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Monday, May 8

9:00–9:30 A.M.  Welcome and Opening Comments
Joseph Straubhaar, UT Austin
Sharon Strover, UT Austin

9:30–10:30 A.M.  UT Austin: Project Overview, Visions (Theoretical and Epistemological Framework), Main Issues, Histories, Main Team Members
Joseph Straubhaar, UT Austin
Viviana Rojas, UTSA

10:30–10:45 A.M.  Break

10:45 A.M.-12:00 NOON  UNAM: Project Overview, Visions (Theoretical and Epistemological Framework), Main Issues, Histories, Main Team Members
Jorge Gonzalez, UNAM

2:00–3:30 P.M.  USP: Project Overview, Visions (Theoretical and Epistemological Framework), Main Issues, Histories, Main Team Members
Fred Litto, USP
Daniella Matiello, USP

3:30–3:45 P.M.  Break

3:45–5:00 P.M.  UFBA: Project Overview, Visions (Theoretical and Epistemological Framework), Main Issues, Histories, Main Team Members
Jussara Borges, UFBA
Fabio Ferreira, UT/UFBA/CAPES
**Tuesday, May 9**

9:00–10:30 A.M.
*Genograms, Mapping and Life Histories - Part 1*
Jorge Gonzalez, UNAM

10:30–10:45 A.M. Break

10:45 A.M.–12:00 NOON
*Genograms, Mapping and Life Histories - Part 2*
Members of the UT Research Team

**Wednesday, May 10**

9:00–10:00 A.M.
*Research Networks, Emergent Local Knowledge Communities, Activist/Non-Activist Approaches to Research*
Jorge Gonzalez, UNAM
Joseph Straubhaar, UT Austin

**Thursday, May 11**

9:00–10:30 A.M.
*Digital Inclusion, Telecenters, Profiling and Mapping of Resources - Part 1*
Fred Litto, USP
Daniella Matielo, USP

10:30–10:45 A.M. Break

10:45 A.M.–12:00 NOON
*Digital Inclusion, Telecenters, Profiling and Mapping of Resources - Part 2*
Jussara Borges, UFBA
Fabio Ferreira, UT/UFBA/CAPES
Joseph Straubhaar, UT Austin

These sessions are open to the public and will be video recorded for later podcasting on the web.

For information on afternoon working sessions, please contact Joseph Straubhaar at jstraubhaar@mail.utexas.edu or 512.471.5304 or Jeremiah Spence at jspence5@mail.utexas.edu or 512.491.6666.

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