepted from well-qualified students in most fields of study. Candidates must be U.S. citizens who will hold a bachelor's degree or the equivalent by the beginning date of the grant, but who do not hold the Ph.D. at the time of application. A good command of Spanish or Portuguese is required at the time Grants provide round-trip international of application. travel, tuition, maintenance for one academic year, and health and accident insurance. For more information and deadlines, contact a campus Fulbright Program Adviser or any IIE office. Students not affiliated with a university must submit their completed applications by October 31, 1989 to the U.S. Student Programs Division, Institute of International Education, 809 United Nations Plaza, New York, NY 10017.

#### LASA PUBLICATIONS FOR SALE

Several LASA publications are available from the secretariat:

The Chilean Plebiscite: A First Step Toward Redemocratization. Report by the International Commission of the Latin American Studies Association to Observe the Chilean Plebiscite. 1989. 19 p. \$3.00

Final Report of the LASA Commission on Compliance with the Central American Peace Accords. March 1988. 44 p. \$3.00

Peace and Autonomy on the Atlantic Coast of Nicaragua. Martin Diskin, Thomas Bossert, Salomón Nahmad S. and Stéfano Varese. Report of the LASA Task Force on Human Rights and Academic Freedom. 1986. 36 p. \$3.00

Report of the LASA Delegation to Observe the Nicaraguan General Election of November 4, 1984. 36 p. \$3.00

Available back issues of the LASA Forum may be purchased for \$5.00 each. All prices include third-class domestic mailing. Please add 50 cents for domestic first class or air mail to Canada or Mexico; add \$1.50 for surface mail or \$3.00 for air mail to other countries. Order from: LASA Secretariat, 9th Floor, William Pitt Union, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA 15260, USA.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Note: This section will mention only new periodicals or series and bibliographic or reference materials. We regret that time and space limitations preclude our listing the many interesting books and articles that come to our attention.

Columbia University's Institute of Latin American and Iberian Studies now has available the latest work of its new Papers on Latin America series. "Authoritarian Ideological Traditions and Transition Towards Democracy in Argentina" by Atilio Boron is the eighth paper of a new series of the works-in-progress (presented prior to formal publication) of the university's faculty, visiting scholars and others from both Latin and North America. The papers run from 20 to 50 pages and are \$3 each. For a complete list of available papers, contact Rayda Márquez at ILAIS, Columbia University, 420 West 118th Street, 8th Floor, New York, NY 10027; 212-854-4643.

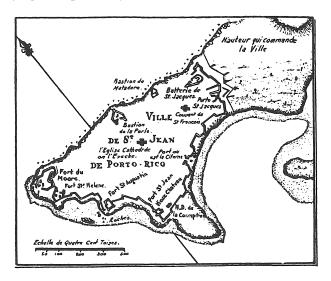
Ediciones del Norte announces two new series. Puertas 88 is a hardcover monograph/critical editions series in either Spanish or English, in the field of Latin American literature. The first two works selected to open the series are John Garganigo's critical edition titled Carlos German Belli: Antología Crítica (hardcover edition \$20.00), and Karen Stolley's El Lazarillo de Ciegos Caminantes (forthcoming).

The Inca Garcilaso Symposia Series contains papers delivered at selected symposia, in rigorously edited editions. The first volume is La Historia en la Literatura Iberoamericana: Memorias del XXVI Congreso del Instituto Internacional de Literatura Ibero-Americana edited by Raquel Chang-Rodríguez and Gabriella de Beer, in co-edition with the City College of the City University of New York. This initial volume is available at a cost of \$22. To order books or for more information, contact Ediciones del Norte, P.O. Box A130, Hanover, NH 03755; 1-800-PUBLICA.

Lynne Rienner Publishers announces the publication of the new series LACC Studies on Latin America and the Caribbean. Published in cooperation with Florida International University's Latin American and Caribbean Center, the series is jointly edited by Mark Rosenberg and Jorge Salazar-Carillo. Multidisciplinary in scope, it seeks to present new perspectives on the contemporary and historical forces—political, economic, social and cultural—that shape emerging realities in the region.

Books in the series include Elusive Friendship: A Survey of U.S. Chilean Relations, by Heraldo Muñoz and Carlos Portales, and Popular Religious Movements and Social Crises in Central America, by Andrés Opazo Bernales. Lynne Rienner Publishers welcomes the submission of book-length manuscripts in English, Portuguese, or Spanish (including published Portuguese- and Spanish-language material); write to Lynne Rienner Publishers, 1800 30th Street, Boulder, CO 80301.

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1764 map of San Juan. From Historia de San Juan: Ciudad Murada by Adolfo de Hostos. San Juan: Instituto de Cultura Puertorriqueña, 1966.

committee has made heroic fund raising efforts. Under the leadership of Professor Steve Sanderson from the University of Florida, over \$100,000 has been raised. The Ford Foundation has a high profile once again in this effort, and the Inter-American Foundation and Tinker Foundation are also contributing generously. For the first time, leading companies from the private sector are also providing significant contributions. Exxon and Esso Caribbean/ Central America, as well as Dole Foods, committed early to our pool of funds. A number of Latin American centers from throughout the U.S. have contributed as well. Terry McCoy of the University of Florida and Mitch

Seligson of the University of Pittsburgh worked closely with Sanderson on the Finance Committee.

The Program Committee wishes to acknowledge the special efforts of two of the committee members, César Rey and Marcia Rivera. Their vision and enthusiasm for holding the Congress in Puerto Rico have enhanced significantly our efforts.

Without the unflagging support of the staff of the Latin American and Caribbean Center at Florida International University, this Congress would not have been possible. Douglas Kincaid, LACC's associate director, has given generously of his time to ensure quality control. María Baeza, Daima Pico, Sofia López, René Ramos, Mary Fernández and Sandra Murado have been instrumental in attending to the unending letters, phone calls, and program adjustments. The Committee is proud of their dedication to the Congress and its success.

We look forward to seeing you in San Juan.

Mark Rosenberg, Chair (Florida International University) Joan Dassin (Ford Foundation)

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#### SPECIAL THANKS TO JUNE BELKIN WELCOME TO ANNA DENICOLO

The Latin American Studies Association is indebted to June Belkin, LASA Publications Director since July 1986, who is moving on to a full-time job. June brought to the position many years of publications experience: in the University of Pittsburgh's Center for Latin American Studies where she served as managing editor of Cuban Studies, at Florida International University where she was managing editor of Caribbean Review, and as a free-lance editor.

