

SPRING 2007 Calendar of Events

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1

SEMINAR:

“Black Power Today!”

In honor of Black History Month we've invited speakers Brady Heiner, Peniel E. Joseph and Eduardo Mendieta to discuss Black Power Today! Discussion topics are, “The Counter-History of the Black Panther Party” by Brady Heiner; “Martin and Malcom: Contrasting and Converging Visions on Race, Radicalism, and Democracy” by Peniel E. Joseph; “The Prison Contract: Angela Y. Davis’ Radical Critique of Penalty and Racialization” by Eduardo Mendieta;

4:00-6:00 pm - Humanities Building, 1006

Refreshments Served.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

ART OPENING & RECEPTION:

“Meet/Meat The Guitar”

Presented by Pura Cruz

A Stony Brook alum and a native of Puerto Rico, Pura has had her large-scale paintings and experimental media-art travel from SoHo to Beijing and Moscow. We are fortunate to have this zealous visual artist's work here at Stony Brook!

5:00-7:00 pm - LACS Gallery

Social & Behavioral Sciences Bldg., N320

Refreshments Served.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14

ART OPENING & RECEPTION:

“Shadow Economy”

Presented by Sheila Breck

Sheila, a Stony Brook alum, paints a tribute to the “illegal immigrants” of Farmingville that were evicted from their homes and had to live on the streets. Her artwork is “an acknowledgment of the unacknowledged. This is a validation of the Shadow Economy.” For additional information, please visit Sheila's website at www.sheilabreck.com

5:00-7:00 pm - LACS Gallery

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Refreshments Served.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28

SEMINAR:

“Bolivia: Workers & Indigenous Peoples United in Struggle” Nancy Romer, Professor of Psychology at Brooklyn College and University-Wide Officer of the Professional Staff Congress-CUNY, American Federation of Teachers Local 2334. Nancy Romer will discuss the ways in which the workers and traditional left unite with the indigenous movements to share a political agenda, strategy, and tactics. She will also address the implications of Bolivian developments for a left coalition in Latin America.

4:00-6:00 pm - Wang Center, LH2

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, APRIL 27 - 28

CONFERENCE: Our 6th annual LACS - Graduate Student Conference

“Dialogue and Borders: Rethinking Latin America and the Caribbean”

Keynote Speaker: **Susan Besse**, City College, CUNY. Experience the brilliant research and cross-disciplinary projects of Stony Brook (and nation-wide) graduate students, organized and performed by themselves.

9:00 am - 6:00 pm at Stony Brook Manhattan

Refreshments Served.

New York City Latin American History Workshop (NYCLAHW) an inter-university scholarly project which meets:

FRIDAYS @ 12 pm

at Columbia University

(801 International Affairs Building,
Amsterdam Ave & W.118th Street)

Papers are:

Feb. 2: Brenda Elsey, Hofstra University

March 2: Barbara Weinstein, NYU

March 30: Caterina Pizzigoni, Columbia Univ.

April 27: Thom Rath, Columbia University