

CALENDAR OF MEETINGS

LES AMERIQUES: TERRES DE FEU
Congress
Quebec, Canada
September 24–26, 1971

The Centre Québécois de Relations Internationales and the Centre d'Études de Politique Étrangère de Paris sponsored this 3rd Congress of International Relations of Quebec.

Fernand Grenier was responsible for organizing the program. Papers resulting from the meeting are scheduled to be published by the Université du Québec, Montreal, Press sometime during 1972. The following presentations were made:

José Pinera, Chilean Institute of International Affairs, *L'Amérique latine et le monde en 1970*;

Gérard Destanne de Bernis, Université des Sciences Sociales de Grenoble, *Economie et politique étrangère en Amérique latine*;

Yvan Labelle, Université Laval, *Sens et contre-sens du panaméricanisme*;

Marcel Niedergang, *Journal Le Monde*, José Martins Pereira, SEDECOS, Chile, Georges Fournial, Association France-Cuba, Daniel Holly, Université du Québec: participants in a panel discussion of *Les choix de l'Amérique latine: socialisme révolutionnaire ou progressisme libéral?*

Leader: Louis Martin, Université Laval.

I. Y a-t-il une politique canadienne en Amérique latine?

Paul-Yves Denis, Université Laval, *Coördinator, Problématique de la présence canadienne en Amérique latine*;

Edouard Bellemare, Ministère des Affaires Extérieures, *La diplomatie canadienne en Amérique latine depuis 1960*;

Caroline Pestieau, Private Planning Association of Canada, *Les relations économiques Canada-Amérique latine*;

Christian Girault, Université Laval, *Les relations économiques du Canada et des Antilles*;

Renaud Bernardin, CEGEP de Lévis, *Le Québec et la francophonie antillaise*;

II. L'Eglise en Amérique latine, celle de droite, celle de gauche.

Emile Dion, c.s.c., *L'Eglise et la promotion des masses populaires*;

Charles Antoine, France, *L'Eglise face aux mouvements révolutionnaires*;

José Martins Pereira, *Rôle de clergé étranger en Amérique latine*;

Gabriel Dicaire, O.M.I., *Coördinator, Espoir et désespoir d'une Eglise en cheminement*;

III. Cuba et Chili ou les voies latin-américaines vers le socialisme.

David Booth, University of Hull, England, *Dimension internationale du développement socialiste*;

Olga Pellicer de Brody, *El Colegio de México, Cuba et le reste de l'Amérique latine*;

Yvan Labelle, *Coördinator, Cuba-Chili: deux itinéraires politiques*;

José Pinera, *Perspectives du socialisme au Chili*;

Marc-André Blain, Université du Québec, *Le Chili socialiste et ses voisins*.

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IV. Militaires, étudiants, ouvriers, paysans et pouvoir en Amérique latine.

Cary Hector, Université du Québec, Coordinator, La dynamique du pouvoir en Amérique latine;

Robert Vandycke, Université de Montreal, Rôle des classes moyennes et des classes populaires;

Pierre Gilhodes, Fondation Nationale des Sciences Politiques, Paris, Les paysans et le pouvoir;

Cesar Rutigliano, Argentina, Les étudiants et l'intelligentsia face au pouvoir;

Alain Joxe, Centre d'Études de Politique Étrangère, Paris, Régime militaire et problématique de transformation;

V. Développement international: coopération et investissement privé.

Gérard Destanne de Bernis, Stratégie du développement et investissement privé en Amérique latine;

Raymond Vernon, Harvard University, Relations économiques et politiques entre l'Amérique latine et les Etats-Unis;

André Mailhot, Agence de coopération et de développement international, Coordinator, La coopération ou l'aide qui n'aide pas;

Cesare Merlini, Institut Italien des Affaires Internationales, La coopération européenne en Amérique latine.

Panel: L'Amérique latine face aux blocs politiques.

Marcel Niedergang, Europe occidentale; Jersy Prokopczuk, Institut Polonais des Affaires Internationales, Bloc socialiste; and Daniel Holly, Etats-Unis.

A special lecture was presented by Jacques Chonchol, the Minister of Agriculture of Chile.

**CONFERENCE OF LATIN
AMERICANIST GEOGRAPHERS**
Syracuse, New York
December 2-4, 1971

The Conference of Latin Americanist Geographers in cooperation with Syracuse University sponsored this meeting which focused on Latin American Development Issues.

