Robert A. Pastor North America Research Initiative Workshop

A workshop for early career scholars by American University’s Center for Latin American and Latino Studies (CLALS) and by American University’s School of International Service

October 27-28, 2016

WORKSHOP AGENDA

Wednesday 10/26 6:00-8:00 p.m. Dinner at Margaret Pastor’s Home

Welcome dinner at the home of Robert A. Pastor’s widow Margaret Pastor
4667 Kenmore Dr. NW, Washington, DC 20007 (Please RSVP)

Thursday 10/27 8:45-9:00 a.m. Welcomes & Buffet Breakfast

Arrival to American University’s School of International Service Building Room SIS 300

Eric Hershberg, Director of CLALS and Professor of Government at AU
Tom Long, Lecturer at the University of Reading (United Kingdom)
Louis Goodman, Professor and Dean Emeritus of the School of International Service at AU
Phil Brenner, Professor in the School of International Service at AU

9:00-10:00 a.m. Introductions and Open Discussion

10:00-11:00 a.m. Dialogue on dynamics driving North American policy/ (dis)integration today

Earl Anthony (Tony) Wayne, Former U.S. Ambassador to Mexico

11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Open discussion

12:00-12:45 p.m. Lunch

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| **2:15-2:30 p.m.** | **Break** |
| Fresh Coffee will be available in the Workshop Room |

| **2:30-4:00 p.m.** | **Group 2: Migration and the Challenges of Social Integration** |
| Scholars present 8-10 minute elaborations of their memos followed by open discussion. |
| Moderator:         | Eric Hershberg |
| Scholars:          | Lauren Duquette-Rury, *Assistant Professor at the University of California-Los Angeles (UCLA)* |
|                     | Michael Danielson, *Visiting Faculty at the University of California Washington Program (UCDC)* |
|                     | Alexandra Délano, *Assistant Professor at The New School* |
|                     | Clarisa Pérez-Armendáriz, *Assistant Professor at Santa Clara University* |
|                     | Ernesto Castañeda, *Assistant Professor at American University* |

| **4:15 p.m.** | **Shuttle to the Mexican Cultural Institute OR Return to Hotel** |
| Scholars can choose to attend the Public Panel at the Mexican Cultural Institute or return back to their hotel rooms. |
6:00- 7:30 p.m.  Public Panel at Mexican Cultural Institute (MCI)


Introductions:
Eric Hershberg
Alberto Fierro, Executive Director of the Mexican Cultural Institute

Chair & Moderator:
Tom Long

Panel Participants & Topics:
Christopher Wilson: Growing Together
Malcolm Fairbrother: Those Left Behind: Populism and the North American agenda
Alexandra Délano: Those Who Move: Migration in North America
Marcela López-Vallejo: Environment and Governance in North America

7:40 p.m.  Shuttle from MCI to Le Chat Noir for Dinner

8:00 p.m.  Dinner at  Le Chat Noir

Scholars who did not attend the Panel at MCI can choose to rejoin the group at the restaurant for dinner (Address below). It is a 15 min walk from the hotel or a 5 min cab ride (Please remember to save all receipts to ensure reimbursement)

Le Chat Noir
4907 Wisconsin Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20016
http://www.lechatnoirrestaurant.com/
Friday 10/28  9:15 a.m.  Arrival and Buffet Breakfast

Arrival to American University's School of International Service Building Room SIS 300

9:30- 10:30 a.m.  Continuation of Group Discussions from Thursday

10:30 a.m.- 12:00 p.m.  Group 3: Regional Policy Coordination

Scholars present 8-10 minute elaborations of their memos followed by open discussion.

Moderator:
Louis Goodman

Scholars:
Marcela López-Vallejo, Associate Professor at Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CID
- Climate policy
Tom Long
- Managing asymmetrical regionalism
Gema Santamaría Balmaceda, Professor at Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM)
- Security challenges
Daniela Stevens, Ph.D. Candidate in the School of Public Affairs at AU

12:00- 12:45 p.m.  Lunch

Buffet Lunch in Workshop Room
Continue discussion informally over lunch.

12:45- 2:30 p.m.  Paper Presentations and Discussion

12-15 minute presentations of two or three papers, distributed in advance, followed by discussion.

2:45- 4:00 p.m.  De-brief on two questions

What do you think could be the most fruitful results from this initiative in terms of field development and encouragement of new generation network formation?

What are the main research questions that might drive your work going forward?

Open discussion of how these ideas reflect the state of the North American research picture.

4:30 p.m.  Shuttle back to Hotel