

• TERESA LOZANO LONG INSTITUTE
OF LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES •
UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN •
SRH 1.310 • D0800 • 78712 • 471-5551

January 21–27, 2002

SPRING COURSES AVAILABLE!

Quechua Language and Society in the Andes I

Margot Beyersdorff

LAS 351C (36250) / ANT 351C (26510)

LAS 381C (36490) / ANT 381C (26565)

TTH 9:30–11:00 A.M., PAR 8A

Mexican Politics and Culture

Rodolfo Hernandez Guerrero, UT-Dallas

Juan Hernandez Santer, Fox Cabinet, UT-Dallas

via teleconference

MAS 374 (31662), T 2:00–5:00 P.M., SZB 323

To register, call 232-1958, 471-2136 or visit WMB 5.114

Politics of Immigration

Luis Plascencia

MAS 319 (31637), TH 9:30–11:00 A.M., CBA 4.328

CONFERENCES & CALLS FOR PAPERS

➔ ***Weekend Workshop on Maya Hieroglyphic Writing, South-west Texas State University, San Marcos, Feb. 9–10, 2002.*** Workshop conducted by Peter Keeler will explain the basics of Maya writing and provide practical experience in reading hieroglyphic texts. Designed for people with no previous experience; special provisions will be made for those who do have previous experience. For further info., contact the SWT Dept. of Anthropology at tel. 512/245-8272, fax 512/245-8076, or <gb05@swt.edu>. Registration forms and fees must be returned by **Jan. 28, 2002.**

➔ ***Planeta.com Communities and Tourism Conference, January–February 2002,*** a free public online conference focusing on communities and tourism. Registration opens in December 2001. Visit www.planeta.com for more details.

➔ ***Call for Papers—SALSA 2002, UT-Austin, April 12–14, 2002.*** The 10th annual *Symposium about Language and Society* seeks submissions of abstracts on research regarding the relationship of language to culture and society. Selected papers delivered at the conference will be published as a special edition of the *Texas Linguistic Forum*. Visit <http://www.utexas.edu/students/salsa> for details. **Deadline: Jan. 23, 2002.**

CONFERENCES & CALLS FOR PAPERS (CONT.)

➔ **Call for Papers—LASA2003, XXIV International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, *The Global and the Local: Rethinking Area Studies*, March 27–29, 2003, Adam's Mark Hotel, Dallas, TX.** For application details visit <http://lasa.international.pitt.edu/>. **Proposals must be received by April 22, 2002.**

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

➔ **Graduate Research Assistant (GRA), Américo Paredes Papers Project, Rare Books and Manuscripts Unit, Benson Latin American Collection, UT-Austin.** Assist the archivist in the organization, housing, and accessibility of the papers of the late Dr. Paredes (1915–1999), renowned UT-Austin professor, folklorist, and humanist. **Available Jan. 28, 2002.** Required: grad student in good academic standing, enrolled in at least 9 hours. SECURITY SENSITIVE: Conviction verification conducted on applicant selected. \$1000–\$1200 per month; exemption from nonresident tuition; some benefits. Send letter of interest, résumé, and names and phone numbers of three references to: Margo Gutiérrez, Mexican American & Latino Studies Bibliographer, Nettie Lee Benson Latin American Collection, SRH 1.109, University of Texas, Austin, TX 78713-8916, tel. 512/495-4589, fax 512/495-4568, <mgutierrez@mail.utexas.edu>.

➔ **Project Development Analyst, DRG International, Inc. / AVINA Foundation, Austin, TX.** Philanthropic organization involved in sustainable development in Latin America has opening for key support professional. Required: university degree; administrative skills; excellent speaking, reading, and writing Brazilian Portuguese; fluency in English including strong writing; quantitative skills; standard computer programs. 40 hours per week, calendar-year contract, reports to senior executive; salary commensurate with experience. **Starting date: Feb. 2002.** Send letter of interest and C.V. to both <info.brasil@avina.net> and <dorothy@io.com>.

