2013-2014

Schedule of Events:

September 13: Sibylle Fischer, New York University
“A Matter of Rights? Insurgent Discourse from Mier to Bolívar”

October 18: Tamara Walker, University of Pennsylvania
“Funerals and Fiestas: Public Ceremony, Vassalage, and the Limits of Selfhood in Late-Colonial Lima”

November 22: Carmen Soliz, New York University
“An Elusive Modernity: The Indian Problem and the Agrarian Question under Debate in Bolivia (1936-1952)”

February 7: Mark Rice, Stony Brook University
"Good Neighbors Make Good Tourists: The Rise of Cusco and Machu Picchu Tourism, 1930-1948."

March 7: Hebe Mattos, Universidade Federal Fluminense / Columbia University
“Memory of Slavery and Race: Brazilian Self-Narratives in Historical Perspective”

April 18: Leandro Benmergui, Bucknell University
“Modernizing the Housing Market in the Era of Developmentalism: Buenos Aires and Rio de Janeiro during the 1960s.”

Time: 11:00 am to 1:00 pm
Location: Institute of Latin American Studies, Tannenbaum Room
Columbia University
420 West 118th St., 8th Floor IAB, Room 802
New York, NY 10027

Free and open to the public. Discussions are based on pre-circulated papers prepared by each presenter. Please contact ajd2128@columbia.edu to be placed on the mailing list to receive the papers, which are circulated one week prior to each meeting.

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