All of us who have worked with June will miss her very much. We have appreciated her talents in editing and layout, and her instinctive common-sense approach to the job. Most of all, Lynn and Reid are particularly grateful for her cooperation; she has been wonderful to work with. Our best to you, June, in all your future endeavors.

At the same time, LASA is pleased to welcome Anna DeNicolo as our new publications director. Anna comes to LASA with experience editing the Gelman Sciences company newsletter in Ann Arbor, Michigan, and with two vears experience as editorial coordinator of Grassroots Development at the Inter-American Foundation in Rosslyn, Virginia. Anna is now working toward a master's degree at the Graduate School of Public and International Affairs and a certificate in Latin American Studies at the University of Pittsburgh.

#### CONGRESS REGISTRATION MANDATORY

All attendees at LASA congresses are required to REGISTER and pay the appropriate fee. If you miss the pre-registration deadline of July 31 please come prepared to pay (by check if at all possible) the more expensive on-site registration costs. No exceptions can be made.

#### XV INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS

September 21-23, 1989 San Juan, Puerto Rico

Tentative Schedule as of June 6, 1989
Panels, Workshops and Task Forces

#### Thursday, September 21

#### 7:15 AM to 8:15 AM

- T007 Task Force on Human Rights and Academic Freedom
  Organizer: Alexander Wilde, Washington Office on Latin America
- T008 Task Force on the Mass Media Organizer: Richard Nuccio, Roosevelt Center for American Policy Studies
- T009 Task Force on Nicaragua/Central America Organizer: John Booth, North Texas State University
- T010 Task Force on Scholarly Relations with the Soviet Union
  Organizer: Alejandro Portes, Johns Hopkins University
- W058 Teaching Global Issues within the Latin American Context Organizer: Barbara C. Cruz, Florida International University

#### 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM

- P035 Reassessing Dominican Immigrants in the U.S. and Puerto Rico
  Organizer: Ramona Hernandez, La Guardia
  Community College/CUNY
- P056 Comparative Perspectives on Latin American Revolutions: Theories, Praxis and Revolutionary Coalitions Organizer: Peter F. Klaren, George Washington University
- P061 Cuba and Brazil in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries: Foundation Concepts in the Evolution of Women in Society Organizer: Evelyn Picon Garfield, University of Illinois

- P072 Civil-Military Relations in Latin America and the Challenge of Democracy Organizer: Michael Gold, American University
- P100 Guerra afuera y guerra adentro: México porfirista y revolucionario ante los conflictos internacionales y locales
  Organizer: Anne Staples, El Colegio de México
- P105 National Crisis, Local Consequences Organizers: M. Barbara Leons, Towson State University; Frances Rothstein, Towson State University
- P124 Mexican Popular Movements and Political Strategy in the 1980s Organizer: Maria Lorena Cook, University of California at Berkeley
- P128 Discursos del exorcismo: España, los Andes y el Caribe Organizer: Regina Harrison, Bates College
- P173 The Crisis of Party-Union Links in Latin America? Organizers: Charles G. Gillespie, University of Wisconsin at Madison; Margaret Keck, Yale University
- P176 Políticas Públicas e Sindicalismo Rural no Brasil Organizer: Anthony Pereira, Harvard University
- P187 Politics and Educational Planning: Latin American and Caribbean Experiences Organizer: Carlos M. Alvarez, Florida International University
- P192 Women, Politics, and Identity in Latin American Literature
  Organizer: Maida Watson-Espener, Florida International University
- P230 Voluntary Immigration to Puerto Rico in the Nineteenth Century
  Organizer: Birgit Sonesson, New York University

<sup>\*</sup>Panel listings appearing in the Congress program will supercede listings here. The Forum apologizes for errors in the panel listings appearing in the Spring issue.

#### Thursday

- P336 Rural Central America
  Organizer: Marc Edelman, Yale University
- P503 Europe in the New World: A Literary Dialogue Organizer: Jorge Olivares, Colby College
- T002 Task Force on Scholarly Relations with Spain Organizer: Federico G. Gil, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- W001 Science and Technology in Caribbean
  Development: Improving Communication and
  Information Flow
  Organizer: James W. Rowe, Interciencia
  Association
- W002 Mexico's Political Future: A Mexican and North American View
   Organizers: Roderic Ai Camp, Central University of Iowa; Miguel Basáñez, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México
- W004 Translation in the Americas: Problems and Approaches
  Organizer: Jack Child, The American University
- W008 La modernidad y la crítica literaria latinoamericanas
  Organizer: Fernando Burgos, Memphis State University
- W024 Incorporating Women into World History and the Histories of Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Caribbean, and the Middle East Organizer: Cheryl Johnson-Odim, Loyola University
- W048 Debt, Democracy and Violence in Venezuela Organizer: Donald L. Herman, Michigan State University
- W054 Human Rights in Cuba Organizer: Alexander Wilde, Washington Office on Latin America

#### 10:45 AM to 12:45 PM

- P028 Discourses of Race, Ethnicity and National Identity
  Organizer: Leslie Bary, Pomona College
- P118 Creating New Political Arenas: Mexican Women in Social Movements and Community Politics Organizers: Teresa Carrillo, Stanford University; Lynn Stephen, Northeastern University

- P129 Agrarian Transformations in Central America Organizer: Mitchell A. Seligson, University of Pittsburgh
- P135 Nationalism, Populism and Militarism in the Depression Years: Puerto Rico and the Caribbean, 1929-1940
  Organizer: Jorge Rodríguez-Beruff, Universidad de Puerto Rico
- P147 Mestizaje y sexualidad en la literatura del Caribe Organizer: William Rosa, William Paterson College
- P148 Puerto Ricans in the United States and the Changing Economy
  Organizer: Edwin Melendez, Massachussetts
  Institute of Technology
- P188 Popular Movements Under Authoritarian Regimes: Roots of Rebellion? Organizer: Peter Winn, Tufts University
- P189 Photographic Resources and Their Application to Scholarly Research and Publications: Case Studies Organizer: Stella De Sa Rego, University of New Mexico
- P193 Latin American Research Projects of the United Nations University Organizer: Heitor Gurgulino de Souza, United Nations University
- P198 Puerto Rican Dramatists Discuss Their Theatre Organizer: Gloria F. Waldman, York College/CUNY
- P319 Religion and Social Movements
  Organizer: Ramon Jrade, Vanderbilt University
- P321 Higher Education Issues in Latin America Organizer: Wayne Osborn, Iowa State University
- P328 The Political Economy of Capital Flight in Latin America Organizer: Darryl McLeod, Fordham University
- P332 Poverty and Social Policy Organizer: Harvey Williams, University of the Pacific
- P342 Studies in Comparative Labor History
  Organizer: Evelyn Hu-Dehart, University of
  Colorado at Boulder
- P514 The Deepening of Democracy in Latin America Organizer: John Peeler, Universidad de Costa Rica