A. David Hill was responsible for organizing the program. The following themes were developed:

I. Urbanization and Industrialization.

Howard Gauthier, Presiding, Economic Growth and Polarized Space in Latin America: A Search for Geographic Theory?;

Armin K. Ludwig, De-pollution versus Development: Brazil Cannot Afford Both!;

Lawrence Brown, Diffusion, Growth Poles, Development?;

Barry Lentnek, Spatial Investment Strategies: A Balanced View;

Stanley Brunn, Latin American Cities: Nodes of Political Action;

Orin C. Patton, Electoral Development in Latin America: Spatial Problems and Policy Alternatives;

II. Ecological Impact of Development.

William Denevan, Presiding, *The Imminent Demise of the Amazon Rainforest*;
 Charles F. Bennett, *Development and Ecological Reality in Latin America*;
 Gerald Olson, *Geographical Aspects of Soil Use Consideration in Latin America*;
 Carl Johannessen, *Sewage as a Pollutant in Central America*;
 Howard Daugherty, *The Conflict Between Accelerating Economic Demands and
 Regional Ecologic Stability in Coastal El Salvador*;
 Joshua C. Dickinson, *The Protein Flight from Tropical Latin America: Some Social
 and Ecological Implications*.

III. Regional Development Planning.

Richard Momsen, Presiding, *Northeast Brazilian Development Studies; Practices
 and Problems*;
 Paul Cox, *A Geographical Assessment of Regional Education Patterns: Turrialba,
 Cantón, Costa Rica*;
 P. A. D. Stouse, Jr. and Betty Holtzman, *Rural Population Potential and Regional
 Planning*;
 Bonham Richardson, *Difficulties with Planned Agricultural Change in the Post-
 Plantation Caribbean*;
 James McConnell, *Regional Development in the CACM: Too Many Realities and
 Not Enough Myths—Ptolemy to the Rescue!*;
 Paul Mandell, *The Rise and Decline of Geography in Brazilian Development Plan-
 ning; Some Lessons to be Learned*.

Small group discussions followed the presentation of papers. The next meeting
 of CLAG is scheduled for Calgary, Canada, June 1973. For further information
 write: Richard Momsen, Department of Geography, University of Calgary, Alberta,
 Canada.

**LATIN AMERICA: EMERGING
 PERSPECTIVES**

Symposium

Greenville, North Carolina

January 20–21, 1972

largely undeveloped trade potential that exists between Latin America and Eastern
 North Carolina. The following lectures were given:

David G. Basile, University of North Carolina, *Andean America: A Case-Study in
 Latin American Problems*;

Patricio Rodríguez, Embassy of Chile, *Latin America and the United States*;

Neill Macaulay, University of Florida, *Castro's Rise to Power*;

Kermit L. King and Wilkins B. Winn, East Carolina University, *The Peripatetic
 Student or Aspects of International Studies*;

John H. Crimmins, U.S. Department of State, *U.S. Policy Towards Latin America*;

Anthony L. Furr, Wachovia International Investment Corporation, *The Investment
 Climate in Latin America*;

East Carolina University sponsored
 its annual Latin American sympos-
 ium early in 1972. The purpose of
 this symposium is to try to inform
 the people of that area about the

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Armistead I. Selden, Jr., U.S. Department of Defense, Security Relationships within the Western Hemisphere;

Leo W. Jenkins and John A. Lang, Jr., East Carolina University, presided over the two sessions.

A panel discussion involving various participants of the symposium discussed *An Attempt at Synthesis*.

For additional information write: Edward P. Leahy, Associate Professor of Geography, East Carolina University, Greenville, North Carolina 27834.

**CONFERENCE ON HIGHER
EDUCATION IN THE AMERICAN
REPUBLICS**

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

February 27–March 3, 1972

The Institute of International Education sponsored this conference. James F. Tierney, Vice President, was responsible for organizing the sessions. Program topics related to Latin America included: Application

of New Developments in Communications Technology to Educational Problems; New Models in Higher Education; and The University President: Future Roles and Responsibilities. The conference recommended the establishment of a regional center of educational technology for Latin America.

