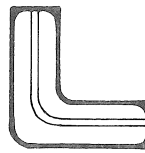


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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

NATIONAL DIRECTORY OF LATIN AMERICANISTS. Dr. William Carter, Chief of the Hispanic Division of the Library of Congress, announces that funding is assured for updating and publishing the National Directory of Latin Americanists, and plans are being made to begin in May, 1981. Questionnaires completed by LASA members will be put in a data base, which will be maintained for the project in the Hispanic Division. We owe a special vote of thanks to Dr. Carter, who has directed planning for the project, and to the Tinker Foundation, the Organization of American States, and to the Library of Congress for direct funding which will make this project possible. The projected date for publication of the third edition of the National Directory is 1983-84.

SUPPLEMENT TO LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: A DISSERTATION BIBLIOGRAPHY. LASA members will soon receive their copy of an update of this useful publication. This supplement contains 1,868 dissertation titles and 100 Master's thesis titles which have appeared since 1977. University Microfilms hopes to continually update the original compilation, and to date, 9,168 titles, largely of dissertations, are available from University Microfilms on Latin America and the Caribbean.

A TWO-VOLUME ENCYCLOPEDIA OF POLITICAL SYSTEMS to be published early in 1983 is seeking professors and advanced graduate students to contribute articles on Latin American nations. Articles will be by-lined and authors paid 5 cents per word. Articles desired with word lengths in parentheses are:

Argentina	(8000)	Ecuador	(3500)	Peru	(4500)*
Bolivia	(3000)	El Salvador	(1500)	Puerto Rico	(3000)
Brazil	(9000)	Guatemala	(3000)	Uruguay	(3500)*
Chile	(5500)	Honduras	(3000)	Venezuela	(6000)
Colombia	(4000)	Mexico	(6500)	Haiti	(1500)
Costa Rica	(1500)	Nicaragua	(4000)	Surinam	(750)
Cuba	(3000)*	Panama	(5000)*	Guyana	(1000)
Dominican Rep.	(3000)	Paraguay	(3500)*	Former British Caribbean	(various lengths)

\* \$50 extra will be paid for these articles if received by May 15, 1981. Contact the editor, George Delury, at 201 W. 85th Street, New York, NY 10024, or call him at 212-595-3248 after 7:00 pm EST.

**SECOND REPORT OF THE 1982 PROGRAM COMMITTEE**  
for  
**LASA's TENTH NATIONAL MEETING IN WASHINGTON, D.C. on APRIL 14-17, 1982**  
A Joint Meeting with  
**SEMINAR ON THE ACQUISITION OF LATIN AMERICAN LIBRARY MATERIALS (SALALM)**

Calling all neo-corporatists, bureaucratic authoritarians, monarchists, colonial fascists, discredited liberals, populists, Marxists, syndicalists, anarchists, and power contenders of all types--even nonaligned academics! Our Committee urgently needs more panel, workshop, and roundtable proposals. All entries must be in to the Program Committee by April 20, 1981. We are eager to receive more suggestions for topics and coordinators so that our program will reflect the high quality and vast diversity of our Association.

All offers to organize sessions must include: (1) a concise description of the topic and its importance; (2) a sketch of the format; (3) a list of potential participants, whether or not any have been contacted; (4) a brief professional biography of the proponent as it relates to the suggested topic; and (5) complete addresses and phone numbers for the proponent. Copies of proposals must be sent to all members of the Committee. After meeting in May, 1981, we will immediately notify all proponents and LASA members of the panels selected for the 1982 convention. Then everyone will have an opportunity to volunteer to serve as paper presenters or discussants at the chosen sessions.

Listed below are the proposals received as of February 10, 1981. These arrived in response to a questionnaire at the Ninth National Meeting in Bloomington, a separate mailing thereafter, and our Committee report in the December LASA Newsletter. Since we hope to follow the precedent of the last two LASA conventions by offering approximately 80 panels or workshops and 20 roundtables, there are many slots still to be filled. If you would like to propose a session or volunteer to participate in one already entered, please write the Program Committee at once:

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PROPOSALS FOR PANEL, ROUNDTABLE, OR WORKSHOP SESSIONS

- S1 Energy Policies in Latin America
- S2 Panamanian Politics
- S3 Colonial Latin American Social History
- S4 Space Relations in Mexico City
- S5 Nonacademic Job Opportunities for Latin Americanists
- S6 Inter-State Conflicts, Arms, and Power Politics in Latin America
- S7 International Labor Migration
- S8 Party Reorganization in Brazil
- S9 Elite Recruitment
- S10 North American vs. Latin American Perspectives on Theory and Research in Latin American Studies
- S11 Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century Scientific Expeditions in Latin America
- S12 Role of State Energy Monopolies in Development
- S13 Common Topics in the Last Generations in Literature
- S14 Interaction between Mexican and United States Artists and Intellectuals in the Twentieth Century
- S15 Latin American Popular Culture
- S16 Joint Meeting of SILAT and HEA
- S17 Money in Colonial Latin America
- S18 Contemporary Venezuela
- S19 The Present State of Literary Criticism in Latin America
- S20 The Cuban and Nicaraguan Revolutions
- S21 Mexico's Revolutionary Coalition's Domination of Public Life
- S22 Espacios de Producción Cultural Alternativa en Régimenes Autoritarios
- S23 The Process of Formation of the Bourgeoisie as a Social Class in Latin America
- S24 The Politics of Culture and/or Literature
- S25 United States-Latin American Literary Relations
- S26 Priorities for Research Library Collections on Latin America
- S27 Policy Issues Underlying Nonacademic Job Opportunities for Latin Americanists
- S28 Current Research on Women in Latin America
- S29 Disaster Redevelopment and Foreign Aid
- S30 Energy Policies of Oil-Importing Latin American Countries since 1973
- S31 Early Evidence of Man in the Brazilian Savannah
- S32 Africa in Latin America
- S33 Science Development and Graduate Education in Latin America
- S34 Latin American Indian Literatures
- S35 Political Developments in Central America
- S36 The Woman Novelist of Argentina and Her Treatment of the Woman Immigrant
- S37 Feminist Publications in Latin America Today
  
- R1 Handbook of Latin American Art
- R2 Borderlands Research and Studies Programs
  
- W1 Teaching Latin American Studies

PROPOSALS FROM PAPER PRESENTERS OR DISCUSSANTS

- P1 Latin American Philosophy
- P2 Party Reorganization in Brazil
- P3 Latin American Poetry: Ethic and Esthetic
- P4 Inter-State Conflicts, Arms, and Power Politics in Latin America
- P5 Peasant Movements and the National Question in Peru During the War of the Pacific
- P6 Citizen Participation in Latin America

- P7 Naval Expansion and Naval Conflict in Latin America
- P8 Women and Colonialism
- P9 Sport and Society in Latin America
- P10 Profesores Universitarios en América Latina: A New Elite
- P11 The Relationship Between Geopolitical Thinking and Conflict in the Southern Cone
- P12 The Mexican Government's Media Controls to Bolster Mass Support of its Policies
- P13 United States Relations with Latin America since 1945
- P14 The Merchant-Hacendado-Entrepreneur Relationship in Nineteenth Century Mexico
- P15 Evolution of Mexican Banking
- P16 Agrarian Reform and Agricultural Productivity in Guatemala
- P17 Land Tenure in Chuquisaca, Bolivia, 1880-1930
- P18 Working-Class Consciousness in Venezuela and Mexico
- P19 Why Cuba Has Not Solved the "Woman Question"

- D1 Hispanics in the United States
- D2 Inflation, Redistribution Policies, and Military Repression
- D3 Canadian-Latin American Relations in the 1980s-90s
- D4 Career Alternatives
- D5 Cuban Military and Politics

REMINDER: DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF PROPOSALS IS APRIL 21, 1981.

Send proposals to Prof. Paul Drake, Co-chairperson  
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 1208 West California  
 Urbana, IL 61801

#### CALL FOR PAPERS

JULY 1-3, 1981. DOWLING COLLEGE'S MEDITERRANEAN VI CONFERENCE will be held at the Italo-Latin American Institute (EUR), Rome, Italy. The theme will be "Recent Research in Mediterranean and Latin American Themes." Present sessions include: Italian Influences in the Americas; The Mediterranean Theatre; Ecology in the Mediterranean Basin; The Gaucho in Latin American Studies; Charles III and Latin America; Catalan Expansion in the Mediterranean. Other sessions are also being considered. For information, contact Norman Holub, Dept. of History, Dowling College, Oakdale, NY 11769.