#### Thursday

- T006 Task Force on Women in Latin American Studies Organizer: Edna Acosta-Belén, SUNY at Albany
- W003 The Role of Western Europe in the International Relations of Latin America
  Organizers: Wolf Grabendorff, Institute for European-Latin American Relations; Alberto Van Klaveren, Asociación de Investigación y Especialización sobre Temas Iberoamericanas
- W014 Women's Rights and New Forms of Feminist Organizing in Latin America Organizer: Margaret Schuler, OEF International
- W053 Democracy, Violence, and Human Rights in Colombia and Peru Organizer: Alexander Wilde, Washington Office on Latin America

#### 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

- P005 The Revolutionary Decade in Guatemala and Its Aftermath
  Organizer: Roland H. Ebel, Tulane University
- P045 La resistencia al colonialismo cultural en la dramaturgia puertorriqueña desde dos costas Organizers: Julio Marzan, New York University; Beatriz J. Rizk, Asociación de Trabajadores e Investigadores de Nuevo Teatro
- P081 Women and the Spanish/American Encounter Organizers: Electa Arenal, College of Staten Island/CUNY; Stacey Schlau, West Chester University
- P089 Latinos in the U.S.: A Review of an Emerging Literature
  Organizer: Mario T. Garcia, University of California at Santa Barbara
- P107 1959-1989: 30 Years of Cuban Cinema Organizer: Oscar E. Quiros, University of Kansas
- P119 Social Movements and Democratization in Mexico Organizer: Jonathan Fox, Massachussetts Institute of Technology
- P122 La democracia en Costa Rica en perspectiva histórica
  Organizer: Mercedes Muñoz Guillén, Universidad de Costa Rica
- P146 New Perspectives on the Puerto Rican Labor
  Force
  Organizer: Jorge Duany, University of the Sacred
  Heart

- P184 Conservatives, Political Parties and Democracy Organizer: Douglas A. Chalmers, Columbia University
- P204 Health Workers in the Face of Torture Organizer: Richard H. Goldstein, Aesculapius International Medicine
- P229 Newcomers and Established Residents: Conflict and Accomodation (Part 1) Organizer: Alex Stepick, Florida International University
- P250 Human Rights in South America: Changing Contexts and New Initiatives Organizer: Michael Shifter, Ford Foundation
- P306 Racial Politics and Discrimination in Latin America Organizer: Roxanne Dunbar Ortiz, California State University
- P318 Hispanics in the U.S.: Migration, Return Migration, and Ethnic Rivalry Organizer: Olga Jimenez Wagenheim, Rutgers University
- P326 Debt and Economic Stabilization Policies Organizer: Michael J. Twomey, University of Michigan at Dearborn
- P344 Military Responses to Political Violence in Latin America Organizer: Cynthia Watson, Loyola University of Chicago
- P345 Cultural Contact and Cultural Transformation Organizer: Ernest A. Duff, Randolph-Macon Woman's College
- P502 El Grupo de los Ocho y Estados Unidos: hacia una nueva relación hemisférica
  Organizer: Heraldo Muñoz V., PROSPEL
- P504 Efectos psicosociales de la crisis de los 80 sobre la juventud latinoamericana Organizer: Dina Krauskopf, Universidad de Costa Rica
- T004 Task Force on Scholarly Relations with Cuba Organizer: Lars Schoultz, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- T005 Working Group on Natural Resources and the Environment
   Organizer: John O. Browder, Virginia Polytechnic Institute

#### Thursday

- W040 The Catholic Church in the Struggle for Peace in Central America Organizer: Martin Poblete, Columbia University
- W050 U.S. Congress and Latin America Organizer: Cynthia J. Arnson, Johns Hopkins University

#### 3:15 PM to 5:15 PM

- P053 Religion and Politics: Comparative Latin American Experiences
  Organizer: Carol Drogus, Hamilton College
- P071 Presidentialism, Political Parties, and Democracy in South America
  Organizer: Scott Mainwaring, University of Notre Dame
- P095 The International Actors before the Central American Peace Process
  Organizer: Max Azicri, Edinboro University
- P103 U.S. Perspectives on Hispanic Minority Literature Organizer: Marvin A. Lewis, University of Missouri at Columbia
- P111 Liberation Psychology: The Subjective Dimension of Repression and Resistance in Latin America Organizer: Nancy Caro Hollander, California State University at Dominguez Hills
- P158 Partidos Políticos e Cultura Política na América Latina: Desafios para a Institucionalização Democrática Organizer: Marcello Baquero, Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul
- P162 La cuestión agraria y las políticas públicas en Centroamérica y el Caribe Organizer: Eduardo Baumeister, Coordinadora Regional de Investigaciones Económicas y Sociales
- P197 Under the Signs of Troubling Times: The Catholic Church in Latin America
  Organizer: Martin Poblete, Columbia University
- P215 Democracy in the Dutch Caribbean
  Organizer: Betty Sedoc-Dahlberg, University of the
  Netherlands Antilles
- P220 Popular Movements and Political Transformation in Mexico
   Organizers: Ann Craig, University of California at San Diego; Joe Foweraker, University of Essex

- P237 Economic Development and Conservation of Tropical Rain Forests in Latin America Organizer: John O. Browder, Virginia Polytechnic Institute
- P302 Revolutions Compared: Cuba and Nicaragua Organizer: Fred Judson, University of Alberta
- P303 Feminist Perspectives on Latin American Literature and Philosophy Organizer: Ofelia Schutte, University of Florida
- P305 Latin American Visual Arts
  Organizer: Nelson Rivera-Rosario, Universidad de
  Puerto Rico
- P312 Community Power: The Quest for Democracy from Grassroots Groups
  Organizer: Michael Kaufman, York University
- P313 New Dilemmas Facing Old Trade Unions Organizer: Guillermo Grenier, Florida International University
- P324 Health and Population Issues in Latin America Organizer: Margaret Sherrard Sherraden, Washington University
- P523 Newcomers and Established Residents: Conflict and Accommodation (Part 2)
  Organizer: Alex Stepick, Florida International University
- W029 Developing a Quality Program in Latin American Studies Organizers: Sharon S. Mujica, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; Josefina C. Tiryakian, Duke University
- W032 International Scholarly Relations in Latin American Studies Organizer: Silvia Raw, Joint Committee on Latin American Studies (JCLAS)