Participants included the following: Fidel Alsina, Fundación Bariloche; Edgardo Boeninger, Universidad de Chile; John Z. Bowers, Josiah Macy Jr. Foundation; Willard L. Boyd, University of Iowa; Ernest Boyer, State University of New York, Albany; Dale R. Corson, Cornell University; Amadeu Cury, Universidade de Brasília; Eduardo Z. Faraco, Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul; Fernando García Roel, Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey; Eleanor Halle, American Embassy; Charles J. Hitch, University of California, Berkeley; Kenneth Holland, Institute of International Education; Thomas F. Jones, University of South Carolina; Grayson Kirk, Columbia University; Victor de Sá Machado, Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian; Carlos A. Mallmann, Fundación Bariloche; Fernando de Mendonça, Comissão Nacional de Atividades Espaciais; Brasil, Luis Gomes Moreno, Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian; Martha Muse, The Tinker Foundation; Stanley A. Nicholson, Ford Foundation; Joaquín Páez, Universidad de los Andes; Jarbas Passalunho, Ministry of Education of Brazil; Maurice H. Purcell, Borough of Manhattan Community College; Pearl G. Purcell, Institute of International Education; Roberto Santos, Conselho Federal de Educação; Frederick Seitz, Rockefeller University; Philip Sherlock, Association of Caribbean Universities and Research Institutes; Newton Suppirá, Ministry of Education and Culture, Brasil; James F. Tierney, Institute of International Education and International Councils on Higher Education; and Federico Vela.

**REVISIONIST INTERPRETATIONS OF
U.S. MILITARISM-IMPERIALISM AND
THE ETHICS OF SCHOLARSHIP**

New Brunswick, New Jersey

This crisis conference was presented by the Latin American Institute and the Sociology Department of Livingston College of Rutgers Univer-

March 9–11, 1972

sity. It was held on the campus of

Rutgers University. The program for the conference follows:

A. The Ethics of Science

I. Opening Remarks: Robert Alexander and James Cockcroft, Rutgers University.

II. Ethics of Science.

Juan Corradi, Argentina, Cultural Dependence in Latin America;

June Nash, New York University, Her Experience in Bolivia;

Maurice Bazin, France, Chile: "pure science" as a Tool of Cultural Imperialism;

Coordinator: Brady Tyson, American University.

III. Applied Social Science—The Peru Case.

Jorge Dandler, Bolivia, Agrarian Reform and Technocrats;

Karen Spalding, Columbia University, Peru's Military;

Vincent Peloso, Howard University, Peru's Blacks: History from the Bottom up;

Coordinator: Warren Dean, New York University.

B. Alternatives for an Ethical Science—Anti-Imperialist Research

I. Opening Remarks: Aijaz Ahmad, Livingston College, and Tony Russo, "Pentagon Papers";

II. Multinational Corporations.

Michael Locker, NACLA, Researching the Multinationals;

Dale Johnson and James Cockcroft, Livingston College, Conflict in Chile;

Steven Hymer, New School, Multinational Corporations;

Coordinator: Hugo Valladares, Institute of Policy Studies, Washington, D.C.

III. Opening Remarks: Marjorie and Tom Melville, Catholic Missionaries.

IV. Institutional Dimensions of Imperialism.

Ron Radosh, Queensborough Community College;

Hobart Spalding, Brooklyn College, U.S. Labor and Latin American Labor;

Rick Edwards, NACLA, The Church and Cultural Imperialism;

Ashakant Nimbark, India, Mass Media, Global Subversions, and Radical Research;

John Pollack, Livingston College, The Press and Chile;

Coordinator: James Petras, Pennsylvania State University.

V. Opening Remarks: Irving Louis Horowitz, Livingston College.

VI. Colonialism—The Puerto Rican Case.

Ramon Arbona, Puerto Rico, Independence and Socialism;

Andres Torres, Workers and Education in New York City;

Coordinator: Maria Canino, Livingston College.

VII. Education and Cultural Imperialism.

Edward Scobie, Freedom Party, Dominica, W. Aggrey Brown, Livingston College, and Tunde Odetola, Nigeria, Education in the Caribbean and Africa;

Richard Lee, Livingston College, and Stephen Barnet, Princeton University, Combatting Anthropological Imperialism;

Coordinator: David Barkin, Lehman College.

For additional information write: Latin American Institute, Rutgers University, 122 College Avenue, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903.

**INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
ASSOCIATION**

Annual Convention

Dallas, Texas

March 14–18, 1972

Most of the general topics taken up at the annual convention of the International Studies Association touched on Latin America, e.g., Comparative Foreign Policy Decision-Making and Interdisciplinary

Comparative Research on Political Socialization and its Implications for Educational Decision-Making. Two papers presented specifically dealt with Latin America:

John Sloan, University of Houston, and James Cochrane, Tulane University, The Latin American Free Trade Association and the Central American Common Market;

Rogelio Díaz-Guerrero, Universidad Nacional de México, Two Multi-National Cross-Cultural Studies: Coping and Achievement and Affective Meaning.

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF
PHYSICAL ANTHROPOLOGISTS**

41st Annual Meeting

Lawrence, Kansas

April 12–15, 1972

Approximately 400 physical anthropologists attended the 41st annual meeting of the American Association of Physical Anthropologists held on the campus of the University of Kansas. M. H. Crawford

was responsible for organizing the meeting. Special guests were Henry de Lumley, France, Bernard Campbell, Cambridge, and W. M. Krogman.