The Third annual conference of the ASSOCIATION OF CARIBBEAN STUDIES will be held in Port-au-Prince, Haiti, on July 15-17, 1981. The theme for the conference is "The Caribbean in Transition." Proposals for papers are invited from faculty in all academic disciplines. At the 1980 conference, papers were grouped by the following areas: Economics, Politics, Education, Religion, Language, Sociology, Literature, and Tourism. Because of the growth of the Association and the development of its areas of interest, papers are especially welcome this year in: Art, History, Dance, Media, Folklore, Music, Geography, Sciences. Abstracts of 200-300 words should be sent before May 1, 1981 to A. L. McLeod, Rider College, PO Box 6400, Lawrenceville, NJ 08648 (609-896-0800).

## PAPA GIVES BIRTH

Under the auspices of the Department of Cultural Affairs of the Organization of American States, the first meeting of editors of periodicals dedicated to Latin America and the Caribbean was held in October at the OAS Headquarters in Washington. As a result of the meeting an organization provisionally named the Panamerican Periodical Association (PAPA) was formed.

The goals of PAPA are twofold: On the one hand, there are the general ends of creating mutual understanding among the Americas; articulating the culture and ideals of Latin America and the Caribbean; promoting intellectual and scholarly research about and for the Americas; advocating freedom of expression in the articulation and publication of ideas about the area; and, developing the institutional and financial support for the articulation, development, and publication of such ideas.

On the other hand, there are specific goals of furthering the ends of each of the member publications; fostering editorial excellence in the dissemination of their ideas; improving the development, readability, and placement of editorial manuscripts and materials; bettering the design and presentation of these materials; facilitating their technical reproduction; locating, soliciting, and developing proper publics for them; promoting knowledge of their availability; serving these ends by establishing such mechanisms as an editorial clearing house; cooperative relationships concerning mailing, distribution, and indexing; syndication services, etc.

Officers of the organization for the first year of activity are: Barry B. Levine, editor of the Caribbean Review, president; Dolores Moyano Martin, editor of the Handbook of Latin American Studies, and Saul Sosnowsky, editor of Hispanérica, vice-presidents; Celso Rodríguez, assistant editor of the Inter-American Review of Bibliography, secretary-treasurer. Alfredo A. Roggiano, editor of Revista Ibero-americana, and Paul P. Harrison, editor of the Journal of Inter-American Studies and World Affairs, advisors. Further information may be obtained by writing Barry B. Levine, Caribbean Review, Florida International University, Miami, FL 33199.

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VICE PRESIDENT AND EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS  
PRELIMINARY BALLOT

The following persons are hereby submitted to the LASA membership by the Nominations Committee as candidates for the position of Vice-President and members of the Executive Council. Biographical statements are appended.

Vice-Presidential Candidates

Helen M. Icken Safa (Anthropology, University of Florida)  
Howard J. Wiarda (Political Science, University of Massachusetts)

Executive Council Candidates

Cornelia Butler Flora (Sociology, Kansas State University)  
Kenneth Jameson (Economics, Notre Dame University)  
David R. Maciel (History, University of New Mexico)  
James M. Malloy (Political Science, University of Pittsburgh)  
Tom L. Martinson (Geography, Ball State University)  
Marta Morello-Frosch (Spanish Literature, University of California at Santa Cruz)

The current officers of LASA are the following:

Peter H. Smith (History, Massachusetts Institute of Technology)    President  
Jorge I. Domínguez (Political Science, Harvard University)    Vice-President  
  
Wayne A. Cornelius (Political Science, University of California at San Diego)  
Susan Kaufman Purcell (Political Science, University of California, Los Angeles)  
Abraham F. Lowenthal (Political Science, Smithsonian Institution)  
Arturo Madrid (Literature, University of Minnesota)  
Oscar J. Martínez (History, University of Texas at El Paso)  
Marysa Navarro (History, Dartmouth College)  
Alejandro Portes (Sociology, Duke University)  
Patricia Weiss-Fagen (History, San Jose State University)

According to the LASA By-Laws, additional candidates for Vice-President may be proposed by submitting a petition signed by at least 100 members in good standing. Members of the Association may also propose candidates for the Executive Council by submitting a petition signed by at least 20 members in good standing. The Executive Director will then draw up the Official Ballot. From this Ballot, two Executive Council members will be elected for three-year terms and the Vice-President will be elected for a one and one-half year term (to be followed by a one-and-one-half year term as President).

Write-in petitions must be received by the Secretariat by May 15, 1981, to be included in the Official Ballot.

The Nominations Committee consists of:

Kempton Webb, chairperson Columbia University	Giles Wayland-Smith Allegheny College
Elinor Burkett Frostburg State College	José Limón University of Texas at Austin
Francine Masiello University of California at Berkeley	Julián Zamora University of Notre Dame

HELEN M. ICKEN SAFA. B. 1930. Anthropology.

Present Position: Director, Center for Latin American Studies and Professor of Anthropology, University of Florida.

Education: B.A. Cornell 1952; M.A. Columbia 1958; Ph.D. Columbia 1962.

Professional Experience: Center Director and Professor of Anthropology, University of Florida, 1980-present; Chairperson, Department of Anthropology, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, 1974-80; Associate Professor and Professor of Anthropology and Urban Planning, Livingston College, Rutgers, 1967-74; Associate Director and Director, Latin American Institute, Rutgers, 1970-74; Assistant Professor of Anthropology, Syracuse University, 1962-67; Consultant to Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and N.Y. State on various urban and housing research projects, 1954-62.

Publications: Books. The Urban Poor and Puerto Rico: A Study in Development and Inequality (1974).

Edited Books: Women and National Development (1978); The City as a Social System (1972); Migration and Development (co-editor, 1975); Migration and Ethnicity (co-editor, 1975); Social Problems in Corporate America (co-editor, 1975); Sex and Class and Latin America (co-editor, 1976); Toward a Political Economy of Urbanization in Third World Countries (forthcoming).

Articles. Approximately 15 journal articles and chapters published in edited volumes plus about 11 book reviews.

Other Activities: Member, LASA Executive Council 1974-77; Fulbright Advisory Screening Committee for Anthropology, 1974-77.

HOWARD J. WIARDA. B. 1939. Political Science.

Present Position: Chairman, Program in Latin American Studies, and Professor of Political Science and Adjunct Professor of Comparative Labor Relations, University of Massachusetts; Postdoctoral Fellow, Harvard University.

Education: B.A. University of Michigan 1961; M.A. University of Florida 1962; Ph.D. University of Florida 1965.

Professional Experience: Assistant Professor (1965-69), Associate Professor (1969-73), and Professor (1973-present), University of Massachusetts; Instructor, Florida Atlantic University (1965); Peace Corps lectureship, Puerto Rico (1964-70); Senior Fellow, Merston Center, Ohio State University (1969-70).

Consultant to: Peace Corps (1964-71), Population Council (1972), Ford Foundation (1974), Department of State (1974-present), National Geographic Society (1977), International Communications Agency (1979); Chairman of Program of Latin American Studies, University of Massachusetts (1976-present); Chairman of Foreign and International Studies Council, University of Massachusetts (1975-76); Chairman of Five College (Amherst, Hampshire, Mt. Holyoke, Smith, U. Mass.) Council of Latin American Studies (1968-69), Chairman of Graduate Studies Program, Department of Political Science, University of Massachusetts (1971-2).

Participation in approximately 15 special lecture and training programs (1966-present) for various educational and governmental organizations in U.S.A., London, Madrid, Dominican Republic.

Publications: Books. Critical Elections and Critical Corps: Society and the Military in the Processes of Latin American Development (1979); Corporatism and Development of the Portuguese Experience (1977); Transcending Corporatism? The Portuguese Corporative System and the Revolution of 1974 (1976); Dictatorship, Development, and Disintegration: Politics and Social Change in the Dominican Republic (1975); Politics and Social Change in Latin America: The Distinct Tradition (1974); The Dominican Republic: Nation in Transition (1969); The Brazilian Catholic Labor Movement (1974); Dictatorship and Development: The Methods of Control in Trujillo's Dominican Republic (1970); Materiales para el Estudio de la Política y el Gobierno en la República Dominicana (1968); Dominican Republic: Election Factbook (1966).

Edited Books: Latin American Politics and Development (1979); The Continuing Struggle for Democracy in Latin America (1979).

Articles: Approximately 37 book chapters and major articles plus numerous short articles and reviews.



CORNELIA BUTLER FLORA. B. 1943. Sociology.

Present Position: Associate Professor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, and Director of Population Research Laboratory, Kansas State University (1976-present).

Education: B.A. (Honors) University of California at Berkeley 1965; M.S. Cornell University 1966; Ph.D. Cornell University 1970.

Professional Experience: Program Advisor, Agriculture and Rural Development for the Andean Region and Southern Cone, Ford Foundation, Bogotá, Colombia (1978-present); Assistant Professor (1970-76), Associate Professor (1976-present), Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Kansas State University; Development of Program and Development, Andean Region and Southern Cone, Ford Foundation (1978-present); "Perceived Advantages and Disadvantages of Childbearing: Strength of Motivation for Fertility Control," Research Grant, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, Center for Population Research (1976-79).