#### 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM

- P006 Writing in Spanish in the U.S.
  Organizers: Joaquin Roy, University of Miami;
  Ambler H. Moss, University of Miami
- P007 U.S. Labor Policy in Latin America
  Organizers: Hobart A. Spalding, Brooklyn
  College/CUNY; Henry J. Frundt, Ramapo College

#### Thursday/Friday

- P034 The Military and Democratization: Comparing South America and the Iberian Peninsula Organizers: Federico G. Gil, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; Felipe Aguero, Duke University
- P039 Recent Research on Undocumented Migration to the United States
  Organizer: Leo R. Chavez, University of California at Irvine
- P050 Latin American Frontiers in Comparative Perspective Organizer: John Markoff, University of Pittsburgh
- P070 Indigenous Histories and the Nation-State in Latin America Organizers: Jonathan Hill, Southern Illinois University; Janet M. Chernela, Florida International University
- P096 The Peasantry and Transition in Central America Organizers: Ilja A. Luciak, Virginia Polytechnic Institute; Nola Reinhardt, Smith College
- P104 La mujer ante la realidad latinoamericana: el nuevo discurso femenino Organizer: Alina Camacho-Gingerich, St. John's University
- P116 Politics and Avant-Garde Ideology in Latin American Art: 1920-1940 Organizer: Mari C. Ramirez, University of Texas at Austin
- P120 Changes in the Mexican Political System: The Role of Urban Social Movements
  Organizer: Lisa Fuentes, Boston College
- P125 Deuda externa y ajuste estructural en Centroamérica y Panamá Organizers: Alfredo Guerra Borges, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México; Mario Arana S., Coordinadora Regional de Investigación Económicas y Sociales
- P139 Los partidos políticos y la consolidación de la democracia política en América Latina Organizers: Manuel Antonio Garretón, Consejo Latinoamericano de Ciencias Sociales; Marcelo Cavarozzi, Consejo Latinoamericano de Ciencias Sociales
- P202 After Puebla: The Catholic Church in Latin America, 1979-89 Organizer: Edward L. Cleary, Pontifical College Josephinum

- P212 Illicit Crops and Economic Development in Latin America: Implications for U.S. Foreign Policy in the Region
  Organizers: Elena H. Alvarez, Rockefeller
  Institute/SUNY-Albany; Edmundo Morales,
  Narcotic and Drug Research, Inc.
- P223 Israel and Latin America: 40 Years of Political, Economic, and Cultural Links Organizer: Hugo Hervitz, Barry University
- P228 Critical Junctures and Historical Legacies Organizer: David Collier, University of California at Berkeley
- P315 Ecology: Environmental Policy Issues Organizer: Kathy Shea-Abrams, Florida International University
- P316 Challenges to Latin American Education Organizer: Jorge Jeria, Northern Illinois University
- P508 Puerto Rican Independence: Challenges and Prospects Organizer: Thomas Angotti, Progressive Latin Americanist Network

#### Friday, September 22

#### 7:15 AM to 8:15 AM

- W012 Workshop on Teaching About the Columbus Quincentennial in Elementary-Secondary Schools Organizer: Linda Hahn Miller, University of Florida
- W039 Literatura latinoamericana colonial en lengua latina
  Organizer: Francisco L. Lisi, Universidad de Oviedo
- W043 Sistemas electorales y partidos políticos en América Latina Organizer: Lucrecia Lozano, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México
- W046 How Fulbright Grantees are Selected: What is the Process? How Does it Really Work? Organizer: Rosemary Lyon, Council for the International Exchange of Scholars
- W052 The Freedom of Information Act and Investigative Scholarship on Latin America Organizers: Scott Armstrong, The National Security Archive; Thomas Blanton, The National Security Archive

W060 Conducting Anthropological Research in Latin America: Methods, Procedures and Norms Organizer: Luise Margolies, Ediciones Venezolanas de Antropología

#### 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM

- P002 Employers' Associations and the Business
  Community in Three Democracies: A
  Comparative Framework
  Organizers: Enrique Ogliastri, Universidad de Los
  Andes; Fernando Lopez-Alves, University of
  California at Santa Barbara
- P004 The Guianas in the 1980s and Beyond: Political and Socio-Economic Trends in Guyana, Suriname, and French Guiana
  Organizer: Mark Kirton, University of Guyana
- P015 Comparative National Development: A
  Sociological Agenda for the 1990s (Part 1)
  Organizers: A. Douglas Kincaid, Florida
  International University; Alejandro Portes, Johns
  Hopkins University
- P017 The U.S.-Mexican Border: Its Influence on Regional Political and Economic Behavior Organizer: Joan B. Anderson, University of San Diego
- P055 Economic Issues of the Rio de la Plata in the Colonial Era
  Organizers: James S. Saeger, Lehigh University;
  Mario Pastore, Washington University at St. Louis
- P062 Democratic Processes in the Andean Nations: Chile, Colombia, Peru Organizers: Gary Hoskin, SUNY/Buffalo; Gabriel Murillo, Universidad de los Andes
- P064 Class, Gender and Ideology in Contemporary Mexican and Chicano Narrative Organizers: Lauro Flores, University of Washington; Cynthia Steele, University of Washington
- P087 The Analysis of Socio-Political Change in Latin America: A Paradigmatic Crisis? Organizer: Viviane Brachet-Márquez, El Colegio de México
- P090 El proceso de paz en Centroamérica Organizer: Ricardo Córdova Macías, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México
- P108 Nuevas tendencias en la literatura cubana de hoy Organizer: Flora Gonzalez, Emerson College