On April 13 a symposium was held on Human Biology of South America. The following papers were presented:

Vazquez-Geffroy, *et al*, Inbreeding and its Consequences in a Frontier Community in the Dominican Republic;

Halberstein, Historical-Demographic Analysis of the Mexican-American Enclave of the Kansas City Metropolitan Area;

J. N. Spuhler, Genetic and Lexicostatistical Estimates of Affinities of Mayan Indians; R. B. Thomas, Human Adaptation to a High Andean Energy Flow System;

A. R. Frisancho, *et al*, Development Adaptation and its Influence on Work Capacity at High Altitude.

The papers will be published in various anthropological journals. For additional information write: Francis Johnston, Department of Anthropology, Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19122.

**REVOLUTIONARY CUBA AND
UNITED STATES POLICY:
NEW REALITIES**

Austin, Texas

April 13–14, 1972

The Latin American Policy Alternatives Group (LAPAG) sponsored this conference on Cuba. The conference began with a film: "Fidel," followed by a discussion led by Saul Landau, film maker, and Phil

Hutchings, Essex College. Work shops were organized around the following themes: American Policy, Che, Cuban Exiles, Venceremos Brigade, Blacks in Cuba, Chicanos

and the Cuban Revolution, The New Man in Cuba, Women in Cuba, Ten Million Tons, Religion in Cuba, Culture in Cuba, and The Cuban Health System.

The following panels met for discussion:

Panel I, Roots of Revolution.

Richard Graham, Moderator, University of Texas;
Carmelo Mesa-Lago, University of Pittsburgh;
Nelson P. Valdés, University of New Mexico;
Joe Collins, Institute for Policy Studies of Columbia University.

Panel II, Socialism and the New Man.

William P. Glade, Moderator, The University of Texas at Austin;
Brian H. Pollitt, Yale University;
Sandra Levinson, Brooklyn Polytechnic;
Saul Landau, Film Maker;
Marvin Leiner, Queens College, City University of New York.

Panel III. Cuba and the U.S.: Collision or Cooperation?

Richard Sinkin, Moderator, University of Texas;
Lee Lockwood, Journalist;
James Theberge, Georgetown University.

The conference ended with a folk concert given by Barbara Dane.

MADISON CONFERENCE ON CHILE
Madison, Wisconsin
April 13–15, 1972

The Ibero-American Studies Program of the University of Wisconsin sponsored the Madison Conference on Chile in cooperation with Com-

munity Action on Latin America, Madison. A major address was given by Orlando Letelier, Chilean Ambassador to the United States. Four panels dealt with the following topics:

I. The Chilean Political Economy.

Lynda Ann Ewen, Wayne State University, Pre-Allende Chile—the Structure of the Ruling Class;

Elizabeth Farnsworth, NACLA, Changes in the Chilean Economy since November 1970;

Dale Johnson, Rutgers University, Counter-Revolutionary Forces;

Victor Wallis, Indiana University, Foreign Investment and Chilean Politics;

Andrew Zimbalist, Harvard University, The Transition to Socialism.

II. Chile in the International Context.

Susanne Bodenheimer, NACLA, Chile and the Bankruptcy of the Alliance for Progress;

James Petras, Pennsylvania State University, U.S. Responses to the Allende Government;

Miles Wolpin, St. Francis Xavier University, Historical and Comparative Perspectives on Chile's Popular Government;

Readings from the poetry of Pablo Neruda;

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Fernando Alegría, Chilean Cultural Attaché to the U.S., *The New Sense of Nationalism in Chile*.

III. Mass Political Participation.

Claudio Barriga, University of Wisconsin, *The End of the Latifundium and the Role of the Peasantry*;

Donald Bray, California State College, *Mass Mobilization and the Chilean Political System*;

Elsa Chaney, Fordham University, *The Political Participation of Women*;

Timothy Harding, California State College, *The Mapuche Indians and the Agrarian Reforms*;

Patrick Peppe, New York University, *The Evolution of the Chilean Trade Union Movement*;

Paul Sigmund, Princeton University, *Chilean Elections: 1964–1972*.

IV. Problems Facing Chile in the Immediate Future.

Elizabeth Farnsworth, Lynda Ann Ewen, Dale Johnson, James Petras, and Miles Wolpin, panelists.

Two films were shown during the conference: "Chile Puts on Long Pants" and "How and Why the General was Murdered." A folk concert by Suni Paz ended the conference.

