

Calendar

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University of Texas
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LLILAS

Spotlight!

Date Change: Amazon Week 2004

Monday–Friday, November 15–19

A week focusing on environmental, social, and cultural issues in the Amazon from a cross-disciplinary perspective. All events are free and open to the public. For more info., visit <http://www.utexas.edu/cola/llilas/centers/brazil/activities/amazonweek.html> or call the Brazil Center of LLILAS at 471-8418.

LATE ENTRIES

→ **Wednesday, November 10**—*The Everyday Face of Globalization: Farm Worker Poverty and Fast Food Profits*, a lecture by Gerardo Reyes Chavez and Sean Sellers, Coalition of Immokalee Workers (CIW). 7:00 P.M., ART Auditorium. For more info., e-mail Andres Manosalva at <andres.abril24@yahoo.com>.

→ **Friday, November 12**—*The Rights of Migrant Workers*, a brown bag discussion by Gerardo Reyes Chavez and Sean Sellers, Coalition of Immokalee Workers (CIW). 1:00–2:30 P.M., SRH 1.313. For more info., e-mail Andres Manosalva at <andres.abril24@yahoo.com>.

→ **Saturday, November 13**—*Beginning Portuguese for Spanish Speakers*, a weekend Portuguese workshop by Vivian Flanzer, Dept. of Spanish and Portuguese. 10:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M., SRH 1.313. For more info. and to register, e-mail the Brazil Center at <brazil@uts.cc.utexas.edu>.

→ **Saturday, November 13**—*Shaken and Stirred*, a film screening, cocktail party, and exhibit tour. 8:00 P.M., UT Blanton Museum of Art. For more info., call 471-7324.

In Memoriam

John Duncan, major donor with his wife, Barbara, of the Blanton's Latin American art collection, died in New York City on October 29, 2004.



MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15

- ➔ *Themes from the U.S. Latino and Latina WWII Oral History Project*, featuring presentations by Ricardo Ainslie, Maggie Rivas-Rodriguez, Brenda Sendejo, and Emilio Zamora. 4:00–6:00 P.M., UT Campus Club Lounge. Free parking in the UT San Antonio Street parking garage with parking stub validation. For more info., call 471-4557.
- ➔ *Environmental and Social Research in the Amazon: Contextualizing Amazonia*. 4:00–6:00 P.M., Sinclair Suite, Texas Union 3.128. Part of Amazon Week 2004. For more info., call 471-8418.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16

- ➔ *Literatura y mujeres en España: Historia de un falso boom*, a lecture by Spanish author Laura Freixas. 4:00 P.M., BEN 2.104. Sponsored by the Dept. of Spanish and Portuguese. For more info., call 471-4936.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17

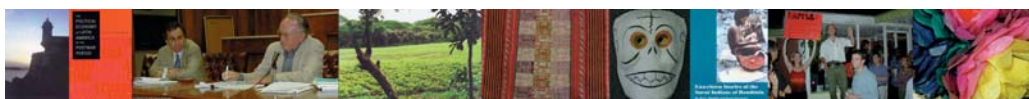
- ➔ *International Press Coverage of the Amazon*, a brown bag presentation by Carlos Potiara Castro, UNICAMP. 12:00–1:00 P.M., CMA 4.128. Part of Amazon Week 2004. For more info., call 471-8418.
- ➔ *Resilience and Maintaining Momentum*, a graduate forum. 1:30–3:00 P.M., JES A 217A. Presented by the Professional Development and Community Engagement Program. For more info., call 232-3622.
- ➔ *Biodiversity and Society: Dynamic Relationships in the Amazon*. 5:00–7:00 P.M., GRG 102. Part of Amazon Week 2004. For more info., call 471-8418.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18

- ➔ *Paying the Human Costs of War: Public Casualty Sensitivity and the War in Iraq*, a lecture by Peter Feaver, Duke University. 4:00 P.M., SRH 3.100B. Sponsored by the LBJ School of Public Affairs and the Dept. of Government. For more info., call 471-5121.