- P133 Themes in Grassroots Development I: Problems of Autonomy and Economic Self-Sufficiency in Small Farmer Organizations
  Organizer: David B. Bray, Inter-American Foundation
- P141 La experiencia literaria puertorriqueña en los Estados Unidos Organizer: Edna Acosta-Belén, SUNY at Albany
- P142 Central American Children and War Organizer: Margarita B. Melville, University of California at Berkeley
- P167 The South Atlantic Dispute over the Malvinas/ Falklands Organizer: Ricardo A. Alagia, Universidad Nacional de Mar del Plata
- P171 Changing Brazil: The City, Social Movements and the Continuing Crisis in the Post-Authoritarian Period (Part 1)
  Organizer: William P. Norris, Oberlin College
- P183 The Fiscal Crisis of the Developmentalist State in Latin America and the Neo-Liberal "Solution" Organizer: William R. Nylen, Columbia University
- P186 Condition and Prospects of the International Relations in the Triangle Spain-Iberoamerica-United States in the Post-Reagan Era Organizer: Federico G. Gil, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- P201 El movimiento de los trabajadores por una cultura de vida, justicia y libertad: una aplicación latino-americana del pensamiento humanista-cristiano Organizer: Paul Tennassee, National Works Union
- P217 Latin American Collective Biography: Recent Innovations Organizer: Peter Smith, University of California at San Diego
- P219 Central American Artisans and National and Regional Politics Organizer: Jeffrey Gould, Indiana University
- P235 State and Society in Puerto Rico from the Eighteenth to the Twentieth Century Organizer: Astrid Cubano, Universidad de Puerto Rico
- P255 Financial Institutions, Markets and Development in Latin America
  Organizer: Edgar Ortiz, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México/Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económica

- P262 Feminine Perspectives in Social Science Research:
  A Retrospective
  Organizer: Elsa M. Chaney, University of Iowa
- P307 Politics and Literature in Central America Organizer: Patricia T. Edmisten, University of West Florida
- P310 Current Approaches to Latin American Literary Classics Organizer: Sylvia M. Nagy, Loyola University
- P341 The Peasantry and Rural Protest in South America
  Organizer: Mirna de Velasco, Universidad de Zulia

#### 10:45 AM to 12:45 PM

- P011 Producción, reproducción y trabajo femenino en la semiperiferia: la experiencia puertorriqueña Organizer: Luz Del Alba Acevedo, University of Illinois at Chicago
- P014 Bahamas, Belize, Barbados: Clones of the British Legacy Organizer: Bruce Ergood, Ohio University
- P023 North American Continental Relations: A
  Reevaluation of Mexico-U.S.-Canada Relations
  Organizer: Gustavo Del Castillo, El Colegio de la
  Frontera Norte
- P074 Prospects for Brazil-Argentina Economic Integration Organizer: John H. Welch, University of North Texas
- P077 Centroamérica: políticas externas, procesos internos en la dinámica regional, 1988-1989 Organizer: Carlos Sarti, Confederación Universitaria Centroamericana
- P092 The Cultural Map of Spanish America: Data and Methods
  Organizer: Gregory Knapp, University of Texas at Austin
- P098 Business Elites and Democratization: Theory Building from Empirical Case Studies Organizer: Leigh A. Payne, Yale University
- P134 Themes in Grassroots Development II: Culture, Ecology and Development Organizers: Alaka Wali, University of Maryland; Charles D. Kleymeyer, Inter-American Foundation

- P144 The Complexities of Empowerment
  Organizer: Kathleen Logan, University of Alabama
  at Birmingham
- P151 Literatura puertorriqueña en U.S.A.: no es cuestión de identidad sino la identidad en cuestión Organizer: Alberto Sandoval Sanchez, Mount Holyoke College
- P206 Los intelectuales y la construcción de lo nacional: Cuba y Puerto Rico Organizer: Arcadio Diaz-Quiñones, Princeton University
- P226 Europe's Relations with Latin America: Policies,
  Debt and Trade
  Organizer: Roberto Espindola, University of
  Bradford
- P245 Savings, Investment and Growth in Latin America Organizers: Willy Van Ryckeghem, Inter-American Development Bank; Jorge Ruiz Lara, Inter-American Development Bank
- P256 Central American Refugees: The Promise of Repatriation
  Organizer: Patricia Pessar, Georgetown University
- P258 Democratic Processes in the Andean Nations: Bolivia, Ecuador, and Venezuela Organizer: Gabriel Murillo, Universidad de los Andes
- P512 Latin American Studies outside the United States Organizer: Cole Blasier, The Library of Congress
- P521 Changing Brazil: The City, Social Movements and the Continuing Crisis in the Post-Authoritarian Period (Part 2) Organizer: William P. Norris, Oberlin College
- P522 Comparative National Development: A
  Sociological Agenda for the 1990s (Part 2)
  Organizers: A. Douglas Kincaid, Florida
  International University; Alejandro Portes, Johns
  Hopkins University
- W005 Creating Canons: Writing a History of Brazilian Theater
  Organizer: Margo Milleret, University of Tennessee
- W006 Nation-State Formation in Latin American Literature and Society, 1850-1940 Organizer: Stuart F. Voss, SUNY-Plattsburgh

W011 Unificando la literatura de una nación dividida/ Uniting the Literature of a Divided Nation: Two Generations of Puerto Rican Poetry in Translation Organizer: Camilo Perez-Bustillo, META, Inc.

#### 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

- P047 Escritura femenina en Puerto Rico a partir de la década de 1970
  Organizer: Carmen I. Perez-Marin, Harvard University
- P060 Women's Organizations and Their Scope of Action Organizer: Regina Cortina, Brown University
- P067 Exploring the Americanist Connection: Current Research on Literary Relations Between Brazil and Spanish America Organizer: Severino João Albuquerque, University of Wisconsin at Madison
- P073 Bolivia in the Post-Paz Estenssoro Era Organizer: Eduardo A. Gamarra, Florida International University
- P078 Financing Latin American Development:
  Alternatives to Commercial Bank Lending
  Organizer: Robert Grosse, University of Miami
- P085 Economía y sociedad en Honduras en los años 1980 y perspectivas para 1990 Organizer: Hugo Noé-Pino, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de Honduras
- P123 Empowering Grassroots Organizations for Political Participation: Experiences of Popular Education in Latin America
  Organizer: Marcy Fink, OEF International
- P149 The Hispanic Caribbean: An Urbanized Region Organizer: Aníbal Sepúlveda, Centro de Investigaciones CARIMAR
- P153 Recent Developments in the Theory, History and Criticism of Latin American Cinema Organizer: Deborah Mistron, Bradford College
- P168 Democracy and Participation in the Nicaraguan Revolution
  Organizer: Bruce E. Wright, California State University at Fullerton
- P170 The World of the Nineteenth Century Worker:
  Wealth Distribution, Savings Patterns, and Small
  Producers
  Organizer: David Sowell, Juniata College