Publications: Books. Mobilizing the Masses: The Sacred and the Secular in Colombia (1970); Pentecostalism in Colombia: Baptism by Fire and Spirit (1976).

Chapters and Major Articles: "The Fotonovelas as a Tool for Class and Cultural Domination," Latin American Perspectives (1978); "Women in Latin America: A Force for Tradition or Change," SECOLAS Annals (1976); "Religious and Change: The Pentecostal Woman in Colombia," Journal of Inter-American Studies and World Affairs (1975), plus approximately 30 other articles dealing with types of women, migration, pentecostalism and rural development.

KENNETH JAMESON. B. 1942. Economics.

Present Position: Associate Professor of Economics, University of Notre Dame (1976-present), Director, Latin American Area Studies Program, Notre Dame (1981- ).

Education: B.A. Stanford 1964; M.S. University of Wisconsin 1969; Ph.D. University of Wisconsin 1970.

Professional Experience: Assistant Professor, Notre Dame (1970-75); Fulbright Lecturer in Arequipa, Peru (1974) and Catholic University of Lima, Peru (1975); Consultant to Agency for International Development (1976-78), and to Rice and Maize Producers, Peru (1975).

Publications: Edited Books. Religious Values and Development (1980); Directions in Economic Development (1979); U.S. Trade in the Sixties and Seventies (1974).

Articles and Book Chapters: "Industrialización regional en el Perú" (CISEPA, Perú, 1976); "The Development of the Service Sector in Brazil: An Empirical Investigation," The Quarterly Review of Economics and Business (1977); plus approximately 20 other articles on Latin America, economics and the teaching of economics, Guyana and Perú.

DAVID R. MACIEL. B. 1943. History.

Present Position: Associate Professor of Chicano, U.S. Southwestern and Mexican History, University of New Mexico (1979-present), and Director, Southwest Hispanic Research Institute, University of New Mexico (1980-present).

Education: B.A. San Diego State University 1967; M.A. University of Arizona 1970; Ph.D. University of California at Santa Barbara 1978.

Professional Experience: Assistant Professor (1975-79) Arizona State University; Research Scholar, El Colegio de Mexico (1976-77); Contributing Editor to Aztlán: International Journal of Chicano Studies and Research (1977-80). Also Book Review Editor for Aztlán (1980-82) and Regional Consultant for Mexico to The New Scholar (1977-80).

Publications: Books. Aztlán: La historia del pueblo Chicano, 1848-1910 (México: Sep-Setentas, 1975); Ignacio Ramírez: Ideólogo del liberalismo social en México (México: UNAM, 1980).

Edited Books: Aztlán: La historia contemporanea del pueblo Chicano (México: Sep-Setentas, 1976 - 2 volumes); La otra cara de México: El pueblo chicano (México, 1977).

Articles and Book Chapters: Approximately 10 articles in Latin American and American journals dealing with Chicano history, Mexican migrant workers, Chicano literature, historiography and numerous book reviews.

JAMES M. MALLOY. B. 1936. Political Science.

Present Position: Professor of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh.

Education: B.A. Temple University 1961; M.A. University of Pittsburgh 1963; Ph.D. University of Pittsburgh 1967.

Professional Experience: Visiting Professor, Escola Brasileira de Administracao Publica, Fundacao Getulio Vargas (1974-75); Co-founder and co-chairman, Northeastern Consortium for Andean Studies (1969-73); Foreign Affairs Fellow, Council on Foreign Relations (1971-72). Editorial Board: Estudios Andinos; Advisory Board: Peasant Studies.

Publications: Books. The Politics of Social Security in Brazil (1979); Bolivia: The Uncompleted Revolution (1970).

Edited Books: Authoritarianism and Corporatism in Latin America (1977); Beyond the Revolution: Bolivia Since 1952 (1971).

Articles and Chapters: Approximately 30 articles dealing with elites, social security, populism, military coups, revolutionary politics, and Communist political behavior with special reference to the Andean countries.

TOM L. MARTINSON. B. 1941. Geography.

Present Position: Professor of Geography, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana; Executive Secretary, Conference of Latin American Geographers.

Education: B.A. University of Oregon 1963; Ph.D. University of Kansas 1969.

Professional Experience: Assistant Professor (1967-72), Associate Professor (1972-75) and Professor of Geography (1975-present), Ball State University; Director of Institute of International Studies, Ball State University (1967-74, 1977-79); United States Member for Geography, Pan American Institute of Geography and History (1977-present); President, Midwest Association for Latin American Studies (MALAS) (1970-71); President, Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences (1978-79). Editor, The Geographical Survey (1975-80); Contributing Editor, Section on "Geography Middle America", Handbook of Latin American Studies (1970-present); LASA/CLASP Institutional Representative from the Conference of Latin Americanist Geographers (1980-present). Consultant to: Library of Congress, National Endowment for the Humanities, Inter-American Development Bank, National Science Foundation, Canada Council.

Publications: Books. Introduction to Library Research in Geography (1972); Research Guide to Colombia (1975).

Edited Books: Geographic Research on Latin America: Benchmark 1980 Proceedings of CLAG (1980); Geographic Research on Latin America: Benchmark 1970 Proceedings of CLAG (1970).

Chapters and Major Articles: "Geography: Middle America" section in Handbook of Latin American Studies (1970-present); "Recent Agricultural Change in the Honduran Ejido," Rural Life and Agrarian Problems (1977). Approximately 50 published papers ranging from simulation games of subsistence agriculture to Mexican population change to historical geography of the Bay Islands to tracing geographical themes in popular culture.

MARTA MORELLO-FROSCH. Spanish Literature.

Present Position: Professor of Spanish Literature, University of California at Santa Cruz (1974-present).

Education: M.A. English Literature, Ohio State University 1953; M.A. Spanish Literature, Ohio State University 1954; Ph.D. Ohio State University 1957.

Professional Experience: Assistant Professor (1959-63), Associate Professor (1963-65), and Professor (1965-74), Ohio State University. Visiting Professor (1971), University of California at San Diego, Visiting Professor (1973), University of Waterloo, Ontario; Director of Latin American Studies Program (1974-77 and 1979-81), University of California at Santa Cruz; Dean, Graduate Division (1975-77), U.C. Santa Cruz; Director of Graduate Studies in Spanish (8 years), Ohio State University; Executive Committee member of Latin American Area Committee, Ohio State University; Acting Chairman (1972), Ohio State University, Vice-Chair, Academic Senate Division (1980-81).

Publications: .Book.. Narradores Rioplatenses. (Ediciones Hispamérica, 1981).  
Articles. Approximately 40 articles appearing in Revista Hispánica Moderna, Revista Iberoamericana de Literatura, Hispanófila, Latin American Literary Review, Cuadernos Hispanoamericanos, Latin American Research Review, and many other journals in the U.S.A. and abroad. Numerous book reviews.

MEMBERS ARE URGED TO KEEP THIS PRELIMINARY BALLOT ON HAND. THE SECRETARIAT WILL NOT BE REPRINTING THE BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION ON THE FINAL BALLOT UNLESS NEW NOMINATIONS AT LARGE ARE SUBMITTED.

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The following announcement from the December, 1980, NECLAS Newsletter is reprinted for the benefit of LASA members who may wish to respond to this tragic event:

INSTITUTO DE HISTORIA HISPANOAMERICANA "GONZALO FERNANDEZ DE OVIEDO,"  
Madrid, Spain

In December, 1978, a fire destroyed all but 2-3,000 of the nearly 20,000 volumes dealing with the history of the Americas which were housed at the Instituto "Gonzalo Fernández de Oviedo" in Madrid. A constituent organization of the Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas, the Instituto is considered to have possessed one of the finest Americanist collections in Spain. Since 1940 the Instituto has published the journal, Revista de Indias.

The Academy of American Franciscan History has donated a complete set of still available volumes of The Americas. A number of other journals have volunteered publication sets for the Instituto and the Bancroft Library and various individuals have aided the effort by sending duplicates.

At this time NECLAS members are urged to send reprints of their articles and copies of their books directly to the Instituto at the address given below.

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Duque de Medinaceli, 4  
Madrid 14, Spain

## FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

FULBRIGHTS TO LECTURE IN FOREIGN LANGUAGES. Academic institutions in the USSR wish to sponsor American lecturers, in any field, who teach in languages of the constituent republics. Nominations for 1981-2 have already been made, but scholars who wish to teach in the Soviet Union in 1982-83 and who are proficient in one of the following languages are invited to express that interest at an early date: Armenian, Azerbaijani, Estonian, Georgian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Russian, or any of the Central Asian languages. For further information, contact W. A. James, CIES, 11 Dupont Circle, Washington, D.C.

