

ON LASA2010

## Session Highlights

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GERASSI-NAVARRO *continued...*

### • Great City

Toronto has become one of North America's most economically powerful, culturally vibrant, ethnically diverse, and eco-friendly cities. With 45 percent of its population born outside of Canada and a low crime rate, Toronto is now one of North America's safest and most cosmopolitan cities.

### • Professional Networking

LASA's International Congress is the largest meeting of Latin Americanists and Caribbeanists in the world, offering a rare chance to meet scholars interested in the region from a vast array of disciplines and professional backgrounds.

We have enjoyed working with LASA president John Coatsworth, the entire LASA Secretariat and Executive Council, the Track Chairs, Section Members, and the Toronto-based Local Arrangements Committee to organize this meeting. We hope to see you in Toronto! ■

## Wednesday

### Pre-Congress Workshop – Democracy, Economic Growth, and Equity after the Crisis

Organizer: Evelyne Huber, University of North Carolina and Robert R. Kaufman, Rutgers University/Columbia University

2:00 pm - 4:30 pm

### Pre-Congress Workshop – Latin American Independence, a Bicentennial Perspective

Organizer: John Chasteen, University of North Carolina

2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

### Pre-Congress Workshop – Recent Trends in Latin American Cinema

Organizer: Ernesto Livon-Grosman, Boston College and Ana M. López, Tulane University

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

### Pre-Congress Workshop – Exploring the Ins and Outs of Academic Publishing: An Insider's View

Organizer: Philip Oxhorn, McGill University and *Latin American Research Review*

4:30 pm - 7:30 pm

### Gender and Feminist Studies Section Meeting, LASA Homage to Helen Safa

Book Presentation: Women's Activism in Latin America and the Caribbean: Engendering Social Justice, Democratizing Citizenship, by Elizabeth Maier and Nathalie Lebon

6:30 pm

## Thursday

### Featured Event – Inequality: Forms of Legitimation and Conflict in Latin American Societies

Organizer: Alejandra González Celis

8:30 am - 10:15 am

### Presidential Session – Helping Haiti Transform Itself

Organizer: John Coatsworth

10:30 am - 12:15 pm

### Presidential Session – Canada in the Americas: Regulating Canadian Extractive Industries in the Hemisphere

Organizer: John Coatsworth

12:30 pm - 2:15 pm

### Featured Event – Canada's Strategy for the Americas

Organizer: Philip Oxhorn

2:30 pm - 4:15 pm

### Featured Event – Subnational Democratization: Latin America, the United States, Russia and India in Comparative Perspective

Organizer: Jacqueline Behrend

2:30 pm - 4:15 pm

### Featured Event – "Managed Migration:" A Comparison of Agricultural Contract Work in Canada, the United States, and Spain

Organizer: Judith Adler Hellman

4:30 pm - 6:15 pm

### Presidential Session – The Bicentennial of the Independence Movements In Latin America

Organizer: John Coatsworth

4:30 pm - 6:15 pm

### Cultural Dialogue I: America's Quarterly Magazine

Organizer: Javier Corrales and Chris Sabatini

6:30 pm - 8:15 pm followed by reception

### Presidential Session – Democrats, Billionaires and Drug Lords. Has Mexican Democracy Failed?

Organizer: John Coatsworth

6:30 pm - 8:15 pm

## Friday

### Featured Event – Obama and Latin America

Organizer: Sheryl Lutjens  
12:30 pm - 2:15 pm

### Featured Event – The Role of the Private Sector in Development: Lessons Learned.

RedEAmerica, a Hemispheric Initiative, and Case Studies in Brazil, Mexico, and Argentina  
Organizer: Amy Kirschenbaum  
12:30 pm - 2:15 pm

### Presidential Session – The Centennial of the Mexican Revolution

Organizer: John Coatsworth  
2:30 pm - 4:15 pm

### Presidential Session – The Crisis and its Aftermath

Organizer: John Coatsworth  
4:30 pm - 6:15 pm

### Cultural Dialogue II: Cultural Dialogue on the Role of the Humanities and the Intellectual

Organizer: Nina Gerassi-Navarro  
6:30 pm - 8:15 pm

## Saturday

### Featured Event – Writing a Successful Grant

Application: Tips from Fulbright and the Inter-American Foundation  
Organizer: Javier Corrales  
8:30 am - 10:15 am

### Featured Event – Who Speaks for Latin America? Independence Through Another Lens I

Organizer: Philip Oxhorn  
10:30 am - 12:15 pm

### Presidential Session – Geological and Political Earthquakes in Chile

Organizer: John Coatsworth  
10:30 am - 12:15 pm

### Featured Event – Who Speaks for Latin America? Independence Through Another Lens II

Organizer: Philip Oxhorn  
12:30 pm - 2:15 pm

### Cultural Dialogue III: Producción de conocimiento social latinoamericano, paradigmas y praxis vigentes. Aportes y debates de los Congresos 2009-2010 LASA, ALAS, ALAST

Organizer: Javier Corrales  
6:30 pm - 8:15 pm

### Featured Event – Otros Saberes: investigación colaborativa y participativa en justicia y derechos

Organizer: Rachel Sieder  
6:30 pm - 8:15 pm

### Presidential Session – U.S. Foreign Policy in the Obama Era

Organizer: John Coatsworth  
6:30 pm - 8:15 pm

## Special Events

Essex Ballroom (Sheraton)

### LASA Media Award Ceremony and Presentation

Thursday, October 7, 2:30 pm  
Carlos Dada, El Faro

### Kalman Silvert Award Session

Friday, October 8, 10:00 am  
Edelberto Torres Rivas, UNDP, is the recipient of the Silvert Award for 2010

### LASA/Oxfam America Martin Diskin Memorial Lectureship

Saturday, October 9, 2:30 pm  
Lectures will be given by Carlos Iván Degregori, Instituto de Estudios Peruanos, and Terry Karl, Stanford University

### Bryce Wood Book Award

Saturday, October 9, 12:30 pm  
Brian Delay, University of California, Berkeley

### Premio Iberoamericano Book Award

Saturday, October 9, 12:30 pm  
Guillermo Wilde, UNSAM, Argentina

### LASA/Oxfam America Martin Diskin Dissertation Fellowship

Saturday, October 9, 12:30 pm  
Louis Esparza, Stony Brook University

### Charles A. Hale Fellowship for Mexican History

Saturday, October 9, 12:30 pm  
Carlos Bravo Regidor, University of Chicago

## Social Events

Grand Ballroom (Sheraton)

### Welcoming Ceremony and Reception

Wednesday, October 6, 8:00 pm

### Gran Baile

Friday, October 9, 10:30 pm

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