THURSDAY–SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18–20

- ➔ *Internet, Culture, and Society: French and American Perspectives*, a conference organized by the France-UT Institute for Interdisciplinary Perspectives, that will address digitization, archiving, and intellectual property issues, among others. Includes Latin American content. Starts at 1:50 P.M. Thurs., Charles Nelson Prothro Theater, HRC. For a complete schedule, e-mail Joel Sherzer at <jsherzer@mail.utexas.edu>.





FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19

→ *A Spatial Analysis of the Factors and Outcomes of Deforestation in the Ecuadorian Amazon*, a lecture by Rodrigo Sierra. 4:00 P.M., GRG 102. Sponsored by the Dept. of Geography and the Environment. For more info., call 471-5116.

FRIDAY–SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19–20

→ **Women and Fair Trade Sale**, an opportunity for Christmas shopping, education, and community strengthening. Friday: 4:00–8:00 P.M., Saturday: 10:00 A.M.–8:00 P.M., La Peña Gallery, 227 Congress. A fundraiser benefiting the American Friends Service Committee. For more info., call 474-2399 or visit www.afsc-austin.org/fair.

CONFERENCES AND CALLS FOR PAPERS

→ **Call for Papers—6th Annual Graduate Symposium of Women's and Gender History, March 10–12, 2005, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.** Accepting papers from graduate students that re-evaluate gender as a category of analysis. Potential themes include race, gender, class, and activism, historiography of race and gender, and women encountering women across boundaries of time, place, and identity. For consideration, e-mail a 250-word abstract and one-page C.V. as a single Word document to <gendersymp@uiuc.edu>. Subject line must read Attn: Programming Committee. **Deadline: Nov. 15.**

→ **Call for Papers—Exploring and Challenging Fronteras in the Midwest and Beyond, Feb. 25–27, 2005, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.** Accepting proposals for papers, workshops, panels, multimedia presentations, and performances that explore Latinas/os in the Midwest and other parts of the U.S. Topics are not limited but may include building community, citizenship, education, identity politics, immigration and transnationalism, and issues of social justice. For consideration, e-mail a one-page abstract with title, name, contact information, program, and university affiliation as embedded text (no attachments) to Yarice Rodriguez at <llsp@uiuc.edu>. **Deadline: Nov. 29.**





CONFERENCES AND CALLS FOR PAPERS (CONT.)

→ **Call for Papers—15th Colloquium on Hispanic and Lusobrazilian Literatures and Romance Linguistics, April 2, 2005, UT-Austin.** Accepting papers on all topics related to Hispanic and Lusobrazilian literatures and romance languages. Presentations should not exceed 20 minutes and may be in Spanish, English, or Portuguese. Submit a 250-word abstract containing no personal information and a separate sheet with presentation title, name, e-mail address, institution address, and office and home phone numbers. E-mail literature abstracts to Rocio Ocón at <rochisound@yahoo.com> or Medardo de la Cruz at <medardo@mail.utexas.edu>. E-mail linguistics abstracts to Brian McDonough at <bmcdonough@mail.utexas.edu>. For more info., visit www.utexas.edu/cola/depts/spanish/. **Deadline: Nov. 30.**

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

→ **Tenure-Track Assistant Professor, University of Texas at Arlington.** Seeking applications for assistant professor of Caribbean/Colonial Latin American history effective Sept. 1, 2005. Duties include teaching upper division Caribbean/Colonial Latin American history, graduate level transatlantic history, and lower division world history courses. To apply, send a complete C.V., three letters of recommendation, transcripts, and samples of scholarly papers or publications to: University of Texas at Arlington, Dept. of History, Drs. R. Fairbanks and D. Richmond, Search Committee Co-Chairs, Box 19529, Arlington, TX 76019-0529. For more info., visit www.uta.edu/history. **Deadline: Dec. 1.**

Please e-mail submissions by 3:00 P.M. each Friday to <jmailloux@mail.utexas.edu> and <vhagerty@mail.utexas.edu>.

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