Thursday, January 30
Cesar Peña, Ph.D. Candidate, Art Education
The Modern Gaze in Latin America: Bogotá, 1930-1950

Tuesday, February 4
Antonio Sergio Alfredo Guimarães, Professor of Sociology, University of São Paulo. 2011 Lemann Institute Distinguished Visitor. Postcolonial Studies and Afro-Brazilian Studies

Thursday, February 11
Matthew S. Winters, Department of Political Science, UIUC.
Credibility and Specificity: When do Brazilian Voters Act on Information about Corruption?

Thursday, February 13
Eduardo Brondizio, Professor, Department of Anthropology, Adjunct Professor, School of Public and Environmental Affairs (SPEA) and Department of Geography Indiana University Bloomington.
The land above, within, and below: Territorial rights and the evolving complexity of landscapes in the Amazon

Tuesday, February 18
Nadya Araújo Guimarães, Professor of Sociology, University of São Paulo.
Labor Flexibility in a Flexible Market – Intermediaries and its Workers in Brazil

Thursday, March 6
Norma Scagnoli, Director of eLearning, College of Business, UIUC.
Online development collaboration with Latin America: challenges and opportunities.

Thursday, March 11
Carlos Araújo, CFO Mackenzie Agribusiness and Senior Advisor of TOTVS
Overview of Brazil Agribusiness– Brazil: World’s Supermarket

Thursday, March 13
Damayra Canache and Matthew Cawvey, Department of Political Science, UIUC.
Responsibility Attributions amid Economic Crisis: Evidence from Latin America

Tuesday, March 18
Brodwyn Fischer, Professor of History, University of Chicago
Unusual Ties: The Everyday Politics of Survival in Recife, 1870 – 1900

Thursday, March 20
Sandra Ruiz, Assistant Professor of Latino/Latin American Studies and English, UIUC.
On Death, Dying, and Dolores “Lolita” Lebrón: Socomaya

Tuesday, April 1
Francisco H. G. Ferreira, Chief Economist, Africa Region, The World Bank and IZA
Economic Mobility and the Rise of the Latin American Middle Class

Thursday, April 3
Marc Chernick, Director Center for Latin American Studies School of Foreign Service, Georgetown University.Director, Georgetown-Los Andes Program on Conflict Resolution and Human Rights, Universidad de los Andes, Bogota, Colombia.
Title TBA

Thursday, April 10
Jonathan Amith, Department of Anthropology, Gettysburg College. National Museum of Natural History, Smithsonian Institution
Mesoamerican Ethnobiology and Biology: Using DNA Barcoding to Facilitate Studies in Cultural History and Cognitive Anthropology

Friday, April 11
Joint Area Centers Symposium
Ana Lúcia Kassouf, Department of Economics – ESAALQ – University of São Paulo
Child Labor: The Brazilian Experience and Challenges

Thursday, April 17
Mike Silvers, Department of Music, UIUC.
Singing about Drought in Northeastern Brazil

Tuesday, April 22
Rogério de Souza-Farias, Specialist on public policies and governmental management at the Ministry of Planning, Budget and Management (on leave) and Research Associate at the University of Brasilia
Industrialists, economists, diplomats and congressmen: Brazil and the rise of postwar trade negotiations (1946-1967)

Thursday, April 24
Jonathan Ritter, Chair, Latin American Studies Program; Associate Professor of Ethnomusicology
University of California, Riverside
Echoes of Violence: Postmemory and Indigenous Voice after the War in Peru

Tuesday, April 29
Wendy Wolford, Robert A. and Ruth A. Polson Professor of Sociology, Associate Director for Economic Development, Cornell University
Rediscovering Africa? The Role of Brazilian Experts and Expertise in Mozambican Agriculture

Thursday, May 1
Peter Kornbluh, Director of the National Security Archive’s Chile Documentation Project and of the Cuba Documentation Project.
CHILE 40 Years After the Coup: The Pursuit of Truth and Justice and Historical Accountability through Declassified U.S. Documentation