WAR AND SOCIETY. For the two years 1982-3 and 1983-4 the subject of the Seminar of the Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies at Princeton University will be War and Society. The Seminar hopes to deal with the effects of preparations for war and of war itself upon all aspects of society. This will include theories of war; the culture of war, such as codes of war, military values and military education; military organization, military technology, and their consequences; the effects of military preparations upon governmental and administrative institutions, fiscal policy, economic development, social organization, and mobilization of resources; the results of war in terms of material destruction, human losses, psychological attitudes (xenophobia or peace movements and special pressure groups --veterans organizations--); the long-term and short-term economic benefits of war; and finally the historiography of war.

The Seminar is not interested in the tactics or strategy of war itself.

The Center will offer a limited number of Research Fellowships for one or two semesters, running from September to January and from February to June, designed for highly recommended younger scholars, as well as for senior scholars with established reputations. Candidates who have not both finished their dissertations and had at least a year of full-time teaching experience thereafter are not eligible. Fellows are expected to live in Princeton in order to take an active part in the intellectual interchange with other members of the Seminar. Funds are very limited, and candidates are, therefore, strongly urged to apply to other grant-giving institutions as well as the Center.

Inquiries and requests for Fellowship Application Forms should be addressed to the Secretary, Davis Center for Historical Studies, 129 Dickinson Hall, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ 08544. The deadline for fellowship applications and letters of recommendation for 1982-83 is December 1, 1981, and for 1983-84 is December 1, 1982. Scholars who are not applicants for Fellowships but would like to visit Princeton to offer a paper to the Seminar are asked to write to the Director.

INTER-AMERICAN FOUNDATION MASTERS FELLOWSHIPS. Each year the Inter-American Foundation (IAF) awards approximately 20 fellowships to masters students to conduct field research in Latin America and the Caribbean. Through this and other fellowship programs, the Foundation is seeking to encourage increased professional and scholarly attention to developmental issues affecting poor and disadvantaged groups in the region.

The fellowship program is open to master's degree candidates in professional schools and academic programs at U.S. universities. All applicants are required to speak and write the language of the country in which they intend to do their research. Preference is given to candidates whose background and proposed research are multidisciplinary.

Application forms, help in contacting campus committees, and further information about selection procedures can be obtained either by phoning Elizabeth Veatch at 703-841-3864 or by writing to: Masters Fellowships, Inter-American Foundation, 1515 Wilson Boulevard, Rosslyn, VA 22209.

## EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

As I prepare this second and last annual report which will come from the Secretariat in Urbana, I believe LASA's record of achievements in 1980 to be a good one. It was a year which was highlighted by our association's continued economic stability, as noted in the financial report which follows, and one in which our membership and national meeting attendance continued to expand. The location of new homes for the Secretariat and for the Latin American Research Review was carried out by the Executive Council, guaranteeing an orderly continuation of the administration of LASA and of the publication of LARR.

1980 was the first year in which the reorganization of LASA's committee structure, which now consists largely of task forces concentrating on specific topics or problems, has begun to make an impact. While most of these committees, task forces, and planning groups did not meet formally before the Bloomington national meeting, a number of them made special preparations for that meeting. This was also the first time which LASA and a regional association, the Midwestern Association of Latin American Studies (MALAS), were full partners in the planning and staging of a national meeting. It was also the first year during which CLASP undertook responsibility for the activities of three former LASA committees (Scholarly Resources, Teaching and Outreach, and the Profession), and began to mobilize institutional as well as individual concerns for Latin American studies through their work. It is through these various LASA and CLASP task forces, planning groups, and committees that the work of the association and its influence on Latin American studies at all levels will be most effectively carried out. While this was a year in which many beginnings were made, I should like to note a number of our specific accomplishments.

The association's financial position is relatively strong, and it has improved somewhat over the previous year. The combined LASA and CLASP investments of \$94,466.15 gave us total assets which were seven per cent higher for fiscal year 1980 than in 1979. However, LASA's total liabilities and fund balance of \$94,466.15 were higher in 1980 by some seven per cent. The very small deficit of \$28.21 of revenues over expenses indicates that we are living within our means. An increase of \$10,000 in revenues over the anticipated budgeted amount was due primarily to an increase in membership, increased income from the national meeting, and higher interest received on our investments. The budget approved by the Executive Council in Bloomington for October 1, 1981 to September 30, 1982 is a conservative one, and we hope that the increasing inflation does not result in a greater depletion of our resources or a reduction in our modest investments. The extension of the Ford II and III grants until September, 1983 obtained by the Council will be especially helpful in maintaining some projects on a modest scale as other funding alternatives are investigated for the future. Finally, it should be recognized that once again the salaries and facilities of the Secretariat will be fully funded when the Secretariat moves to the University of Texas, Austin in June, 1981. This follows the pattern of support the association enjoyed while the Secretariat was housed at the Library of Congress, the University of Florida, and the University of Illinois. To my knowledge, LASA is the only area studies association which enjoys such support, and our future planning should take into consideration the possible diminishing of this level of subsidy.

Membership in LASA rose by seven per cent and in CLASP by nineteen per cent over last year, continuing a pattern we have enjoyed for several years. The final membership count for LASA was 2,324 and for CLASP it was 122. The Secretariat, LASA officers, regional associations, the Regional Liaison Committee, CLASP institutional representatives, and other individuals have all contributed to this increase. Since membership generally increases in the year in which LASA has a national meeting, the increases in 1979, when we met in Pittsburgh, and in 1980, when we met in Bloomington, may be difficult to match in 1981, a year in which there will be no LASA national meeting. The Secretariat placed heavy emphasis on increasing membership in 1980 and has laid plans to continue this activity as a heavy priority into 1981. While an increase in dues was necessary in 1980, this seems to have been accepted and understood by LASA members, and there are no apparent adverse effects on our 1981 membership as of the writing of this report. A new category of membership for junior college and secondary school teachers was established by the Council at Bloomington in recognition of important new areas and needs which the association can help to service.

Two very important Executive Council decisions in 1980 were the acceptance of the bid from the University of Texas at Austin to house and staff the Secretariat and the acceptance of the bid from the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque to house and staff the Latin American Research Review. The move to Texas should be most beneficial, since the period will be for five years, instead of the customary three years, and with a Secretariat staff which promises to be larger than we have enjoyed in the past. While the University of Illinois was prepared to continue its support for the LASA Secretariat for another two years, the five-year bid we all hoped would be possible has been realized with the University of Texas. We wish the new Executive Director, Professor Richard Sinkin, and his yet to be named staff every success.

While the securing of a new home for the Secretariat was a major undertaking and accomplishment, the selection of New Mexico as the new home for the Latin American Research Review was equally significant. We particularly were fortunate to have excellent bids from the University of Florida and the University of New Mexico and a very fine joint bid from Hunter College and City College of New York. The fact that three five-year bids were received is a tribute to the fine scholarly reputation LARR enjoys and a compliment to the LARR staff and to its present and past editors at Chapel Hill who have managed it so well. Professor Gilbert Merckx will be the new editor when the move is made to Albuquerque in July, 1982.

LASA continued its Washington presence primarily through its representation by Dr. Johanna Mendelson and others associated with the Washington Office Operations Committee. Dr. Mendelson was exceedingly generous with her advice and perceptions of events in Washington, and she steered us whenever possible along the best possible course in our dealings with members of Congress and of the federal bureaucracy with an interest in Latin American studies. She was an important link for us with persons like Paul Simon and Timothy Wirth, just several of the congressmen who were dedicated to improved funding for international studies, and she was an eloquent and effective spokesperson for our needs on a number of special occasions. Her reports and views published in several articles in the LASA Newsletter were instructive and useful. Professor Riordan Roett, Chairperson of the Washington Office Operations Committee, was appointed by the Executive Director of the National Council on Foreign Language and International Studies to chair the National Targets Panel for Latin America. His panel is part of the larger National Targets Project, which was designed to search for effective answers to fundamental questions regarding the importance of foreign language and international studies to the national interest.

Under the new committee structure, some concrete projects are underway. The Task Force on Academic Freedom and Human Rights, chaired by Professor Michael Fleet, Marquette University, prepared a statement on the violations of academic freedom and human rights in El Salvador which was distributed to members of the Junta, the Archbishop of El Salvador, the United States Ambassador to El Salvador, high officials of the State Department, and members of the U.S. House and Senate Foreign Relations Committee. A favorable reaction on the part of some members of Congress encouraged our members to accept and approve distribution of a new report of the Task Force which was presented at the LASA Business Meeting in Bloomington. Additionally, two resolutions which related to academic freedom and human rights were approved for a mail ballot to the membership and appeared in the December Newsletter. Finally, work on the human rights bibliography, a joint project of the task force with the Hispanic Division of the Library of Congress, neared completion. This important work is projected to be published by the Library of Congress in 1981.