WISCONSIN COUNCIL OF LATIN AMERICANISTS

Spring Meeting

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

April 14–15, 1972

Professor G. Michael Riley organized the program for the spring meeting of the Wisconsin Council of Latin Americanists. Speaker at the main session was Arthur P. Whitaker, Professor Emeritus, Uni-

versity of Pennsylvania. His address was entitled *Nationalism and Latin American Ferment*. The following papers were presented:

Marguerite Suárez-Murias, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, *La lengua española, patrimonio espiritual y político*;

Discussants: Antoni Lazcano, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire and Horacio Roque-Núñez, Laurentian University;

Presiding: Armando Alonso, Viterbo College.

J. Richard Snyder, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, William S. Culbertson in Chile: *Pursuing the Open Door as a Good Neighbor*;

Discussants: Graeme S. Mount, Laurentian University and Edward A. Jamison, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire;

Presiding: Robert J. Knowlton, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point.

Sister Mary Edgar Meyer, Marian College, *The Psycho-Zoological Short Stories of Rafael Arévalo Martínez*;

Discussants: Kenneth Grieb, University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh and Rodolfo Cortina, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee;

Presiding: Luis Soto-Ruiz, Marquette University.

Steve Schmidt, Iowa State University, *Bureaucrats as Modernizing Brokers: Clientelism in Colombia*;

Discussants: William James, University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh and Harry Kantor, Marquette University;

Presiding: John Dial, Marquette University.

Charles Tatum, University of Minnesota-Morris, *Chicano Prose Fiction: A Chronicle of Misery*;

Discussants: Eleanore Dial, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and Néstor Domínguez, Clarke College;

Presiding: Leonor Andrade, Mount Mary College.

Elliott Gehr, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, *Need and Response: The Evolution of Fruit and Vegetable Wholesale Markets in Metropolitan Mexico*;

Discussants: Pierre Hegy, Marquette University and Virgil Holder, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse;

Presiding: Alexander Hooker, Ripon College.

Stephen Whelan, Marquette University, *The Catholic Church and the Christian Democratic Party in Chile*;

Willie Kathryn Suggs, Marquette University, *The Role of the Middle Sectors during the Free Years*;

Discussants: David Grueschow, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point and Edmund Spanbauer, University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh;

Presiding: Barbara Kasseckert, Mount Mary College.

Meeting the Needs of Bi-Lingual Students;

Discussants: Sarah Graffenberger, Allen Field School, Rafael Gutiérrez, Waukesha High School, Sister Mary Milo, Bruce-Guadalupe School, Noe Cavazos, Milwaukee Public Schools, Mary Randall, Allen-Field School, Ezequiel Benavides, Waukesha Public Schools;

Presiding: Thomas Landers, Kozciuzko Jr. High School.

The newly elected officers of the Wisconsin Council of Latin Americanists are the following: President, Alexander Hooker, Ripon College; Vice-President, Armando Alonso, Viterbo College; Secretary-Treasurer, G. Michael Riley, Marquette University; Communications Chairman, Virgil Holder, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse; Program Chairman, Gary G. Kuhn, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse; and Nominating Chairman, James Alexander, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire.

**SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL
GAP IN LATIN AMERICA**

Inter-American Symposium

Lincoln, Nebraska

April 17-18, 1972

The Institute for Latin American and International Studies of the University of Nebraska presented this inter-American symposium. The major objectives of the symposium were to analyze the present condi-

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tions in science and technology in Latin America, and to study ways in which the United States and Latin American centers of higher learning can cooperate in bringing about improvement of today's conditions. The program included the following presentations:

Harrison Brown, National Academy of Sciences, The Role of Science and Technology in Development;

Marcelo Alonso, Organization of American States, Trends in Science and Technology in Latin America;

Manuel Noriega Morales, Instituto Centroamericano de Investigación y Tecnología Industrial, Technological Transfer—Adaptation and Innovation;

Víctor L. Urquidi, El Colegio de México, Latin American Development and the Technical Gap;

Jorge Soria, Instituto Interamericano de Ciencias Agrícolas, A General View of the Present Status of Scientific Knowledge on Tropical Agriculture in Latin America;

Myron Wegman, University of Michigan, Applied Research in Public Health in Latin America;

Adam C. Breckenridge, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, The University of Nebraska in Latin America;

Carlos A. Mallman, Fundación Bariloche, Gaps in Mankind's Wellbeing: Argentina as a Case Study;

Guillermo Soberón and Arcadio Poveda, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México; Mexico's Scientific and Technological Gap and the Program of Scientific Development of the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México;

Luis Manuel Peñalver, Universidad Metropolitana de Caracas, The Situation of Science and Technology in Venezuela.

