

SEMINARIO DE LA UNIVERSIDAD DE TEXAS

Estudios latinoamericanos

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Lunes, 14 a 17 horas (Argentina) - Del 14 de septiembre al 23 de noviembre
Modalidad virtual (a través de plataforma Zoom)

CINCO VACANTES PARA ESTUDIANTES DE DOCTORADO DEL IDAES
LA CURSADA SERÁ EN IDIOMA INGLÉS

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The proseminar has the following goals:

- Introduce influential topics, theories, and research that have informed contemporary scholarship on Latin America in various fields.
- Help students develop and refine your own research project in Latin American Studies.
- Help students develop analytical thinking, as well as other practical academic skills.
- Encourage students to take their first professional step/s in a supportive setting.
- Help students navigate the demands of a graduate program.
- Develop a strong group of colleagues who will be your intellectual peers throughout your graduate program at LLILAS.

This course will introduce students to the scholarly work conducted by LLILAS-affiliated faculty in a variety of disciplines. It will also introduce students to research conducted by social scientists outside of the U.S. The course will equip you with some basic theoretical, methodological, and analytical skills necessary for successful participation in a graduate program.

Course Assignments

Reading and Participation: Regular attendance at all class meetings is expected. It is essential that you come prepared to class and that you read carefully, take notes and bring ideas and questions to contribute to and benefit from discussions.

Leading class discussion: For each session, there will be one or two responsible for leading discussion after each faculty presentation.

Forum Responses: In order to help you prepare for each session, student will post 3 questions in CANVAS for each assigned reading before Monday at 10 AM.

Final assignment: As a final project, each student will write an annotated bibliography on the topic of their own choosing (a minimum of twenty sources). You will receive guidance in class on this. As part of this assignment, you will also present briefly to the class about your topic of interest.

Schedule

DAY	SPEAKER	TITLE
9/14	Gloria Gonzalez-Lopez	Gender violence in Mexican society
9/21	Bjorn Sletto	Informality and social infrastructures
9/28	Christen Smith	Blackness, Gender and Decoloniality in Latin America
10/5	Daniel Brinks	New models of constitutional governance in Latin America
10/12	Jason Borge	Music, race, and aural hemispherism
10/19	Lorraine Leu	Racialized geographies, the past-present of slavery, and the decolonizing gaze
10/26	Raul Madrid	The Origins of Democracy in Latin America
11/2	Wendy Hunter	Social Policy, Politics, and Citizenship Building
11/9	Mariana Heredia	Los ricos del Sur. Las desigualdades sociales analizadas 'por arriba' en América Latina
11/16	Daniel Fridman and Ariel Wilkis	Money, morals and markets in Latin America
11/23	Valeria Manzano	Juventud, cultura y política en la historia latinoamericana