The Task Force on International Scholarly Relations--U.S./USSR, under the chairmanship of Professor Cole Blaiser of the University of Pittsburgh, met in Pittsburgh with a Soviet delegation and planned for two conferences, one to be held in Moscow in 1981 and another in the United States in 1982, on mutual interests of U.S. and Soviet scholars in Latin American studies. The former Committee on Women was reinstated as a task force, and the Planning Group on Latin American Studies in Latin America, under the chairmanship of Professor John Hunter, Michigan State University, met with OAS personnel in Washington and drafted a report suggesting some lines of activity. In connection with that group's work, Professor William Glade, University of Texas, Austin, attended a meeting of the Sociedad Latinoamericana de Estudios Latinoamericanos y del Caribe in Caracas as LASA's

representative. The contacts made there have stirred an interest in the formation of a Federación Internacional de Estudios sobre América y el Caribe, a project in which Professor Carmelo Mesa-Lago has been designated as LASA's participant. The Task Force on International Scholarly Relations--U.S./Cuba continued its efforts to maintain closer relations with Cuban scholars, and a proposal prepared by LASA's President, Professor Carmelo Mesa-Lago, in consultation with the Committee was submitted to the Ford Foundation. CLASP committees, also formed at Pittsburgh, have drawn up agendas and the Committee on Teaching and Outreach is compiling an inventory of non-print materials on Latin America which could be made available to specialists at cost or on a loan basis. LASA and CLASP additionally cooperated on two publications in the CLASP publications series. Doctoral Dissertations on Latin America and the Caribbean: An analysis and bibliography of dissertations accepted at American and Canadian universities, 1966-1970, prepared by Professor Nelly Gonzalez, University of Illinois, covers the gap in the dissertation record in an ongoing project which was originally begun some years ago by the LASA Committee on Scholarly Resources. CLASP Publication No. 11, Latin American Studies in the 1980's: Establishing LASA Priorities and Policies, by Professor Carmelo Mesa-Lago, was published as an important position paper of the President and the LASA Executive Council on priorities and directions LASA should follow in the 1980's. Distributed to each LASA member, it was intended to raise the consciousness and knowledge of our membership on the current status and future priorities of Latin American studies.

The Task Force on Hispanic Communities, chaired by Professor Oscar Martínez of the University of Texas, El Paso, has been working with Professor David Maciel of the University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, and the Secretariat on a Directory of Hispanic American Latin Americanists, scheduled for publication in 1981. The publication should have many uses and terminates an ICA grant which funded a meeting earlier in Austin, Texas at which this project was recommended.

A second directory project, the updating of the National Directory of Latin Americanists, was well under way by the end of 1980. Funding from the Tinker Foundation, the Organization of American States, and the Library of Congress has been assured, and the final publication is scheduled for 1983. Dr. William Carter, Director of the Hispanic Division of the Library of Congress, planned and successfully steered the project through the various proposal stages. Tied to the National Directory project is the LASA membership data base. More than 1400 questionnaires from LASA members were collected by the Secretariat in 1980, and they, along with others received in 1981, will be shared with the Library of Congress National Directory project. Additionally, they will also serve as an informational source for a LASA data base and membership list to be further developed after LASA moves to Austin.

The CLASP annual report in the December 1980 Newsletter which was prepared by Professor Giles Wayland-Smith of Allegheny College, reflects the closer ties that have been developed between CLASP and LASA. Prominent among CLASP activities has been the workshop program which has provided modest seed grants to CLASP members. Five programs were funded in 1980, three of which were associated with regional meetings. The workshop on EMPLOYMENT PROSPECTS AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR LATIN AMERICANISTS, was organized by Dr. Johanna Mendelson for the Bloomington meeting, and another was coordinated by Professors Carl A. Ross and Allen Wells of Appalachian State University for the annual meeting of the South Eastern Council of Latin American Studies on INCORPORATING LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES INTO UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULA. The third regional workshop which was proposed by Dr. Constance Carter, Chairperson of the Inter-American Council, was conducted as part of the annual spring seminar of the IAC in Washington, D.C., and focussed on Central America. Of the remaining two workshops, one entitled MAINLAND LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN COMMUNITIES IN EASTERN UNITED STATES: MULTIPLE PERSPECTIVES was held under the direction of Professor Vera Green at Rutgers University and the fifth, which was proposed by Dr. Judith Elkin, brought together faculty from the Great Lakes Colleges Association to Dennison College for a conference on the teaching of Latin American studies on small campuses. All workshops received funding from the LASA Ford grants.

The national meeting, which along with the publication of LARR is the association's most compelling reason to exist, was held in Bloomington, Indiana on October 15-17, 1980. Slightly larger than the 1979 Pittsburgh meeting, it attracted more than 770 registrants. There were more book exhibitors than at any past meeting, and for the first time LASA



was involved in the security of foreign guests, a fact that was made obvious by the presence of members of the Secret Service at the evening plenary session on Nicaragua. The accommodating of so many members on a campus in a small city could not have been handled more efficiently. The Indiana University Conference Bureau, the Local Arrangements Committee in Bloomington, Indiana University administrators, faculty, and staff members, and the LASA Program Committee worked together to make our members as comfortable as possible. It was the high tourist season in Bloomington for the fall foliage for which that part of Indiana is famous, and as special recognition of our welcome to their campus, the Indiana University Symphony orchestra prepared a special program featuring Latin American composers.

While these are the highlights of our year, it is proper to close this report with full recognition of the splendid support LASA has received from Dr. Susan Flynn, LASA's Associate Director, and Mrs. Norene McGhiey, LASA's dedicated secretary. Moreover, the association is grateful to the Tinker Foundation, the Ford Foundation, the Organization of American States, the International Communications Agency, the Lilly Endowment, the Library of Congress, and Indiana University for their generous support of LASA projects and the national meeting, and to the University of Illinois and the University of North Carolina for their continued support of the activities of the Secretariat and the Latin American Research Review.

CARIBBEAN REVIEW PUBLISHES SPECIAL ISSUE DEDICATED TO  
NICARAGUA AND HER NEIGHBORS

Under the special editorship of Mark B. Rosenberg, Caribbean Review has published its third special issue. The theme of the issue is Nicaragua and Her Neighbors. Within its covers, one finds analyses of the course of the Sandinista Revolution, the Nicaraguan literacy campaign, Sandinista-Indian relations, the poetry of the new Nicaraguan leaders. The alternatives before El Salvador, the future of Honduras, and the problems facing Costa Rica are all traced in function of changes in Nicaragua.

Contributors to this number include: Richard Millet, Daniel Oduber, Stephen Gorman, Elonor Blum, Richard N. Adams, Aaron Segal, Robert White, Guillermo Urigo, Luis Escalante-Arce, James A. Morris, Samuel Stone, Ralph Lee Woodward, Jr., and Ricardo Pau-Llosa.

The special volume is available at \$3.00 (a one-year subscription is \$12) from Caribbean Review, Florida International University, Miami, FL 33199.

Further special issues planned by Caribbean Review include volumes dedicated to "The Caribbean and Latin Invasion of America" and "The New American Attitude Toward Latin America and the Caribbean."



FINANCIAL REPORT

Results of the Fiscal Year 1980. The combined balance sheet and combined statement of revenues and expenses for LASA which are included in this issue of the Newsletter have been prepared with information extracted and condensed from the annual audit report. Copies of the audited financial statements are available for review from the Secretariat.

LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES ASSOCIATION

Combined Balance Sheet  
September 30, 1980

ASSETS

	<u>LASA</u>	<u>CLASP</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>Current Assets:</u>			
Cash & Investments	\$76,466.85	\$12,228.10	\$88,694.95
Grants Receivable--OAS			
Human Rights Bibliography	3,863.79	-0-	3,863.79
Other Assets	1,843.90	63.51	1,907.41
Total Assets	<u>\$82,174.54</u>	<u>\$12,291.61</u>	<u>\$94,466.15</u>

LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCE

<u>Current Liabilities</u>	\$15,178.93	-0-	\$15,178.93
<u>Unearned Revenues</u>	26,399.03	-0-	26,399.03
<u>Fund Balance</u>	40,596.58	\$12,291.61	52,888.19
Total Liabilities & Fund Balance	<u>\$82,174.54</u>	<u>\$12,291.61</u>	<u>\$94,466.15</u>

Combined Statement of Revenues and Expenses  
For the Year Ended September 30, 1980

	<u>LASA</u>	<u>CLASP</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>Revenues:</u>			
Operating Fund	\$ 58,710.08	\$8,137.51	\$ 66,847.59
9th National Meeting			
Travel Grants	35,012.00		35,012.00
Earned Portions of Grants	20,927.86		20,927.86
Total Revenues	<u>\$114,649.94</u>	<u>\$8,137.51</u>	<u>\$122,787.45</u>
<u>Expenses:</u>			
Operating Fund	59,803.97	8,017.83	67,821.80
9th National Meeting	35,012.00		35,012.00
Travel Grants			
Grant Projects	19,981.86		19,981.86
Total Expenses	<u>\$114,797.83</u>	<u>\$8,017.83</u>	<u>\$122,815.66</u>
Excess (Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	<u>\$ (147.89)</u>	<u>\$ 119.68</u>	<u>\$ (28.21)</u>

B. Budget for Fiscal Year 1981. This information is provided from the budget approved by the Executive Council on October 16, 1980.