- P182 The Limits to State Action: Colombia from an Andean Perspective
  Organizer: Marc W. Chernick, Columbia
  University
- P205 Las nuevas naciones del Caribe en las relaciones internacionales
  Organizer: Rita Giacalone, Universidad de Los Andes
- P211 Internationalization of Capital in Mexican
  Agriculture
  Organizer: Billie DeWalt, University of Kentucky
- P221 The Future of U.S.-Mexican Relations
  Organizer: Peter H. Smith, University of
  California at San Diego
- P222 Adalberto Ortiz y la literatura negra ecuatoriana Organizer: Arturo Ortiz, Indiana University of Pennsylvania
- P317 Issues in U.S.-Latin American-European Relations Organizer: Gaston Alejandro Fernandez, St. Olaf College
- P339 The Informal Sector Revisited
  Organizer: Cathy Rakowski, Michigan State
  University
- P340 Children and Social Inequalities in Brazil Organizer: Elizabeth Kuznesof, University of Kansas
- P517 The Challenge of Commitment: The Work of Ariel Dorfman
  Organizer: Rose S. Minc, Montclair State College
- P518 U.S. Relations with Mexico, Cuba and Puerto Rico: Comparative Perspectives on Internationalization, Immigration and Class Formation
  Organizer: Raul Hinojosa, University of California at Berkeley
- W026 A History of Contemporary Spain as Seen Through the Lens of the Spanish Film Industry Organizer: Charles Fleener, St. Louis University
- W049 Title VI Centers and Fellowship Programs Organizer: Ann Schneider, U.S. Department of Education

#### 3:15 PM to 5:15 PM

- P001 U.S.-Latin American Relations in the 1990s Organizer: Abraham F. Lowenthal, University of Southern California
- P013 Cross-Cultural Contact and Conflict in Early Spanish America Organizer: Susan E. Ramirez, De Paul University
- P032 Modes and Moods of Representation in Recent Brazilian Fiction Organizer: Charles A. Perrone, University of Florida
- P036 Indians, Resistance and Rebellion in Mexico Organizer: Sonya Lipsett, SUNY/Cortland
- P080 Reconceptualizing the Newly Industrializing
  Countries: Restructuring, Competitiveness, and
  Exports in a Comparative Perspective
  Organizers: Miguel Korzeniewicz, Duke University;
  Gary Gereffi, Duke University
- P083 Popular Music in the Caribbean
  Organizer: Robert Witmer, York University
- P084 Edgardo Rodríguez Julia: escritura y poder en el Caribe Organizer: María Elena Rodríguez Castro, Universidad de Puerto Rico
- P093 Religion and Economic Insertion in Brazilian Society
  Organizer: Cecilia L. Mariz, Universidade Federal de Pernambuco
- P109 El estado actual de los estudios literarios en los países del Cono Sur de América Latina Organizer: Maria Rosa Olivera-Williams, University of Notre Dame
- P110 Religión y política en una colonia Organizer: Ana Maria Diaz-Stevens, Rutgers University
- P112 Women in the Struggle for Democracy in Central America
  Organizer: Loussia Musse Felix, Universidade
  Católica de Pernambuco
- P131 Imagined Communities in Latin America Organizer: Fernando Coronil, University of Michigan
- P136 Democracy and Popular Participation in Nicaragua Organizers: Thomas Walker, Ohio University; Harry E. Vanden, University of South Florida

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  Organizers: Jim Weil, Hamline University; Connie Weil, University of Minnesota
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- P178 Cultura Política: Repensando as Transformações Políticas na América Latina Organizers: Ruth C. L. Cardoso, Centro Brasileiro de Análise e Planejamento; Teresa Caldeira, Centro Brasileiro de Análise e Planejamento
- P225 Black Labor in Latin America and the Caribbean in the 19th Century
  Organizer: Peter Blanchard, University of Toronto
- P325 Actors and Processes in Development Organizer: Joel Lazinger, University of Wisconsin at La Crosse
- P330 Impact of Political Parties on Peruvian Political Development
  Organizer: Sandra Woy-Hazleton, Miami
  University of Ohio
- P519 Political Dimensions of the Informal Sector Organizer: Cathy A. Rakowski, Michigan State University

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- P343 The Brazilian Public and Private Sector Organizer: Jorge Jatoba, Universidade Federal de Pernambuco
- W009 Six Contemporary Latin American Poets: Texts and Contexts
  Organizer: Javier Campos, Fairfield University
- W010 Cinema and Social Change in Latin America Organizer: LaVonne C. Poteet, Bucknell University
- W015 Theatre and Community Development Organizers: Donald Frischmann, Texas Christian University; Claudia Kaiser-Lemoir, Tufts University

#### Friday/Saturday

- W027 Economía, campesinos y mercado en los Andes, siglo XIX
  Organizer: Jose Deustua, Universidad de San Marcos
- W031 Economic Groups in Latin American, East Asian and North American Development Organizer: Harry M. Makler, University of Toronto
- W034 Carnaval Latino-Americano: Diferentes Abordagens e Interpretações Organizer: Olga Rodrigues von Simson, Centro de Estudos Rurais e Urbanos
- W037 Cultural Citizenship: Emerging Identities and Processes of Mobilization in Latino Communities in the United States
  Organizer: Rosa M. Torruellas, Centro de Estudios Puertorriqueños
- W041 Development Assistance and Development
  Outcomes in the Caribbean: A Dialogue Among
  Practitioners and Scholars
  Organizer: Robert Girling, Sonoma State
  University
- W042 Health Consequences of the Economic Crisis in Central America and the Caribbean Organizers: John M. Donahue, Trinity University; Linda Whiteford, University of South Florida
- W047 The Changing Environment of Hispanic Business in the U.S.
  Organizer: Raul Moncarz, Florida International University
- W057 La mujer, producción, y reproducción Organizers: Carmen Gautier Mayoral, Universidad de Puerto Rico; Alice Colón, Universidad de Puerto Rico
- W059 Latin America in the Era of Gorbachev: Seeking a Progressive Research Agenda for the 1990s Organizer: Terrie R. Groth, Universidade Federal de Pernambuco

#### Saturday, September 23

#### 7:15 AM to 8:15 AM

W021 Teaching Latin American Geography: A
Hands-on Workshop for K-12 Teachers
Organizer: Julie Kline, University of Wisconsin at
Milwaukee

