



## **“New Directions in the Study of the Caribbean and Latin America”**

**CLAS Tri-University Graduate Student Conference**

**Florida Atlantic University, Room CU 301, Boca Raton, FL**

**Friday, April 7, 2017**

8:30am – 9:00am

Breakfast: Bagels, Coffee/Tea, etc.

9:00am – 9:10am

Opening Remarks: **Dr. Barbara Ganson**, Florida Atlantic University

9:10am – 10:30am

Session 1: **Cultural Influences on Latin America and the Caribbean**

**Akilah Somersall**, Florida Atlantic University

“Black Girls on TV and the Influence on Afro-Latina and Afro-Caribbean Audiences.”

**Sergio Andruccioli**, Florida International University

“Mentiras, olvido y memoria en la obra de Luisa Valenzuela.”

**Alexander Javizian**, University of Miami

“*Derrumbando la Casa Rosada*: Punk Rock and Resistance during Argentina's *Guerra Sucia*.”

10:40am – 12:00pm

Session 2: **Societal Concerns Looking Forward**

**Kimberly S. Ho Misiaszek**, University of Miami

“Chinese Jamaicans: A Tapestry that is Continuously Being Woven.”

**Jordan Strickler**, University of Miami

“Variations in Latin American LGBT Rights.”

**Lila de Tantillo**, University of Miami

"Access and Implementation of Technology for HIV/STI Prevention among Hispanic Women."

12:00pm – 1:00pm

Catered lunch to be served

1:10pm – 2:50pm

**Session 3: Colonial Latin America and the Caribbean**

**Leo Falcón**, Florida International University

"Manufacturing Sin. The Inquisition in Cuba and Florida between 1604 and 1614."

**Nelson Marques**, University of Miami

"The Collective Self: Narrativity, Biography, and Identity Construction in Seventeenth-Century Soldiers' Petitions."

**James Turner**, Florida Atlantic University

"Fleeing Tyranny, Finding Coercion: Buccaneers' Perceptions and Reactions to Unfree Labor in the Seventeenth-Century Caribbean."

**Morgan Gray**, Florida International University

"Sex Crimes and Legal Minority in Eighteenth-Century Spain."

3:00pm – 4:40pm

**Session 4: Global Trends in Economy and Management**

**Yulin Hou**, Florida International University

"Exports of Primary Goods and Human Capital Accumulation."

**Qingru Tu**, Florida International University

"International Trade and Environmental Regulation on Emissions from International Transport."

**Ivan Pineda and Jose Pineda**, Florida International University

"An Analysis of the Future of Measures of Internationalization and Performance: An Outcome-Based Approach."

**Edward O. Kennedy, Jr.**, Florida International University

"Research Proposal: How has the Oil Industry Impacted the Distribution of Income & Wealth in Venezuela?"

4:40pm – 5:00pm

Closing Remarks