I. OPERATING BUDGET - FY 1981 - RECEIPTS

<u>Regular Funds</u>		<u>Totals</u>
CLASP Shares	\$ 3,025	
1981 Dues	41,000	
Sale of Publications	650	
LARR Lists, Labels	2,300	
Interest	6,000	
Miscellany	<u>500</u>	
Subtotal I		\$53,475
1980 Dues	250	
1982 Dues	<u>50</u>	
Subtotal II		\$ 300
<u>Special Grants</u>		
Academic Freedom/OAS	5,000	\$ 5,000
<u>Grants for 9th National Meeting</u> (Bloomington)		
Lilly Foundation	6,800	
Indiana University (est.)	<u>3,000</u>	
Subtotal III		\$ 9,800
<u>Receipts from 9th National Meeting</u> (Bloomington)		
Registration	5,000	
Ads	3,200	
Exhibits	2,970	
Other	<u>2,950</u>	
Subtotal IV		\$14,120
<u>Other</u>		
Owed to CLASP	<u>75</u>	\$ 75
GRAND TOTAL - RECEIPTS		<u>\$82,770</u>

II. OPERATING BUDGET - FY 1981 - EXPENDITURES

<u>Office Expenses</u>	<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Postage Meter	\$ 325	
Telephone	1,500	
Postage and Newsletter Postage	2,750	
Office Supplies	500	
Office Printing	1,500	
Xeroxing	650	
Extra Help	500	
Summer Help	<u>500</u>	
Subtotal I		\$ 8,225
<u>Financial Operations</u>		
Accountant Fees	1,750	
Bank Charges	50	
Refunds	<u>75</u>	
Subtotal II		\$ 1,875

<u>Printing and Publications</u>	<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Newsletter and Other	\$ 6,500	
Fact Sheets	600	
Handbook (HLAS)	50	
Subtotal III		\$ 7,150
<u>LARR</u>		
LARR Labels	2,300	
LARR Shares	17,250	
LARR List Maintenance	650	
Subtotal IV		\$20,200
<u>Travel</u>		
President	1,000	
Executive Director	1,250	
Executive Council	2,500	
Subtotal V		\$ 4,750
<u>Elections</u>		
Nominating Committee	250	\$ 250
<u>9th National Meeting (Bloomington)</u>		
1980 Program Committee	2,000	
Telephone	200	
Postage	200	
Xeroxing	300	
Secretarial/Office	500	
Accountant Fees	300	
Publications	1,000	
Miscellany (Meeting Costs)	3,000	
Subtotal VI		\$ 7,500
<u>Membership List and Inventory</u>		
Data Compilation	1,500	
Maintenance	500	
Publication	1,000	
Circulation	1,000	
Subtotal VII		\$ 4,000
<u>10th National Meeting (Washington)</u>		
1982 Program Committee	2,000	
Telephone	1,200	
Postage	500	
Xeroxing	200	
Miscellany	100	
Subtotal VIII		\$ 4,000
<u>11th National Meeting (Mexico)</u>		
1983 Program Committee	1,000	
Telephone	200	
Postage	100	
Xeroxing	50	
Subtotal IX		\$ 1,350
<u>Contingency</u>		
Miscellaneous Costs	\$ 5,000*	\$ 5,000

\* Includes special allocation for Secretariat.

<u>Ford II and III Expenditures</u>	<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Task Forces and Committees	\$ 3,500	
Regional Liaison Committee	500	
Publication and Dissemination of Presidential Report	1,000	
Washington Operations Committee	<u>2,000</u>	
Subtotal X		\$ <u>7,000</u>
 GRAND TOTAL - EXPENDITURES		 <u>\$71,300</u>

## EMPLOYMENT

### LASA PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL REGISTRY

Individuals seeking employment who are members of LASA may join the Registry at any time upon payment of a \$2.50 service charge for listing in one issue. Those wishing their listing to run for more than one issue pay \$2.50 for each appearance requested. There is no charge for CLASP institutions wishing to publish notices of vacancies, and a \$20 charge for non-CLASP institutions. Individuals should submit pertinent educational, professional, and personal background information, as well as a statement on the type of position being sought, location desired, and date available. Vita supplied for the Registry's information will remain confidential, to be used only as a source for the listing description. Please do not send in other materials, such as pictures of copies of recommendations, as the Secretariat is unable to transmit dossiers. Institutions are asked to submit details about fields of specialization required, rank or title of position, course or job description, approximate salary range, deadline for application, and other information that would be helpful to persons seeking employment. The number of issues in which the item is to appear should be indicated. All U.S. institutions listed must be Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity employers. If you are interested in a vacancy listed, please respond directly to the institution named. Letters from prospective employers in response to listings with code numbers should be individually addressed to the code number and sent to the Secretariat for forwarding to the person concerned. Address to the Code Number, c/o LASA Secretariat, 911 W. High Street, Urbana, IL 61801.

### VACANCIES REPORTED

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND BALTIMORE COUNTY, Catonsville, MD 21228. Opening for Assistant Professor (tenure-track) or Associate Professor (visiting). PhD or ABD in Latin American Studies or related discipline (social science preferred). To teach:  
 (1) topics in Latin American history, politics, society (in English and Spanish);  
 (2) Spanish language courses (native proficiency preferred, experience not required);  
 (3) to assist in teaching a lecture course on world language communities (no experience necessary). Send curriculum vitae by April 3 to Prof. Robert Sloane, Department of Modern Languages, UMBC, Catonsville, MD 21228 (301-455-2109). We are an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK, New York, NY 10021. Assistant Professors (2) in the Department of Puerto Rican Studies. Duties: Position 1: Teach courses on Puerto Rican literature and culture. Position 2: Teach courses on the Puerto Rican government, community, political parties, family, and social, economic, and political development. Qualifications: Position 1: Specialization in Puerto Rican and Latin American

literature and culture. Position 2: Specialization in anthropology, sociology, or political science; knowledge of the Puerto Rican community on the island and the mainland. For both positions, minimum requirements for professorial rank are Doctorate and a commitment to teaching and research. The candidates should be bilingual, Spanish and English. College teaching experience preferred. Salary: \$17,985 - \$29,467. Appointment date is September 1, 1981. Send resume to Prof. Ceferino Carrasquillo, Dept. of Puerto Rican Studies, Herbert H. Lehman College/CUNY, Bronx, NY 10468.

#### CANDIDATE AVAILABLE

ECONOMICS. Recent PhD more than 4 years experience as professor and administrator in Brazilian universities. Fluent Portuguese and reading ability in Spanish seeks position in Economics Department with Latin American interest or Latin American Studies Program. Theory, Development, Technology, Quantitative Methods. 1981. Any location. Contact M-1, LASA Secretariat Placement Service, 911 W. High, Urbana, IL 61801.

#### **INSTITUTIONAL NEWS**

THE WASHINGTON CENTER FOR LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES of the Consortium of Universities of the Washington Metropolitan Area, with the assistance of the Department of Cultural Affairs of the Organization of American States, is establishing a student exchange program with the University of Belgrano in Buenos Aires, Argentina. They expect that 15 students (graduate and undergraduate) from the six consortium universities will participate in this special educational program focusing on the Southern Cone and Brazil in June and July of 1981.

TWO NEW LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES COURSES have been developed by professors associated with the LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN CENTER OF FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY. William Vickers, an anthropologist, has developed a course on Comparative American Cultures which divides the people of Latin America into five cultural and subcultural classifications and topics: Tribal Indians, Peasants, Town Life and Local Elites, Rural and Urban Proletarians and National Elites and International Influences. The substantive material analyzed during the course consists of five significant ethnological works with each representing the cultural or subcultural types described above.

John Jensen, a sociolinguist, has developed a course on Hispanic American Sociolinguistics. Following a general introduction, the course addresses the three major dimensions of language variation as they occur in Latin America: regional variation or dialectology; social stratification and language variation, including the "ecology of the language" and style or regional variation. Sociolinguistics problems common to Latin America are also examined: bilingualism, and the diversity and unity of the national languages of Latin America.