➔ **Project Analyst, AVINA Foundation, Miami, FL.** Responsibilities: financial and risk analysis of potential investments; project monitoring to ensure timely completion of milestones and proper handling of finances. Required: B.A. in international business, economics, or the social sciences, with at least three years' experience or M.A. or equivalent relevant job experience; knowledge of sustainable development and Latin American culture, economy, and society; experience with budget analysis; fluency in English and Spanish (command of Portuguese a plus); familiarity with Lotus Notes and Internet search engines. Contact Adriana Settineri, Human Resources, at <Adriana.Settineri@avina.net> or 305/929-2325.





EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES (CONT.)

➔ **Latin American Studies Faculty, Prescott College, Prescott, AZ.** Position for innovative, cross-disciplinary scholar and teacher with expertise in Latin American Studies, Southwest U.S. Studies, and fluency in Spanish. Ph.D. in social sciences, humanities, or a related field. Candidates should demonstrate ability to teach undergraduates about the cultures and bioregions of Latin America and the American Southwest through classroom and field studies. Those with research and teaching interests in political economy, gender studies, and/or border studies especially encouraged. Salary \$32K–\$45K commensurate with education and experience. Send letter of interest, statement of educational philosophy, C.V., unofficial college transcripts, the Prescott College Application (available at www.prescott.edu/hr), and names and phone numbers of three references to: Human Resources, Prescott College, 220 Grove Avenue, Prescott, AZ 86301. Application review began Dec. 7, 2001, and position will remain open until filled. **Responsibilities begin Aug. 2002.**

FELLOWSHIPS

➔ **E. D. Farmer International Fellowship** to support advanced research and study in Mexico by students and faculty of UT-Austin, and to support graduate and/or professional study and research at UT-Austin by students and faculty of Mexican universities. For application forms and procedures visit the Mexican Center Webpage, <http://www.utexas.edu/cola/depts/llilas/centers/mexican/edfarmer.html>. **Deadline for proposals: March 4, 2002.**

➔ **Republic of Mexico Solidaridad Endowed Presidential Scholarship 2002–2003 Academic Year Competition**, available to Mexican citizens pursuing graduate studies in any academic major at UT-Austin, for the support of research to be incorporated into a thesis, policy report, or dissertation submitted in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the graduate degree. For application procedure, visit <http://www.utexas.edu/cola/llilas/centers/mexican/solid.html>. **Deadline: March 4, 2002.**

➔ **Andrew W. Mellon Fellowships for Graduate Student Research and Training, Population Research Center Program on Urbanization and Internal Migration in Developing Countries, UT-Austin**, is soliciting applications from UT-Austin students for support of dissertation fieldwork or writing, as well as predissertation travel and fieldwork. Four kinds of support are available: Summer Research Awards, Pre-Dissertation Fellowships, Dissertation Field Research in a Developing Country, and Dissertation Writing on a Developing Country Topic. All applications dealing with population topics are welcome. For application forms and procedures, please visit www.prc.utexas.edu. **Deadline: Feb. 15, 2002.**



FELLOWSHIPS (CONT.)

➔ **Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowship in Latin American Visual Culture, Rice University, 2002–2003.** Fellows will be selected for a two-year appointment beginning July 1, 2002, at a stipend of \$38,000 per year; will teach two courses per academic year, and will be expected to make significant progress in their research. Latin American Visual Culture could cover a chronological period ranging from pre-Columbian and colonial to contemporary. Disciplinary fields may include archaeology, art history, anthropology, photography, or film and media studies. For more info., visit <http://www.ruf.rice.edu/~culture/MellonFellowshipProg.html>. Contact Sandra Gilbert at <culture@rice.edu> with questions. **Deadline: March 1, 2002.**

➔ **Newberry Library Fellowships in the Humanities, 2002–2003.** Awards support research in residence at this private library in Chicago that houses more than 1.5 million volumes and 5 million manuscript pages concerning the civilizations of Western Europe and the Americas from the late Middle Ages to the early twentieth century. Long-term residential fellowships available to postdoctoral scholars; short-term residential fellowships available for postdoctoral scholars or Ph.D. candidates. For more info. and application materials, visit www.newberry.org. **Application deadline: Jan. 21, 2002.**



For Electronic Access to the LLILAS Calendar:
<http://www.utexas.edu/cola/lilas/>

E-mail submissions to <hteague@mail.utexas.edu>.
Deadline: 3:00 P.M. each Friday
