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LACC Summer Institute: Resilient Communities Against Transnational Gangs (RESCAT)

Tuesday, August 11, 2020 | 10:00 am - 2:00 pm (EST) | Online via Zoom

This Summer Institute offers a professional development opportunity to education professionals who are providing critical support to the student body as counselors and student service professionals. The virtual training will examine the causes and conditions behind the development of a gang phenomenon in many countries in the Americas. It will provide a space for discussion of community-led initiatives to better understand cultural, historical, economic and societal causes of gang development in the Americas. The training will also focus on how to reduce the vulnerabilities of immigrant communities and the underserved populations in the US that suffer the greatest.

Presenters include:

Dr. Yulia Vorobyeva, Post-Doctoral Fellow, Kimberly Green Latin American and Caribbean Center, Florida International University

Dr. Pamela Ruiz, Post-Doctoral Fellow, Rory Meyers College of Nursing, New York University

Dr. Yemile Mizrahi, Technical Director for Monitoring, Evaluation, & Learning and Senior Associate for Governance, Democracy International

Moderated by: Dr. Jose Miguel Cruz, Research Director, KG-LACC, FIU.

The Summer Institute is free and open to educators and student services professionals.

Registration required [here](#) by August 4, 2020.

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