Copies of both syllabi can be obtained by writing to LACC, Florida International University, Miami, FL 33199.

**LASA TENTH NATIONAL MEETING, WASHINGTON, D.C., APRIL 14-17, 1982**

## CONFERENCES

FEBRUARY 26-28, 1981, NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FOREIGN LANGUAGE AND INTERNATIONAL STUDIES, Baltimore, MD. The conference presented the results of the Association of American Colleges' Select Assembly deliberations held at the Wingspread Conference Center in Racine, WI, October 30-November 1. The Wingspread Conference brought together leaders in higher education, business, and government to discuss the report of the President's Commission on Foreign Language and International Studies, and to explore ways in which to strengthen weaknesses in current academic programs in these areas.

In addition to the Wingspread Conference report, the AAC is also providing the following background papers: New Developments since the Perkins Report and the General Funding Environment, including Potential Resources both Federal and Corporate, by Sven Groennings; Curriculum Development and Institutional Purposes: (1) Language and Linguistics, by R. Brod and P. Eddy, (2) International Studies, by JE Harf, and (3) Inter-Institutional Cooperation, by WW Prange; Faculty Development -- Changing Faculty Attitudes, by G. Stern; and Ethnic Studies and Implications for Foreign Language and International Studies in Bi-lingual and Intercultural Education and Post-Secondary Continuing Education by C. Cortez.

The INTERNATIONAL STUDIES ASSOCIATION held its 22nd Annual Convention in Philadelphia on March 18-21, 1981. The convention program, entitled "Integration and Fragmentation in a Global System," comprised some 200 panels and presentations on topics of significance to global events and American national security.

THE 7th ANNUAL SIETAR (SOCIETY FOR INTERCULTURAL EDUCATION, TRAINING AND RESEARCH) CONFERENCE was held in Vancouver on March 11-15, 1981. The theme of the conference was "Understanding People and Ideas: Approaches to Effective Intercultural Interaction."

THE 5th ANNUAL SEMINAR ON FOREIGN AREA STUDIES was held at Columbia University on February 26-27, 1981. Panels included: Language Programs: A Reassessment; New Literary Continents; "Area Studies", the Concept Reexamined; Innovations in Language Teaching; and Multicultural Translation.

THE MULTICULTURAL PROGRAM OF EASTERN NEW MEXICO UNIVERSITY sponsored the 4th CULTURAL ENCOUNTER NEW MEXICO-CHIHUAHUA on November 7, 1980. 20 Mexican professionals were joined by participants from various parts of New Mexico. The conference featured tours of paleo-Indian archaeological sites in addition to formal presentations centering upon death in Mexican and New Mexican culture. Mr. Max Roybal, a santero and member of the NM Arts Commission, discussed "Death and Healing in Hispanic New Mexican Culture" with a comparative commentary on Pueblo Indian Culture by Mr. Joe Aragon from Acoma pueblo. Arq. Felipe Colomo Castro of the Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey, gave a presentation on the "Mexican 'Day of the Dead'". The entire conference was videotaped and a one-hour edited version is available from Gerald Theisen, Director, Multicultural Program, Station 25, Eastern New Mexico University, Portales, NM 88130.

THE GREAT LAKES COLLEGES ASSOCIATION held a conference on "The Church and Social Change" on the campus of Kenyon College in Gambier, OH on March 27-29, 1981. The speakers included the Chilean professor of theology, Joel Gajardo, the Maryknoll missionary, Roy Bourgeois, and Penny Lernoux, journalist and author of Cry of the People.

## FORTHCOMING CONFERENCES

THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN will host a conference on Afro-American Studies and a conference on the Middle East and American Interest, in the Spring of 1981. For further information, write Roberto Esquenazi-Mayo, Director, Institute for International Studies, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NB 68588.

The Latin American and Caribbean Center of Florida International University and the Center for Latin American Studies of the University of Florida are co-sponsoring a CONFERENCE ON MARITIME ISSUES IN THE CARIBBEAN at FIU on April 13, 1981. This one-day symposium will examine two components of Caribbean Maritime issues: politics and law and fisheries. For further information, contact Dr. Farrokh Jhabvala, Conference Chair, LACC, Florida International University, Miami, FL 33199.

The 24th meeting of the AFRICAN STUDIES ASSOCIATION will be held at Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana, on October 21-24, 1981. The theme of the conference will be the AFRICAN HUMANITIES, although there will be many panels on other subjects. The Program Director for the meetings is Ivan Karp, Program in African Studies, Woodburn Hall, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 47405. Papers and panel proposals should be sent along with typed abstracts as early as possible for full consideration. The deadline for submission of proposals and abstracts is April 15, 1981.

The Institute of Latin American Studies at the University of Texas in Austin will sponsor a STUDENT CONFERENCE ON LATIN AMERICA on April 3-4, 1981, on the University of Texas campus. Both undergraduate and graduate students will be presenting papers and serving as discussants. Examples of the broad range of topics include political economy of Mexico's external public debt, tourism in Mexico in the 1970's and U.S. foreign policy for Latin America. For information contact Dr. Robert Brody or Dr. Henry Dietz, ILAS, University of Texas, Austin, TX 78712 (512-471-5551).

An executive seminar on THE ANALYSIS OF COUNTRY RISKS IN LATIN AMERICA will be held by the International Banking Center of Florida International University on March 24-26, 1981 at FIU. The seminar is being conducted by Jorge del Canto, former director of the IMF and George Sutija, Associate Director of the International Banking Center.

The 44th INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF AMERICANISTS will meet September 5-10, 1981 at Manchester University in Manchester, England. The 100 year-old Congress meets every three years alternately in Europe and the Americas and focuses mainly on the humanities and social sciences. Interested persons should write to 44th International Conference of Americanists, University of Manchester, Manchester M13 9PL, England.

The 22nd ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MIDWEST ASSOCIATION FOR LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES (MALAS) will take place on October 1-3, 1981, in Athens, Ohio, on the campus of Ohio University. The theme will be "The U.S. Role in Latin America: Contribution or Impediment?" Panel topics and chairpersons selected thus far are: 1) Bilingualism and Minority Languages: Language Policy in the U.S. and Latin America (William Klemme, coordinator); 2) The U.S. Role in Dependency/Development in Latin America (George Blanksten, coordinator); 3) Historical Roots of the U.S.-Latin American Relationship: Country Studies (Carl Ross, coordinator); 4) U.S. Relations with Recent Military Regimes (Robert Oppenheimer, coordinator); 5) The Impact of the International Mass Media on Latin American Literature (Kent Mecum, coordinator); 6) Images of the United States in Northern Mexican Folklore (chairperson to be selected).

Ideas and additional panels or plenary sessions should be directed to the Program chairpersons. For folklore, literature, and linguistics, contact Manuel Serna Maytorena, Modern Languages (614-594-6320). For subjects in other disciplines, communicate with Thomas Walker, Political Science (614-594-5495). Both are at Ohio University, Athens, Ohio 45701.

## FILM

A FILM DOCUMENTARY called MARIACHI MASS has been produced at Trinity University's Border Research Institute. The 28 minute, color production is available for rental (\$30 for one showing) or purchase (\$150 for 3/4" videocassette or \$250 for 16 mm film). The documentary presents how Mexan Americans have incorporated into the Church their roots and values stemming from their Indian heritage in Mexico. This mass, the Guadalupana Mass, pays homage to the Lady of Guadalupe with Mariachi music, festivals and Aztec dancing. Commentators discuss throughout the film the meaning of this Mass as a reflection of ethnic emergence and awareness in the Church and in society. For more information, write Border Research Institute, Box 207, Trinity University, San Antonio, TX 78284, or call Guy Poitras at 512/736-8318.

SLIDE/TAPE SHOWS. CENTRAL AMERICA: ROOTS OF THE CRISIS. An informative and challenging new slide show presenting the history, economics and politics of struggles for self-determination in Central America; looks critically at US policies. 133 slides, 25-minute tape, script, background materials. \$50. 1981.

Other slide shows available are Chile: Four Women's Stories (130 slides, 25-min. tape, \$50. 1980), Vieques, A Puerto Rican Island (80 slides, 25-minute tape, \$40. 1979), Guatemala Earthquake: Agony and After (130 slides, 30-minute tape, \$50. 1979) and Guatemala: A People Beseiged (160 slides, 28-minute tape, \$55. 1978). These are all available from the American Friends Service Committee, Latin American Program, 1501 Cherry Street, Philadelphia, PA 19102.

