AUGUST

FRI, AUGUST 19 (4:30-5 PM)
New Student Welcome Week Mixer
For first-year and transfer students
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320

SEPTEMBER

WED, SEPTEMBER 7 (1-2:20 PM)
LACS Café
Coffee, empanadas, pan dulce, and a welcome back!
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320 (E/S)

MON, SEPTEMBER 12 (1-2:20 PM)
Chile After the Plebiscite: What the Vote on the New Constitution Means for Chile’s Future
Participants: Prof. Eric Zolov (History, Moderator), Nicolas Allen, Nicolas Barrientos, and Francisco Rodriguez (History), Matias Hermosilla and Andrés Estefane (Alumni)
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320 (E/S)

WED, SEPTEMBER 14 (1-2 PM)
The Brazil Elections: A Roundtable
Participants: Former Brazilian Chancellor Celso Amorim; Vincent Birns (author, The Jakarta Method); Ana Clara Costa (journalist, Piauí magazine); Prof. Murillo de Aragão (Columbia); Prof. Pablo Cahi (Stony Brook)
Presented by the Marie Colvin Center for International Reporting and Co-sponsored by the Humanities Institute, LACS, & UIUL Melville Library W4525 (EIP)

MON, SEPTEMBER 19 (ALL DAY)
Departed: A Family Divided Photo Exhibit Opening
Melville Library, Central Reading Room

TUES, SEPTEMBER 20 (1-1:25 PM)
Unearting Blackness: Race, Mining Toxicity and the Biopoliticals of Health in the Dominican Republic
Dr. Saudia Garcia (The New School, Anthropology)
ZOOM (E) To RSVP email lacs@stonybrook.edu

WED, SEPTEMBER 21 (1-2:20 PM)
History Grad Student Colloquium: “The Dawn of a Place of Vice: Montevideo in the 1910s–1920s.”
Adrián Murguez (PhD candidate)
Zoom (RSVP to karl.nyclemson@stonybrook.edu) (E)

WED, SEPTEMBER 28, (6:30-9 PM)
LACS at the Movies
Good Manners/As Boas Maneiras (horror, Brazil)
Screening and discussion by AJ Castle (WGSIS)
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320, Popcorn and drinks (EIP)

THU-FRI, SEPTEMBER 29-30 (ALL DAY)
HSGA Interdisciplinary Graduate Conference, “From the Archive Looking Out: Pushing History Beyond Its Comfort Zone”
Keynote speech by Dr. Yesenia Barragan (Rutgers) History Dept, SBS 3rd FL (E)

OCTOBER

WED, OCTOBER 5 (1-2:20 PM)
Hispanic Heritage Month Opening Ceremony
SAC Ballroom A

WED, OCTOBER 5 (8-10 PM)
Dominos and Café Caliente, sponsored by UCC
UNTI Cultural Center

WED, OCTOBER 12 (1-2:20 PM)
LACS Café and LACS Minor Open House
Outdoor location TBD, Empanadas and drinks provided

SAT, OCTOBER 15 (3 PM)
Encanto Film Screening
Staller Center

TUES, OCTOBER 18 (10:30 AM – 12 PM)
LACS Faculty Brown Bag: “Influences of Masculinity and Context on the Severity of Substance Use and Mental Health for Latinx Men”
Miguel Muñoz-Loby (School of Social Welfare)
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320. Coffee/pastries provided (E)

TUES, OCTOBER 19 (1-2:20 PM)
LACS Graduate Student Research Fellowship Research Presentations
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320 (E/S)

WED, OCTOBER 19 (4-6 PM)
LACS at the Movies
Tarjeta Roja / Red Card: Soccer and Racism (documentary, Ecuador)
Soccer game and screening by Jesús Jimenez Valdés (HL)
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320, Popcorn and drinks (E/S)

WED, OCTOBER 26 (1-2:20 PM)
Latinx, Latina, Hispanic-What’s the Difference? Community Pintada
Come learn and discuss all the identifying terms we use in our communities, and the histories/contexts behind them. Short presentation followed by group chat.
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320, Lunch provided (E)

WED, OCTOBER 26
Kitchen Demo and Dinner with Chef Kelvin Fernandez
Winner of Food Network’s Beat Bobby Flay!
Details forthcoming

THURS, OCTOBER 27
Hispanic Heritage Month Faculty/Staff Mixer
Details forthcoming

THURS, OCTOBER 27
Celebrating Afro-Peruvian artist Victoria Santa Cruz
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320
Details forthcoming

NOVEMBER

TUES, NOVEMBER 1 (TIME TBD)
Hispanic Heritage Month Closing Ceremony, Raffle Baskets, and Scholarships & Awards
SAC Ballroom A

TUES, NOVEMBER 1 (ALL DAY)
Día de los Muertos Altar Decorating
Help build our altar and add a picture or memento of your departed loved ones (human and animal)!
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320. Hot chocolate/cookies provided

WED, NOVEMBER 2 (1-2:20 PM)
Día de los Muertos Celebration / Altar
Tamales, pan dulce, and Long Island Farmworker Flower Co-op marigolds for sale!
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320 (E/S)

FRI, NOVEMBER 4 (ALL DAY)
H.U.L. Graduation Party, “Yo no naci para amar” Capasidades, afectos y cuidados
Keynote speech by PJ D’Ippolito
Humanities Bldg (S)

TUES, NOVEMBER 8 (12-1:15 PM)
Faculty Brown Bag, “The Spanish-Aztec War: A Classroom Adventure in Five Acts”
Elizabeth Newman (SBU History and Vice Provost) and Ashley Black (CSU Stanislaus)
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320. Lunch provided (E)

WED, NOVEMBER 9 (6:30-9 PM)
LACS at the Movies
Perro bomba (drama, Chile)
Screening and discussion by José M. Baeza-Zúñiga (History)
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320. Popcorn and drinks provided

MON, NOVEMBER 14 (4-5:30 PM)
Panama in Black: Afro-Caribbean World Making in the Twentieth Century (New Book Talk)
Dr. Kaysha Corinealdi (Emerson College)
ZOOM (E)

WED, NOVEMBER 16 (5:30-7:30 PM)
LACS Featured Artist: Exhibit Opening
LACS Gallery, SBS 3rd FL, N-320. Wine and cheese reception

WED, NOVEMBER 30 (1-2:20 PM)
LACS Café + Holiday Flower Sale
Coffee, empanadas, pan dulce, and plants to buy and gift for the holidays!
SBS Lobby

DECEMBER

WED AND THURS., DECEMBER 7 - 8 (10 AM - 6 PM)
Finals Study Lounge
Snacks and study space provided
LACS Lounge, SBS 3rd FL, N-337

(E) = Event in English
(S) = Event in Spanish
(P) = Event in Portuguese
(E/S) or (E/P) = Event is Bilingual