- W036 Research Opportunities in Nicaragua Organizer: Harvey Williams, LASA Task Force on Scholarly Relations with Nicaragua/Central America
- W055 Britain and Latin America: A New Partnership? Organizer: Victor Bulmer-Thomas, Queen Mary College

#### 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM

- P010 Japan, the United States, and Latin America: The Emerging Trilateral Relationship Organizer: Gustavo Andrade, Sophia University
- P029 Entrepreneurs, Politics and New Economic Scenarios in Latin America Organizer: Eli Diniz, Instituto Universitário de Pesquisas do Rio de Janeiro
- P044 Cambio social y escena política en el Ecuador Organizer: Jorge León, CEDIME
- P059 Neglected Dimensions of Cuban Foreign Policy: Process and Content Organizer: H. Michael Erisman, Indiana State University
- P076 Small States in a Decade of Crisis
  Organizer: Carol Wise, University of Notre Dame
- P091 The Body Politic: Corporeal Images in Modern Latin American Writing Organizer: Daniel Balderston, Tulane University
- P145 La nueva derecha latinoamericana: raices ideológicas e influencia política Organizer: José Miguel Insulza, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económica
- P163 The Implications for Rural Development of
  Customary and Public Land Ownership Forms in
  the Caribbean
  Organizer: David Stanfield, University of
  Wisconsin at Madison
- P166 The Past in the Present: Historical Perspectives on Money and Debt in Latin America Organizer: Joseph Ricciardi, Babson College
- P175 Democracy in Venezuela: Past, Present and Future
  Organizer: Terry Karl, Stanford University

- P181 Los hispano-americanos y América Latina: perspectivas y desafíos para la década de los 1990 Organizer: Jose Prince, Latin American Labor Institute
- P194 Ethnic Processes and Geo-Politics, Part I: Central America's Caribbean Rim in Historical and Contemporary Perspective Organizers: Philippe Bourgois, San Francisco State University; Charles R. Hale, Stanford University
- P207 Literatura e ideología bajo el autoritarismo: Chile y Argentina en la última década Organizer: Maria Ines Lagos-Pope, Washington University
- P208 Mexico's Salinas de Gortari Administration:
  Continuity and Change
  Organizer: Rodolfo O. De la Garza, University of
  Texas at Austin
- P238 El Salvador Ten Years Later: Part 1
  Organizer: Tommie Sue Montgomery, Agnes Scott
  College
- P249 Press Censorship and Authoritarianism in Latin America
  Organizer: Glaucio Ary Dillon Soares, University of Florida
- P259 Caribbean Development Options and U.S. Policy Organizer: Carmen Diana Deere, University of Massachusetts at Amherst
- P308 Latin American Popular Culture
  Organizer: Candace Slater, University of California at Berkeley
- P311 Literary Sources for the Study of Historical Processes
  Organizer: Mary G. Berg, Harvard University
- P322 Women and Work in Latin America Organizer: Fabiola Franco, Macalester College
- P333 Argentine Labor: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives Organizer: Peter Ranis, York College and Graduate Center
- P520 Honduras: Issues in Urban and Rural Development Organizer: Mark Ruhl, Dickinson College
- W018 Chile in Transition: The LASA Report on the Chilean Plebiscite
  Organizer: Paul E. Sigmund, Princeton University

W033 Dangerous Fieldwork
Organizer: N. Patrick Peritore, University of
Missouri

#### 10:45 AM to 12:45 PM

- P008 Reinterpretación de la historia en la novela latinoamericana contemporánea
  Organizer: Alfredo Antonio Fernández,
  Universidad de La Habana
- P024 Cuba's Foreign Policy: Regional Variations Organizer: Jaime Suchlicki, University of Miami
- P052 Japan, the United States, and Latin America:
  New Patterns in International Economic Relations
  Organizers: Barbara Stallings, University of
  Wisconsin at Madison; Gabriel Szekely, University
  of California at San Diego
- P063 The Political Economy of APRA in Power Organizer: Eva A. Paus, Mount Holyoke College
- P065 Venezuela's Democratic Experience Reassessed Organizers: Jennifer McCoy, Emory University; Daniel Hellinger, Webster University
- P066 Power, Repression, and Dictatorship in Latin American Narrative Organizer: Gene H. Bell-Villada, Williams College
- P086 Crisis in the Mexican Political System
  Organizers: Judith Gentlemen, University of New
  Hampshire; Silvia Gómez Tagle, El Colegio de
  México
- P094 Poverty and Inequity in Latin America: Old Problems in Search of New Answers Organizer: Ann Helwege, Tufts University
- P102 Industrialization in Comparative Perspective:
  Mexico and Brazil
  Organizer: Marshall C. Eakin, Vanderbilt
  University
- P138 Crisis and Transformation in Revolutionary
  Nicaragua
  Organizer: Rose J. Spalding, De Paul University
- P161 Comparative Analysis of Recent Electoral Process in Mexico, Venezuela and the English-Speaking Caribbean
  Organizer: Rexene Hanes de Acevedo,
  Universidad de Los Andes

- P185 O Brasil sob a Nova Constituição: Desequilíbrios Regionais, Estrutura Tributária, Relações Trabalhistas e Inflação Organizer: Carlos Roberto Azzoni, Universidade de São Paulo
- P191 Popular Culture and Latin American Reality Organizer: Donald S. Castro, California State Polytechnic University
- P196 Institutions and Ideas in Argentine Politics: The Military, Political Parties and Economic Policy-Making Organizer: Kathryn Sikkink, University of Minnesota
- P199 Paz, democracia, desarrollo e integración en América Central: de Contadora a Esquipulas Organizer: Luis Enrique Marius, Universidad de los Trabajadores de América Latina
- P216 World Industrial Restructuring and Latin
  American Responses
  Organizer: Edgar Ortiz, Universidad Nacional
  Autónoma de México/Centro de Investigación y
  Docencia Económica
- P233 Environmental Problems and Policies in Small Caribbean Islands Organizers: Ariel Lugo, Southern Forest Experiment Station; Kent Redford, University of Florida
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  University
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  Organizer: Paul Susman, Bucknell University
- P327 Political Economy, Political Culture, and Political Regimes in Latin America Organizer: Evelyne Huber Stephens, Northwestern University
- W016 Oralidad y literatura: interferencias discursivas y modelos literarios heterogéneos Organizer: Cristina Parodi-Lisi, Aarhus Universitet
- W044 Transition to Democracy in Paraguay Organizer: Fernando A. Pfanni, Institute on Paraguayan Affairs

