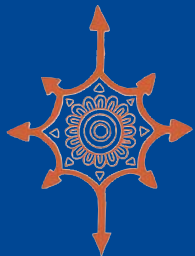


Calendar

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LLILAS

Spotlight!

Political Change in Mexico

Thurs., Feb. 19, 2004

UT Law School, Jeffers Courtroom 3.140

The Mexican Center of LLILAS and the UT Law School present Senator César Juárezgui Robles, Vice President of the Senate in Mexico. 3:30–4:30 P.M., Jeffers Courtroom 3.140. Free and open to the public. For more info., call 232-2423.



LATE ENTRIES

→ **Friday, February 13—Information Session—Brazilian History, Media, Culture, and Portuguese Summer Program in Salvador, Bahia**, presented by Dr. Seth Garfield for the UT Center for Global Educational Opportunities. 12:00–2:00 P.M., GAR 107. See Feb. 18 entry for information regarding additional session. For more info. on the program and application procedure, visit www.utexas.edu/student/abroad/ccs or e-mail <helena@mail.utexas.edu>.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16

→ *Políticas sociales en la arena local*, a panel during which CLASPO Visiting Researchers will discuss the findings of their case studies in Latin America. 12:00–1:00 P.M., Hackett Room, SRH 1.313. Presentations in Spanish. For more info., call the Center for Latin American Social Policy at 471-9277.

Call For Nominations and Applications

LLILAS is now accepting faculty nominations for the **Tinker Visiting Professor 2005-2006**, the **Houston Endowment Faculty Research Leave 2004-2005**, and the **Mellon Faculty Research Grants 2004**. For details, contact Adriana Dingman at 232-2405 or <adriana.d@mail.utexas.edu>. **Deadline: Feb. 16.**



TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17

→ **International Good Neighbor Council Luncheon and Lecture.**

Julien Ross of the Equal Justice Center will discuss the many facets of the immigration issue. 11:45 A.M., Campus Club, 25th and Guadalupe. Lunch is \$15.50, but lecture is free for those who prefer not to dine. For more info., call Vic Niemeyer at 263-2302.

→ ***The Local Framing of Latino Educational Policy in the New South***, a talk by Dr. Edmund Hamann, author of *The Educational Welcome of Latinos in the New South*. 1:00–3:00 P.M., SZB 422. Sponsored by the Center for Mexican American Studies and the Dept. of Curriculum and Instruction. Refreshments will be provided. For more info., call 471-4557.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18

→ ***Fevered Measures: Race, Communicable Disease, and Community Formation on the Texas-Mexico Border, 1880-1932***, a presentation by John McKiernan-Gonzalez, Rockefeller Postdoctoral Fellow and Asst. Prof., Dept. of History, Univ. of South Florida. 12:00–1:00 P.M., Chicano Culture Room, Texas Union 4.206. Cosponsored by LLILAS and CMAS. Refreshments will be provided. For more info., call 471-4866.

→ ***Information Session—Brazilian History, Media, Culture, and Portuguese Summer Program in Salvador, Bahia***, presented by Dr. Joseph Straubhaar for the UT Center for Global Educational Opportunities. 4:00–5:30 P.M., CMA 3.116. For more info., visit www.utexas.edu/student/abroad/ccs or e-mail <helena@mail.utexas.edu>.

→ ***ILASSA Job Talk Panel—Careers in Cultural Studies***. Panelists from Escandolo Productions, UT Performing Arts Center, Tesoros Trading Company, and Frommer's will speak. 5:00–6:00 P.M., Hackett Room, SRH 1.313. A great way to meet alumni in your area of specialization! For more info., contact Kristin Lion at <kjlion@mail.utexas.edu>.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20

→ ***El Nuevo Federalism Fiscal***, a lecture (in Spanish) by Senator César Juárezgui Robles, Vice President of the Senate in Mexico. 10:30 A.M., Hackett Room, SRH 1.313. For more info., contact the Mexican Center at 232-2423.

→ ***Comparing Fertility in Brazil and Mexico: Does Policy Matter?***, a presentation by Joseph Potter and Ernesto Amaral. 12:00–1:00 P.M., BUR 214. Sponsored by the Population Research Center and Dept. of Sociology. For more info., contact Mary de la Garza at 471-5345.





CONFERENCES AND CALLS FOR PAPERS

→ ***Abriendo Brecha/Opening a Path: A Workshop and Conference on Activist Scholarship in the Humanities and Social Sciences, Feb. 26–27, 2004, UT-Austin.*** Sponsored by the Rockefeller Program for Race, Rights, and Resources in the Americas, Center for Mexican American Studies, Center for African and African American Studies, and LLILAS. For more info., visit www.utexas.edu/depts/cmas/.

FELLOWSHIPS AND RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES

→ **LLILAS Foreign Language and Area Study (FLAS) Awards.** For (1) Fall and Spring 2004–5 Portuguese, Quechua, or other arranged Amerindian language study, or (2) Summer 2004 Portuguese study at UT or Kaqchikel Maya through Tulane Univ. Stipend: \$14,000 for academic year plus UT tuition and fees; \$2,400 for summer plus UT tuition and fees. For details on eligibility and online application, see www.utexas.edu/cola/depts/llilas/students/financial/fieldresearch.html. **Deadline: Feb. 16.**

→ **Tinker Summer 2004 Field Research Grants.** Travel grants for UT graduate students in any dept. to cover travel costs only for predissertation field research in Spanish- or Portuguese-speaking Latin America or Iberia. For details and online application, see www.utexas.edu/cola/depts/llilas/students/financial/fieldresearch.html. Submit application to Anne Dibble, SRH 1.301. **Deadline: Feb. 16.**

→ **Republic of Mexico Solidaridad Endowed Presidential Scholarship 2004–2005 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 www.utexas.edu/cola/depts/llilas/centers/mexican/solid.html. **Deadline: March 8.**

→ **E. D. Farmer International Fellowship.** In support of advanced research and study in Mexico by undergraduate and graduate students of UT-Austin, and graduate and/or professional study and research at UT-Austin by students and faculty of Mexican universities. For application procedures visit www.utexas.edu/cola/depts/llilas/centers/mexican/edfarmer/html. **Deadline: March 8.**





INTERNSHIP AND VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

➔ **Center for Latin American Social Policy (CLASPO) Internship Program in Latin America.** UT master's and doctoral students are invited to apply. This program allows graduate students to spend Summer 2004 working for NGOs or government offices in Argentina, Chile, Peru, Brazil, Mexico, or Colombia. Applicants must also submit the Tinker Travel Grant application. Applications for both the internship and travel grant should be submitted to Anne Dibble, SRH 1.301. For more info., visit www.utexas.edu/cola/llilas/centers/claspo/utscholarships.html or call Paloma Diaz at 471-9277. **Deadline: Feb. 16.**

➔ **Volunteer Opportunity–Latin American Culture Day.** Volunteers needed to assist LLILAS Outreach with events occurring on Latin American Culture Day, Tuesday, Feb. 24, 9:30 A.M.–12:00 NOON. To volunteer, contact Natalie Arsenault at <n.arsenault@mail.utexas.edu> or 232-2404.

➔ **Volunteer Opportunity–Court Appointed Special Advocates for Abused Children.** CASA of Travis County needs Spanish-speaking volunteers to assist clients. For more info. on CASA, visit www.casatexas.org. To volunteer, contact Karen Cox at 459-2272.

Please e-mail submissions by 3:00 P.M. each Friday to
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