

# Latin American & Caribbean Studies

## Spring 2018

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31**

**LACS CAFÉ**

Please join us in conversation and learn about the LACS Minor!

LACS Gallery, SBS N-320, 1-2:20pm  
Coffee and empanadas served.



**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2**

**NYCLAHW WORKSHOP\***

Keila Grinberg (Federal University of the State of Rio de Janeiro), "The Crime of Illegal Enslavement and the Precariousness of Freedom in Nineteenth-Century Brazil"

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13**

**LACS AT THE MOVIES**

*Machuca* (Chile, 2004). Discussion led by Matias Hermosilla (History)

LACS Gallery, SBS N-320, 6pm  
Popcorn and refreshments served.

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14**

**BRUNO CARVALHO (PRINCETON)**

"Contradictions, Tensions, Transits: Rio de Janeiro as a Porous City"

Frey Hall 328, 2:30-5:30pm

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21**

**GRADUATE STUDENT BROWN BAG WORKSHOP\*\***

Ashley Black (History)  
"Hotel Mexico, Santo Domingo: Navigating Asylum in Trujillo's DR, 1946-1954"

LACS Lounge, SBS N-337, 12-1pm  
Coffee, cookies and refreshments served.

**FRIDAY, MARCH 2**

**NYCLAHW WORKSHOP\***

Krystle Farman (PhD Candidate, CUNY), "In Accordance with the Holy Faith': Afro-Mexican Catholicism in the Seventeenth Century"

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7**

**CLINICA DE MIGRANTES: LIFE, LIBERTY AND THE PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS (2017)**

A medical drama about a year in the life of Puentes, one of the only health clinics in the U.S. involved in the politically controversial practice of providing healthcare to undocumented immigrants.

Location TBD, 1pm

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7**

**"A HISTORY OF INFAMY: CRIME, TRUTH AND JUSTICE IN MEXICO"**

Book presentation and conversation with Pablo Piccato (Columbia University)

LACS Gallery, SBS N-320, 4pm  
Refreshments and cookies served.

**TUESDAY, MARCH 27**

**LACS AT THE MOVIES**

*Frida* (USA, 2002). Discussion led by Fernando Amador (History)

LACS Gallery, SBS N-320, 6pm  
Popcorn and refreshments served.

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4**

**GRADUATE STUDENT BROWN BAG WORKSHOP\*\***

William Demarest (History)  
"Self-Service Modernity: Retail Space and The Cultural Politics of Shopping in Mid-century Medellín, Colombia"

LACS Lounge, SBS N-337, 12-1pm  
Coffee, cookies and refreshments served.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 13**

**NYCLAHW WORKSHOP\***

Mila Burns (CUNY), "Onze de Setembro: Brazilian Narratives of the 1973 Coup in Chile"

**SATURDAY, APRIL 21**

**LACS GRADUATE STUDENT CONFERENCE**

"Globalizing Latin America: New Approaches to the Nation and Identity," held in collaboration with Columbia University. Keynote speaker, Matthew Karush (George Mason University).

International Affairs Building, Room 802; 10am-5pm  
Columbia University, NYC

**TUESDAY, APRIL 24**

**LACS AT THE MOVIES**

*Southern District* (Bolivia, 2010). Discussion led by Giovanni Bello (History)

LACS Gallery, SBS N-320, 6pm  
Popcorn and refreshments served.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 2**

**FINAL LACS CAFÉ**

Celebrate the end of the semester at our Closing/Awards Ceremony Café!

LACS Lounge, SBS N-333, 1-2:00 pm  
Coffee, refreshments and empanadas served.



**MAY 7-11**

**LACS STUDY BREAK**

A quiet space to prepare for final exams! Open to all students.

LACS Lounge, SBS N-320, 9am-4:30pm  
Coffee, refreshments and snacks served.