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February 18–24, 2002

ILASSA XXII Student Conference on Latin America
Thursday, Feb. 14–Saturday, Feb. 16
UT-Austin, Texas Union

Free and open to the public. Thurs., 5:30–7:30 P.M.

Fri., 8:30 A.M.–7:30 P.M.; Sat., 9:15 A.M.–3:30 P.M.

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LATE ENTRIES

➔ **Thursday, Feb. 14—*Cisneros Reading Seminar***, a one-time discussion seminar with a presentation by Ariel Jiménez, Curator of the Cisneros Collection in Caracas, Venezuela. Mr. Jiménez will be discussing the concepts of space in the work of the contemporary Brazilian artists Helio Oiticica and Lygia Clark. Jointly organized by the Dept. of Art and Art History, the Blanton Museum of Art, and the Cisneros Collection in Caracas. 3:00–6:00 P.M., Fine Arts Library, DFA. 4.110. For more info., contact Ana Pozzi-Harris at <anajp@mail.utexas.edu>.

➔ **Saturday, Feb. 16—*Amigos de la Frontera Desayuno en Austin***, a bimonthly gathering of friends interested in the northern frontier of New Spain will meet for breakfast to share ideas, information, and camaraderie. 9:00 A.M., Cisco's Restaurant and Bakery, 1511 East 6th Street.

MONDAY, FEB. 18

➔ ***Creating Breathing Space for Human Rights Defenders***, a brown bag presentation by Andrew Miller, Codirector of Peace Brigades International/USA, and former Acting Advocacy Director for the Americas at Amnesty International USA. Sponsored by the ILASSA Cultural and Academic Committee. 12:15 P.M., Hackett Room, SRH 1.313. For more info., contact Meredith Glueck at <meglueck@mail.utexas.edu>.

MONDAY, FEB. 18 (CONT.)

➔ ***Justice: A Never Ending Process***, the Harvey Lectures presented by Ada María Isasi-Díaz, author and professor at Drew University. 4:00 P.M. and 6:30 P.M., Episcopal Seminary of the Southwest Knapp Auditorium, 606 Rathervue Place (East 31st Street). FREE. For more info., contact Bob Kinney at <bkinney@etts.edu> or 472-4133, ext. 343. For more info. on Dr. Isasi-Díaz and her work, visit www.users.drew.edu/aisasidi.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20

➔ ***Opportunities and Challenges in Latin American Development***, a a brown bag presentation by David de Ferranti, Vice-President of the World Bank for Latin America and the Caribbean. Cosponsored by LBJ-LLILAS students and Dr. Robert Wilson. 12:15–1:15 P.M., LBJ Student Lounge, SRH Unit 3. For more info., contact Daniela Brandazza at <danibrandazza@hotmail.com>.

FRIDAY, FEB. 22

➔ ***Creating the El Pilar Archaeological Reserve for Maya Flora and Fauna, Belize-Guatemala***, a lecture by Anabel Ford, Dept. of Anthropology, Univ. of California, Santa Barbara. 4:00 P.M., GRG 102. This lecture describes the effort to launch a long-term interdisciplinary program aimed at better understanding the complex dimensions of the human-environment relationship in the Maya forest. Sponsored by the Dept. of Geography, LLILAS, and the Dept. of Anthropology. For more info., contact William Doolittle at <dolitl@mail.utexas.edu>.

CONFERENCES & CALLS FOR PAPERS

World Bank Delegation to UT-Austin

Feb. 19–20, 2002, Open to the Public

Feb. 19—*Economic and Political Perspectives for Latin America and the Caribbean Region*, presented by David de Ferranti, Vice-President of the World Bank for Latin America and the Caribbean, and World Bank Staff Member Marcelo Giugale. 4:00–6:00 P.M., Bass Lecture Hall, SRH Unit 3.

Feb. 20—Panel Discussions with World Bank Staff, 10:30 A.M.–12:00 NOON: *Social Protection and Development in Latin America*, Texas Unions Eastwoods Room 2.102; *Indigenous People and Afrolatins*, Texas Union Asian Culture Room 4.224; *Challenges and Priorities in Brazil and Mexico*, Dobie Room FAC. (Also see brown bag talk listed in dated entries above.)

CONFERENCES & CALLS FOR PAPERS (CONT.)

➔ ***Making Democracy Work in Latin America: Social Policy and Rights*, Feb. 28, 2002, UT-Austin**, a workshop sponsored by the Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship in Latin American Sociology and the Center for Latin American Social Policy (CLASPO) of LLILAS. Panelists include Dagmar Racynsky, Elizabeth Jelin, and Antonio Azuela. Moderated by Bryan Roberts and Peter Ward. 1:00–4:00 P.M., Knopf Room, FAC. For more info., contact Paloma Díaz at <diazlobos@mail.utexas.edu> or 471-9277.

➔ ***The Maya Meetings*, March 7–16, 2002, UT-Austin**, a series of lectures, workshops, and research seminars for beginners and advanced scholars in Indigenous American culture, including Maya Hieroglyphic Writing, Mixtec Codices, and other topics. For more info., contact the Maya Meetings at 471-6292 or <mayameet@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu>.

➔ ***Colloquium on Hispanic and Luso-Brazilian Literatures and Romance Linguistics*, March 8–9, 2002, UT-Austin Texas Union**. Keynote speakers include author Gustavo Pérez Firmat and linguist John Lipski. Sponsored by the Dept. of Spanish and Portuguese Graduate Student Organization. For more info., contact Clayton Graham at <clayton@mail.utexas.edu>.

➔ **Call for Submissions—*CineSol Latino Film Festival*, June 14, 2002, South Texas**, a four-week festival devoted to cultural and educational awareness of Latino themes, issues, and ways of life, through the presentation and support of film and video. Categories include documentary, drama, narrative, experimental, and animation. High school student submissions and first works welcomed. For more info., visit <http://www.cinesol.com/cinesol12002>, or call 512/327-1333. **Deadline: March 15, 2002.**

➔ **Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) Program in Minority Group Demography, UT-Austin Population Research Center, June 5–Aug. 9, 2002**. Summer institute offers junior or senior undergraduates the opportunity to study demography through coursework on demographic methods and a research apprenticeship with a PRC faculty affiliate. Student projects will be presented at the fall meetings of the Southern Demographic Association. Program provides travel funds, tuition and books, room and board for the ten-week period, and a \$2,500 stipend. For more info., contact Lynda Gonzales at 512/471-8342 or <lyndag@prc.utexas.edu>. **Deadline: March 15, 2002.**

FELLOWSHIPS

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



FELLOWSHIPS (CONT.)

➔ **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.**

➔ **Patrick Stewart Human Rights Scholarship, Amnesty International USA**, awarded to student activists for summer internships or other short-term human rights projects. \$300–\$1,800 scholarships may be used for travel, materials, and other expenses. For more info. and applications, visit www.amnestyusa.org/patrickstewart, e-mail <nfp@aiusa.org>, or call 202/544-0200. **Deadline: March 15, 2002.**

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

LLILAS is now accepting faculty nominations for the following:


Tinker Visiting Professor for 2003–2004

Visiting Research Professors (VRPs) for 2002–2003

*Visiting Professor in Western Hemispheric Trade
for Spring 2003 or Fall 2003–Spring 2004*

*For details, please contact Joanne Gully at 232-2409
or <joanneg@mail.utexas.edu>.*

Deadline for all nominations: March 4, 2002.



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