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LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN CENTER
AT STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY
FALL 2001

Thursday, September 20
12:40 – 2:00 PM
LACC Conference Room
SBS N-320
Speaker
Javier Ayerbe, Sociology, Stony Brook University
"Life on the Picket Line"
Writing biographies of rising protests in the global south.
Series: "Stony Brook Latin Americanists"
Sponsored by Latin American and Caribbean Studies Center and the Department of Sociology.

Friday, September 23
4:00 – 6:00 PM
SAC Lobby
Entertainment & Refreshments
Opening Ceremonies
"Unity and Latino Awareness on Long Island"
October celebrates Hispanic Heritage Month. Join the opening festivities with guest speaker, Honorable Legislator Vivian Viloria Fisher, Suffolk County Legislature.

Tuesday, October 9
5:00 – 7:00 PM
LACC Gallery
SBS N-320
Refreshments Served
Opening Art Exhibit and Reception
"Unseen America on Long Island: A First Look"
Unseen America is an innovative project in self-documentation of working-class lives through photography; here, the focus is on the new Latino migrants of Long Island.
Series: "Latino/Latin American Arts"
Sponsored by Latin American and Caribbean Studies Center, Art Department, Student Union Activities, Group for the Study of Working Class Life, Bread & Roses (NYC), SEIU Local 1199 and Hispanic Heritage Month Committee.

Wednesday, October 24
12:30 – 2:00 PM
LACC Conference Room
SBS N-320
Speaker
Juan Figueroa, President and General Counsel, Puerto Rican Legal Defense and Education Fund
"The Struggle Over Vieques"
A leading figure in the movement updates us on the dramatic campaign to rescue the battered island of Vieques for Puerto Rico.
Series: "American Hoy/Latino America Today"
Co-sponsored by Latin American and Caribbean Studies Center, Hispanic Heritage Month Committee and University of Latino American (UIL).

Wednesday, October 31
12:00 – 2:00 PM
SAC Auditorium
Hispanic Heritage Month Awards Luncheon
Partnership Fund for Latino Scholars and Research: Fundraising luncheon to celebrate the accomplishments of Stony Brook students and staff for excellence, leadership and community service. For tickets/reservations contact HIM (via Matty Pannett 2-6760).
Sponsored by Hispanic Heritage Month Committee and Latin American and Caribbean Studies Center.

Friday, November 2
5:00 – 7:00 PM
LACC Conference Room
SBS N-320
Refreshments Served
Special Event
"Day of the Dead - Dia del los Muertos"
A one-week special. A real-life "Ofrenda" (Home Altar) of the Mexican celebration of "Day of the Dead". Learn about these living traditions and a healthy alternative to Halloween.
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Wednesday, November 14
10:00 AM – 2:00 PM
LACC Conference Room
SBS N-320
Refreshments Served
Prime Time
"LACC Minor"
Come discover the world of becoming a LACC minor at Stony Brook. Latino/Latin American films will be featured along with fine refreshments.
Sponsored by Latin American and Caribbean Studies Center.

Thursday, November 29
4:00 – 6:00 PM
LACC Conference Room
SBS N-320
Speaker
Pablo Picatets, History, Columbia University
"Sex, Violence and Crime in Mexico City"
Series: "New York Latin Americanists"
Sponsored by Latin American and Caribbean Studies Center and Department of History.

For more information about events or to add your name to the mailing list for LACC activities, contact us at Latin American and Caribbean Studies Center, Social and Behavioral Sciences Building (SBS) N-353, Stony Brook, New York 11794-4345, telephone (631) 632-7171, fax (631) 632-9422.
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