#### 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

- P009 Counterinsurgency War, Political Transition, and Social Movements in Guatemala Organizers: Susanne Jonas, University of California at Santa Cruz; Miguel Angel Balcárcel, Asociación de Investigación y Estudios Sociales
- P018 Europe and the Caribbean in the 1990s Organizer: Rosemarijn Hoefte, Royal Institute of Linguistics and Anthropology
- P025 The Alfonsín Administration in Argentina: A
  Retrospective
  Organizer: Edward C. Epstein, University of Utah
- P030 Social Movements and Cultural Identity Organizer: Elizabeth Mahan, University of Connecticut
- P043 Governing in the Crisis: The Political Dimensions of Economic Management
  Organizer: Catherine Conaghan, Queen's
  University
- P049 Repercusiones sociales, económicas y demográficas del SIDA en México
  Organizer: Mario Bronfman, El Colegio de México
- P082 Política y sociedad en Uruguay en un año de elecciones
  Organizers: Martin Weinstein, William Paterson College; Romeo Pérez Antón, Centro Latinoamericano de Estudios Humanísticos
- P099 Belize and the United States: Who Sets the Development Agenda?
  Organizers: David Kyle, Johns Hopkins University; Charles Rutheiser, Johns Hopkins University
- P117 Literatura paraguaya: producción "intra" y "extra" fronteras de las últimas dos décadas Organizer: Teresa Mendez-Faith, St. Anselm College
- P130 The Periodical Press and the Female Intelligentsia in Latin America Organizer: Gwen Kirkpatrick, University of California at Berkeley
- P132 New Directions in Economic Policymaking in Brazil
  Organizer: Eliza J. Willis, Boston College

- P157 Burocracias e Políticas Públicas: Processos de Descentralização e Novas Formas de Gestão das Políticas Sociais na América Latina Organizer: Sonia Miriam Draibe, Universidade Federal de Campinas
- P165 Nueva estructura agraria y sectores dominantes en América Latina Organizer: Sergio Gómez, Facultad Latinoamericano de Ciencias Sociales
- P231 The "Middle Sectors" Revisited: 30 Years After Political Change in Latin America Organizer: Steve Stein, University of Miami
- P246 State and Society in Twentieth-Century Cuba Organizer: Marifeli Pérez-Stable, SUNY/Old Westbury
- P247 Trade and Development in Brazil Organizer: Maria Jose Willumsen, Florida International University
- P301 Violencia y literatura en América Latina Organizer: Ramón Luis Acevedo, Universidad de Puerto Rico
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  Organizer: Henry Dietz, University of Texas at
  Austin

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- P026 Ethnic Tensions and the Influx of Central
  American Refugees in Belize: Cultural, Political
  and Economic Questions
  Organizer: Assad Shoman, Society for Promotion
  of Education and Research
- P031 The Political Economy of Tourism in the Caribbean
  Organizer: Dennis J. Gayle, Florida International University
- P068 Haiti and the Transition to Democracy: Internal and External Factors
  Organizer: Larman C. Wilson, American
  University

- P075 The Prospects for Democratization in Paraguay: Theoretical Perspectives Organizer: Diego Abente, Miami University
- P097 Modernism and Cultural Conservatism in Brazil Organizer: Randal Johnson, University of Florida
- P114 Nuevos escenarios en las relaciones internacionales del Caribe: una mirada hacia la década del 1990 Organizer: Carmen Gautier Mayoral, Universidad de Puerto Rico
- P121 The Subversive Text
  Organizer: Joanne Saltz, St. Cloud State University
- P140 Barroco colonial y conciencia criolla Organizer: Mabel Morana, University of Southern California
- P154 The State and Social Control in Brazil and Argentina, 1830-1930 Organizer: Joan L. Bak, University of Richmond
- P156 Cultura Popular na América Latina Organizer: Renato Ortiz, Universidade Federal de Campinas
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  Organizers: Manuel Chiriboga, Centro Andino de Acción Popular; Randy Stringer, University of Wisconsin at Madison
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  Organizers: Nicola Miller, King's College; Rodolfo Cerdas-Cruz, Centro de Investigación y Adiestramiento Político-Administrativo
- P232 Oral Sources for Latin American History Organizer: Steve Stein, University of Miami

- P251 Experiências das Políticas Agrícolas e Agrárias na América Latina Organizers: Jorge O. Romano, Universidade Federal Rural do Rio de Janeiro; Nelson G. Delgado, Universidade Federal Rural do Rio de Janeiro
- P323 Public Policy Issues in Latin America: Problems and Approaches
  Organizer: Jose Miguel Sandoval, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
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  Organizer: Douglas Friedman, College of Charleston
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  Organizer: Arturo Arias, University of Texas at Austin
- W038 Roundtable on Observing Elections in Latin America Organizers: William Crotty, Northwestern University; John Laun, Council on Hemispheric Affairs

#### 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM

- P152 Trabajo y resistencia de los campesinos en transición
  Organizers: Fernando Pico, Universidad de Puerto Rico; Olinda Celestino, Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique
- P159 A Universidade na América Latina: Participação, Gestão e Recrutamento Organizer: Laura Da Veiga, Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais
- P234 New Approaches to the Study of Communism in Latin America Organizer: Daniela Spenser, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- P242 Creación y revolución Organizers: Lillian Bertot, Florida International University; Adolfo Leyva, Florida International University

- P260 Women and Proletarians, Old and New: A
  Comparative View of Laboring Women in Latin
  America with an Eye on the Lessons of Classic
  Capitalism
  Organizers: Sônia de Avelar, Escola de
  Administração Pública-São Paulo; June E. Hahner,
  SUNY/Albany
- P261 Memorial Panel in Honor of Anthony Leeds Organizer: Susan Eckstein, Boston University
- P525 The Study of New Social Movements in Latin America: Theoretical Perspectives and Methodological Issues Organizers: Sonia Alvarez, University of California, Santa Cruz; Arturo Escobar, University of California at Santa Cruz
- W019 La transición a la agricultura capitalista en América Latina: vías históricas y cuestiones agrarias
  Organizers: Luis Llambi, Instituto Venezolano de Investigaciones Científicas; Lourdes Gouveia, University of Kansas
- W035 Estudos Comparados na América Latina e Caribe Organizer: Benicio Viero Schmidt, Universidade de Brasília

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