Proceedings of this symposium will be published at a cost of \$5.00. For additional information write: Roberto Esquenazi-Mayo, Director, Institute for Latin American and International Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska 68508.

**ROCKY MOUNTAIN COUNCIL FOR
LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES**
Twentieth Regional Conference
Boulder, Colorado
April 21–22, 1972

All meetings for the Twentieth Regional Conference of the Rocky Mountain Council for Latin American Studies took place on the campus of the University of Colorado. Ralph Kite, University of Colorado, was

program director for 1972. The following sessions were held:

Literature: Yvonne Barrett, University of Colorado, presiding; Owen L. Kellerman, Arizona State University, *Los albañiles* de Vicente Leñero: Estudio de la víctima;

William J. Karras, University of Wyoming, Alexander Everett and Domingo Delmonte y Aponte: Record of Friendship, 1840–1845;

Don Whitmore, University of New Mexico, La musicalidad en la poesía de Manuel Gutiérrez Nájera;

Timothy Brown, University of Arizona, *Idea and Plot in the Stories of Monteiro Lobato*.

History: Robert Hayes, Texas Tech University, presiding;

Louis R. Sadler, New Mexico State University-Las Cruces, Spruille Braden, Latin American Communism, and the Cold War;

Thomas Wolff, University of Arizona, *The 1958–59 Mexican-Guatemalan Imbrolio over Fishing Rights and National Honor*;

William Cumiford, Texas Tech University, *Ecuadorian-European Relations, 1846–66: An Unanswered Challenge to the Monroe Doctrine?*

Economics, Business and Politics: William Taylor, University of Colorado, presiding;

Neale J. Pearson, Texas Tech University, *The Political and Social Background of the Formal Brazilian Political Elite, 1960–1971*.

John Conklin, Thunderbird Graduate School, *The Backgrounds and Tenure Patterns of the Presidents of Mexico*;

Russell Martin Moore; University of Texas at Austin, *Imperialism and Dependency in Latin America: A View of the New Reality of Multinational Investment*;

Michael Bird, Colorado College, *Reform and Development in the Poor Nations: Some Notes Based on the Case of Peru*.

The City in Latin American Civilization: Marshall R. Nason, Moderator;

Clarke H. Garnsey, University of Texas at El Paso, *Early XIX Century Life in Trinidad, Cuba*;

Gary Brower, University of New Mexico, *Sábato, Martínez Estrada and Mumford: Attack on the Megalopolis*;

Shane Davies, University of Texas at Austin, *Internal Migration to Guatemala City*;

William P. Tucker, Texas Tech University, *Mexican Middle-sized Cities: A Consideration of Studies of Three Cities*;

José Armando Dubon, Elbert Covell College of Interamerican Studies, University of the Pacific, *The Question of Power in the Cities of Latin America*;

Gerald Theisen, University of Albuquerque, *The Case of Camilo Torres Restrepo*;

Discussants: Pedro David, University of New Mexico; John F. Knowlton, Arizona State University; Ronald C. Newton, Simon Fraser University.

Guest speaker for the conference banquet was Fray Angélico Chávez, Santa Fe, New Mexico. The conference closed following a business meeting and election of officers.

LATIN AMERICA: THE LOW PROFILE IN THE UNITED STATES

Immaculata, Pennsylvania

April 22, 1972

University of Pennsylvania Law School and former Assistant Secretary of State for Latin America as well as former ambassador to Colombia, gave the key address on All-American Challenges.

Three Latin Americans now resident in the United States gave their reaction to

The invisibility of Latin America was the theme of a one-day conference sponsored by the Center for the Teaching of the Americas at Immaculata College. Covey T. Oliver,

the "invisibility" of Latin America in the communications media and in education in the United States. They are: Consuelo García-Godos de Stagnaro, Peru; Hernán Galilea, Chile; and Jaime Encinas, Bolivia. The motion picture, "Chile Wears Long Pants," was shown prior to action discussion groups, to indicate the kind of information not received by people in the United States.

Consultants at the afternoon groups were: Joseph Ellis, City College of New York; Charles Moyer, Organization of American States Inter-American Commission of Washington, D.C.; James Clark, Providence College; Benjamin Nuñez, West Chester State College; Marina Herrera, Fordham University; and Louis P. Falino, Jr., Temple University. The following were leaders of the discussion groups: Leopoldo Stagnaro, First Pennsylvania Bank of Philadelphia; Virginia Neel Mills, Frostburg State College; Francine Reilly, Temple University; William Rolofson, PMC Colleges; Alma Campbell, Temple University; and Joseph Palisi, St. Francis College.

**SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE ON
LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES**
19th Annual Meeting
Chapel Hill, North Carolina
April 27–29, 1972

The 19th annual meeting of SECOLAS took place on the campus of the University of North Carolina. Nestor Moreno, University of South Carolina, was responsible for organizing the meeting. The theme

of the meeting was Cuba and Chile: Latin America's Two Marxist Regimes. Pablo Valdés, Minister-Counselor of the Chilean Embassy in Washington, D.C., spoke at the banquet. George Blanksten, Northwestern University, spoke at the conference luncheon. The following papers were presented:

Chile

Eric N. Baklanoff, University of Alabama, *Expropriation Without Compensation: A Perspective on Anaconda in Chile*;

S. Fred Edwards, University of South Carolina, *Chile, A Dependent Economy: Tentative Observations*;

Arpad von Lazar, Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, *The Morning After: An Interpretation of Social Construction in Chile*;

Edward P. Leahy, East Carolina University, *Chilenos and the Agrarian Reform*;

James O. Swain, Emeritus, University of Tennessee, *Recent Chilean Fiction of Social Impact*.

Cuba

Jorge L. Marti, State University College at Brockport, *The Image of Cuban Society in its Literature during the First Republican Period*;

Carmelo Mesa-Lago, University of Pittsburgh, *Economic Policies in Cuba: 1959–1971*;

Andrés Suárez, University of Florida, *How the Cuban System Works*;

George Volsky, University of Miami, *Cuban Propaganda as an Instrument of Power and Socio-Economic Development*.

**WORKSHOP-CONFERENCE FOR
LATIN AMERICAN SPECIALISTS**
University of Virginia
April 29, 1972

The Center for Latin American Studies at the University of Virginia sponsored a conference in Charlottesville for faculty members in Virginia institutions of higher

learning whose teaching involves them in Latin American affairs. C. Alan Hutchinson was responsible for organizing the workshop.

The Conference considered the practicality and desirability of the following proposals: cooperative purchasing of Latin American materials to save money and avoid duplication; the holding of a regular joint summer school on Latin American Studies at different Virginia institutions; the maintenance of a speaker's bureau aimed at bringing Latin Americanists to Virginia campuses; holding summer study sessions in a variety of Latin American countries; publishing an annual newsletter; and holding an annual meeting at different institutions.

**POLLUTION AND POLITICAL
BOUNDARIES: U.S.-MEXICAN
ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS**
Albuquerque, New Mexico
April 29, 1972

This conference was sponsored jointly by the University of New Mexico School of Law, the American Society of International Law, the *Natural Resources Journal*, and the State Bar of New Mexico, World

Peace Through Law Committee. The following papers were presented:

Arturo Ortega, The University of New Mexico, session director.

Steve Reynolds, State of New Mexico Engineer, The Water Quality Problem on the Colorado River;

César Sepúlveda, National University of Mexico, International Water Quality Problems between Mexico and the United States: Prospects and Perspectives;

David A. Gantz, U. S. Department of State, U. S. Approaches to Salinity Problems on the Colorado River;

Alejandro Sobarzo, National University of Mexico, The Salinity of the Colorado River and the Interpretation of Treaties;

Paul Bloom, General Counsel, State Engineer of New Mexico, Commentary and Discussion.

Joseph Friedkin, Commissioner, International Boundary and Water Commission, Session Chairman.

Alden Lowell-Doud, U.S. Department of State, International Environmental Developments Relating to Air and Water Quality and Their Legal Implications.

Cooper Wayman, Environmental Protection Agency, session director.

Ray Davis, University of Arizona, The U.S. and Mexico: Weather Technology, Water Resources, and International Law.

Panel Discussion:

Guillermo Dávila, Pan American Health Organization, International Considerations and Air Pollution Control on the U.S.-Mexico Border;

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John Morrison, El Paso City-County Health Engineer, The El Paso-Juárez Experience in Dealing with Pollution and Political Boundaries;

John Ross, City of El Paso, Air Quality Litigation in the El Paso-Juárez Area;

Joaquín Tello, Secretaría de Salubridad y Asistencia, Mexican Approaches to Trans-boundary Air Quality Problems;

Bill Enriquez, University of Arizona, International Legal Implications of Industrial Development along the Mexican-U.S. Border;

John Hernandez, New Mexico State University, and Bernardo Sepúlveda Amor, Mexico City, commentary and discussion;

For more information write: Professor Al Utton, University of New Mexico School of Law, 1117 Stanford, N.E., Albuquerque, New Mexico, 87106.

