

Calendar

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University of Texas
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LLILAS

Spotlight!

Music and Culture in the Imperial Court of João VI in Rio de Janeiro

Monday–Tuesday, March 7–8, 2005

Thompson Conference Center 2.120

Concert: March 8, 8:00 P.M., Bates Recital Hall

A symposium and concert examining the artistic production of Rio de Janeiro in the late 19th century. The UT Chamber singers will perform José Maurício Nunes Garcia's *Missa de Nossa Senhora da Conceição*. Free tickets at door on first-come basis. For more info., visit www.utexas.edu/cola/depts/llilas/events/missa.html or call LLILAS at 471-5551.

LATE ENTRIES

→ **Thursday, March 3—Illustrated Presentation by Angel Santos Suarez, Master Potter from Tonalá, Jalisco Mexico.** 12:00–1:00 P.M., GEB 4.200. Reception and demonstration to follow from 6:00–7:30 P.M. at La Peña, 227 Congress Ave. Free and open to the public. Sponsored by CMAS, Mexican Center of LLILAS, and others. For more info., call 471-4557.

→ **Thursday, March 3—Developing Interactional Competence in a Second Language: Spanish Language Learners in the Study Abroad Context,** a presentation by Abigail Dings, candidate for Lower Division Coordinator and Methodologist, Dept. of Spanish and Portuguese. 4:00–5:00 P.M., BEN 2.104. For more info., call 471-4936.

→ **Friday, March 4—The Naturalization of Andean Christianities,** a presentation by Kenneth Mills, Univ. of Toronto. 4:30–6:30 P.M., Sinclair Suite, Texas Union 3.128. Part of the Distinguished Speaker Series in Latin American History. For more info., call 471-3261.





TUESDAY, MARCH 8

- ➔ **Local Governance and the Creation of Spaces for Civic Action**, a conference. 9:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M., Bass Lecture Hall. Spanish with simultaneous English translation. Sponsored by the Woodrow Wilson Center, Inter-American Foundation, LBJ School, and LLILAS's Center for Latin American Social Policy (CLASPO). For more info., visit www.utexas.edu/cola/llilas/centers/claspo/.
- ➔ **Bringing Service Learning to the Foreign Language Class**, a presentation by Jane Johnson, candidate for Lower Division Coordinator and Methodologist, Dept. of Spanish and Portuguese. 4:00–5:00 P.M., BEN 2.104. For more info., call 471-4936.

THURSDAY, MARCH 10

- ➔ **El espacio de la locura y la escritora del siglo XIX: Rosalía de Castro**, a presentation by José Pereiro-Otero, candidate for 18th–19th century Spanish Literature, Dept. of Spanish and Portuguese. 4:00–5:00 P.M., BEN 2.104. For more info., call 471-4936.
- ➔ **Free Introduction to Capoeira**. Learn the history of the Brazilian martial art that offered spiritual and physical liberation to thousands of African-Brazilian slaves. 7:00 P.M., Outreach Eternal Way Center, 1122 South Lamar. For more info., call 542-9700 or visit www.capoeiratx.com.

THURSDAY–FRIDAY, MARCH 10–11

- ➔ **Conference: Labor in the Americas**. Thursday: 1:00–5:30 P.M.; Friday: 9:00 A.M.–4:30 P.M.; LBJ Library and Museum, 8th floor. Sponsored by the LBJ School, LLILAS, Inter-American Development Bank, UT Law School, and the LBJ Library and Museum. For more info., e-mail Jane Hackley at j.hackley@mail.utexas.edu.

CONFERENCES AND CALLS FOR PAPERS

- ➔ **Call for Papers—Our Research Matters: New Dialogues on Latin America, the Caribbean, and Latino Studies, April 30, 2005, University of Massachusetts–Amherst**. The Center for Latin American, Caribbean, and Latino Studies (CLACLS) seeks submissions for its first graduate student conference. E-mail a 200-word abstract and, on a separate page, your name, paper title, department affiliation, phone number, e-mail address, postal address, and brief biography to las@econs.umass.edu. For more info., contact Gloria Bernabe-Ramos at gbr@cas.umass.edu or Esther Cuesta at ecuesta@complit.umass.edu. **Deadline: March 14.**





CONFERENCES AND CALLS FOR PAPERS (CONT.)

- **Call for Papers and Abstracts—*Race, Eros, and Identity in Lusophone Literature*, Oct. 27–29, 2005, Houston, TX.** The South Central Modern Language Association seeks submissions related to the interconnectivity between racial paradigms, human relationships, and identities in Lusophone literature. Papers or 500-word abstracts in English or Portuguese can be sent to: Geoffrey Mitchell, Portuguese-Brazilian Session Chair, Department of Foreign Languages, The University of Southern Mississippi, 118 College Drive #5038, Hattiesburg, MS 39406-0001 or <G.Mitchell@usm.edu>. **Deadline: March 15.**
- **Call for Papers—*Rural Tourism Conference Online*, April and May 2005.** Planeta.com opens a call for original articles and recommended web links for its upcoming online conference to examine lessons learned around the world. For more info., visit www.planeta.com/ecotravel/tour/rural.html.

EMPLOYMENT AND INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

- **Executive Director, North American Institute (NAMI), Sante Fe, NM.** Private nonprofit seeks applicants for Executive Director. Duties include program management, budgeting, community outreach, and fundraising. Master's degree with an interest in international relations and policy-related research is preferred. The successful applicant will work closely with the board of directors, use good judgment and discretion, and possess strong communication skills. To apply, e-mail a cover letter, résumé, and names and phone numbers of three references to <dgerdes@northamericaninstitute.org>. **Deadline: Until filled.**
- **Internship, USDA Foreign Agricultural Service.** Graduate and upperclass-level students are invited to apply for paid internships at American embassies in Latin America, Asia, and Western Europe. Participants will learn international trade, trade policy, international relations, diplomacy, and regional/cultural considerations. Applicants must be currently enrolled, in good academic standing, and U.S. citizens and are expected to pay for travel to and from the job site. To apply, visit www.fas.usda.gov/admin/student/IIP_Brochure.pdf. For more info., contact Lillian Gorman at <lgorman@ars.usda.gov>. **Deadline: March 15.**





FELLOWSHIPS

➔ **Center for Inter-American Studies and Programs (CEPI) Resident Fellowships.** CEPI seeks applications from professionals of diverse disciplines and sectors to participate in its resident fellowship program based at the Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM). Benefits include a monthly stipend, a research assistant, office space with computer, and assistance with transportation and housing. For more info. and application procedures, visit <http://interamericanos.itam.mx> or e-mail <interamericanos@itam.mx>. **Deadline: April 1.**

STUDY ABROAD

➔ **Study Art in Guanajuato, Mexico, May 16–31, 2005, UT–Pan American.** Art courses taught by UTPA faculty for credit transferable within the UT System, including visits to museums, churches, and other colonial locales. \$1299 for 1 course, 3 credits; \$1499 for 2 courses, 6 credits. Bus transportation, hotel, and breakfast included. Must bring an additional \$300 or more to cover meals, museum admissions, and incidentals. For more info., contact Leticia Chávez at <leticiach@utpa.edu> or Eva Muñoz at <emunoz@utpa.edu>.

NOTE: Next week's *Calendar* will cover March 14–27.
Please e-mail submissions by 3:00 P.M. Friday, March 4, to
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