## STUDY ABROAD AND SUMMER PROGRAMS

PORFIRIAN MEXICO: A GRADUATE SEMINAR ON MEXICO BEFORE THE REVOLUTION will be held in Mexico City, June 1-26, 1981. The session will draw heavily upon unique local resources: The Porfirio Díaz Archive and other libraries, museums and achives of Mexico City. Students will also have opportunities to visit many sites important during the revolution. The instructor, Richard E. Greenleaf, is Professor of History and Director of the Center for Latin American Studies at Tulane University. For over twenty years he has directed graduate research on the Porfirian Epoch. For information and application, contact Dr. Richard Greenleaf, Center for Latin American Studies, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA 70118 (504-865-6186). The fees for the 4-week program are: Tuition \$500, Room and Board \$260, Transportation from New Orleans \$175. The deadline for application is May 1.

TRAVEL AND STUDY IN MEXICO, June 14 - July 27, 1981. Earn 9 hours of grad/undergraduate credit in English and Humanities. Courses offered: Man in 20th Century Mexico, Naturalism in American Literature, and The Fantastic in Literature. For information, contact Marshall Tymn, Department of English, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI 48197 (313-487-0155).

CULTURAL AND PHYSICAL REALMS IN THE CARIBBEAN, May 29 - June 14, 1981 is the title of a field trip offered by The University of Miami in cooperation with Copeland Cutler Travel Intercollegiate Sailing Club. The northern section of the Lesser Antilles lies astride the main shipping lanes that have historically penetrated the Caribbean from Europe since the early 16th century. Students participating in this program will visit 8 of the more scenic and interesting islands (St. Thomas and St. John, Tortola and Virgin Gorda, St. Martin, Anguilla and St. Christopher, and St. Barthelemy. Three semester hours of credit will be granted by the University of Miami in Geographic Problems of Latin America, or Economic Problems of Latin America. Dr. Thomas Boswell, the instructor, is an Associate Professor of Geography at the University of Miami. For information, contact Summer Sessions Office, University of Miami, PO Box 248005, Coral Gables, FL 33124 (305-284-3933).



THE 15th ANNUAL SPANISH LANGUAGE AND LATIN AMERICAN CULTURE PROGRAM will conduct two summer sessions (June 15-July 12 and July 20-August 16) in Colima, Mexico. Beginning, intermediate and advanced Spanish language classes are available for adults, college students who may receive 5 semester hours of credit for a session, and high school students, who may be eligible for college credit courses.

NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDY IN PERU. Beginning in February, 1981, students will be able to study and work in Lima, Peru. Based on the Colombia Program model, the Peru Program will offer clusters in the subject areas of: Latin American Anthropology and Archaeology; Latin American Sociology; Latin American History; Communications in the Developing World; Development Education in Latin America. Students will attend courses at the Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú and the Universidad de Lima internships in the public and private sectors will also be made available as well as opportunities for independent research. For information write the State University of New York at Stony Brook Study Abroad Office.

SUMMER STUDY IN THE CARIBBEAN. Study trips to the French, Hispanic and Commonwealth Caribbean will be offered again this summer by the Inter-American Institute of Puerto Rico. A trip to the French Caribbean is planned for July 9-29 and will include one week each in Martinique, Guadeloupe and Haiti. A trip to the Hispanic Caribbean is planned for the same period (July 9-29) and will include one week each in Puerto Rico, the Dominican Republic and Cuba. The Cuba trip can be taken separately. The Commonwealth Caribbean will be studied in a 3-week course which may be taken in either Antigua or Jamaica, August 6-26. In addition, the course, Comparative Caribbean Cultures, will be offered from July 16-August 6. All instruction (except for Advanced Spanish and when especially arranged) is in English. All courses may be taken for or without credit, at the graduate or undergraduate level. For information, contact Dr. Roland Perusse, Director, Penthouse G, Condominium El Monte North, Hato Rey, PR 00918.

#### PERSONAL

JAMES H. STREET (Rutgers University) presented a paper on "Political Intervention and Science in Latin America" at the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in Toronto on January 2, 1981. The paper will be published in the February 1981 issue of The Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists. Street has been elected vice president of the Association for Evolutionary Economics.

JORGE BALAN of the Centro de Estudios de Estado y Sociedad in Buenos Aires has been appointed an Edward Laroque Tinker Visiting Professor in Latin American Studies for the Fall semester of 1981 at the University of Texas-Austin.

SCHOLARS INTERESTED IN OBTAINING RESEARCH MATERIALS ON CUBAN AND HAITIAN INFLUXES, both domestic and international aspects, may contact Mario Rivera at the Cuban-Haitian Task Force, 1133 15th Street, NW, Suite 400, Washington, DC 20005 (800-424-2904).

ROBIN J. GRIFFITH-JONES, Department of Geography, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY 13210 (315-423-2605 x 2606) would like to contact people working on agribusiness.

HOWARD J. WIARDA, Professor of Political Science at the University of Massachusetts, has been reappointed for a second year to his research position at the Harvard University Center for International Affairs. At the Center, Wiarda is conducting research on Latin America, Southern Europe, and United States foreign policy; chairing a faculty seminar entitled "Future Direction in Comparative Politics"; and completing a number of editing and writing projects. His book in Corporatism and National Development in Latin America will be published in 1981. Wiarda is the editor of Polity, the journal of the North-eastern Political Science Association.

CHRISTINE UBER GROSSE, Ph.D. in Romance Languages from the University of North Carolina, has been appointed as Outreach/Program Coordinator in the Latin American and Caribbean Center of Florida International University. Dr. Grosse, who is fluent in both Spanish and Portuguese, recently completed her dissertation research on the Brazilian theatre.

GARY BRANA-SHUTE, Ph.D. in Anthropology from the University of Florida, is visiting assistant professor in the Department of Sociology/Anthropology of Florida International University. Dr. Brana-Shute is one of the country's leading experts on Suriname and has published a number of studies on that country and the Caribbean.

SIDNEY D. MARKMAN, Professor of Art History and Archaeology, Duke University, who will retire at the end of the current academic year, was appointed a member of the Comitato Scientifico: Symposium Internazionale sul Barroco Latino Americano sponsored by the Instituto Italo-Latino Americano in Rome which took place in April, 1980, and where he also have a paper titled "El espacio longitudinal y los frontispicios 'escenográficos-teatrales' de las iglesias de los pueblos de indios de Chiapas, Mexico." He is currently serving as member of the Board of Directors and of the Editorial Board of the Handbook of Latin American Art, in progress, funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities. In addition, his ms, Architecture and Urbanization in Colonial Chiapas, Mexico (1200 pp., 245 illustrations) is in press with the American Philosophical Society, Philadelphia, and is scheduled for publication in 1982. He is presently engaged in the preparation of a book dealing with the architecture and urbanization of colonial Guatemala, Honduras, El Salvador, Nicaragua and Costa Rica.

GERARD BEHAGUE, acting chairman of the University of Texas Music Department, is area editor for the Latin American section of The New Grove Dictionary of Music and Musicians, the English-speaking world's leading reference work on music. Current president of the Society of Ethnomusicology, Behague says the "New Grove" for the first time devotes 15-20 percent of its content to the ethnomusicology of Asia, Africa, Europe and the Americas.

JOANNE FOX PRZEWORSKI is currently examining voluntary associations of North American urban residents engaged in community development with a view to doing a comparative study of such self-help initiatives in Europe, North and Latin America. She would be pleased to hear from people to exchange ideas and research notes on this topic. 1234 East Madison Park, Chicago, IL 60615 (312-285-2135 evenings, 312-922-7950 days).

Dr. Przeworski's latest book, The Decline of the Copper Industry in Chile and the Entrance of North American Capital, 1870-1916, has just been published by Arno Press in their "Multinational Corps: Operations and Finance" series edited by Stuart Bruchey.

ERWIN H. EPSTEIN is President-elect of the Comparative and International Education Society/USA, and has been elected Chairman of the World Council of Comparative Education Societies -- consisting of the presidents of twelve national societies -- at a meeting in Japan in July, 1980. Prof. Epstein was a visiting professor at the Universidad de Monterrey last year. His most recent publication is "Revolutionary Politics and Indian Peasant Mobilization in the Peruvian Highlands," in J.A. Ross and A.B. Cottrell, The Mobilization of Collective Identity, University Press of America, 1980.

RICHARD D. WOODS' latest publication, Reference Materials on Latin America in English: The Humanities (Scarecrow Press, 1980) includes 1,252 annotated items covering all of the cultural areas of Latin America derived from Spain, Portugal and France, from 1492 to the present.

REBECCA SCOTT will publish "Chinese Contract Labor in Cuba," a review essay on Denise Helly's Idéologie et ethnicité. Les chinois Macao a Cuba: 1847-1886, in Revista Interamericana, Vol. IX, No. 2.

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