APPLICATION OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF LATIN AMERICA

Conference

Brasília, Brasil

May 12–19, 1972

The specialized conference on the Application of Science and Technology to the Development of Latin America (CACTAL) was an Inter-American technical meeting at the government level. Jessie D. Perkinson, Director, Department of Scientific Affairs of the Organization of American States was responsible for organizing the meeting. Participants included delegates of the member states of the OAS and observers from international, regional, and other institutions interested in the application of science and technology to development.

The conference focused on a definition of policies and identification of actions conducive to the full utilization of science and technology in the achievement of Latin American development goals. The following topics were considered: 1) Creation and development of technology; 2) technical innovation and transfer of technology; 3) cooperation for scientific and technological development; and 4) specific proposals for scientific and technological cooperation between two or more Latin American countries.

A final report of the meeting has been published containing conclusions and recommendations. For additional information write: Jesse D. Perkinson, Director, Department of Scientific Affairs, OAS, Washington, D.C. 20006.

SOCIEDAD MEXICANA DE ANTROPOLOGIA

Religión en Mesoamérica

Cholula, Puebla, Mexico

June 12–24, 1972

The Sociedad Mexicana de Antropología held their annual roundtable in June to consider Mesoamerican religion. The first part of the agenda was made up of eight symposiums: religious iconography; gods and festivals; funeral systems; statistical techniques in the study of religion; pathology, mutilation, and the defacing of bodies; sanctuaries and pilgrimages; messianic movements; and religious aspects of the life cycle.

In the second part of the program the following topics were discussed: possibilities and problems in the reconstruction of religious thought of the preconquest epoch; religious history of Mesoamerica; religion and religions in Mesoamerica; religion and society of pre-Hispanic Mexico; clash and fusion of two worlds; problems of syncretism; indigenous elements in religious developments; society and religion in contemporary Mexico; and present currents of evangelization.

For additional information write: Secretariado, Sociedad Mexicana de Antropología. In June 1971 the Sociedad Mexicana de Antropología elected Jaime Litvak King (UNAM) and Eduardo Matos Moctezuma (ENAH) as secretaries of the organization.

FUTURE MEETINGS

POPULATION IN LATIN AMERICA, University of Houston, October 27–28, 1972. The University of Houston and the International Planned Parenthood Federation are joint sponsors of this conference on population problems. For additional information write: Philip B. Taylor, Jr., Director of Latin American Studies, University of Houston, Houston, Texas 77004.

SOUTHERN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION, Hollywood-by-the-Sea, Florida, November 16–18, 1972. Latin American sessions at the Southern Historical Association meeting will include the following: Bolívar and San Martín: Consumptive and Addict; The Impact of Science and Technology on Modern and Contemporary Latin America; Colonial Administration under the Bourbons, The Eighteenth Century: Three Spanish-American Provinces; Armed Rebellion and Internal Security in Latin America; and Aspects of Twentieth Century Political Development in the West Indies. Further information: Ralph Lee Woodward, Jr., vice-director for Latin American Sessions, Southern Historical Association, Department of History, Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana 70118.

GULF COAST HISTORY AND HUMANITIES CONFERENCE, 4th Annual, Pensacola, Florida, November 30, December 1, and 2, 1972. The theme of this year's conference will be Gulf Coast Politics: The Twentieth Century. A workshop focusing on community resources and materials in the teaching of Gulf Coast history will be conducted in historic Pensacola's Hispanic Museum. For additional information write: Dr. Ted Carageorge, Department of History, Pensacola Junior College, Pensacola, Florida 32504.

XV CONGRESO DEL INSTITUTO INTERNACIONAL DE LITERATURA IBEROAMERICANA, Valdivia, Chile, January 3–6, 1973 and Michigan State University, August 26–31, 1973. The first session of this Congress will focus on the evolution of language in contemporary Latin American poetry. Direct inquiries to: Professor Hernán Poblete Varas, Secretario General de la Universidad Austral, Valdivia, Chile. The second session will be held in the U.S. The theme will be fan-

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tastic literature and magical realism in Latin American literature. Direct inquiries concerning the second session to: Professor Donald A. Yates, 537 Wells Hall, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan 48823.

SOUTHWEST SOCIAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION, Dallas, Texas, March 22-24, 1973. The theme of the meeting will be Latin America, with the following five individual sessions: Twentieth Century Mexico; Cuba: Antecedents of Revolution; Brazil; Spanish Borderlands; and Mexican Society in Texas. For additional information write to the program director: Oakah L. Jones, Jr., Department of History, U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado 80840.

LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES ASSOCIATION, 4th National Meeting, University of Wisconsin, Madison, May 1973. For information, contact the program director, Martin C. Needler, Department of Political Science, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87106.