CONFERENCE: INTERSECTIONS OF RACE, GENDER, SEXUALITY, AND NATION IN COLOMBIA, BRAZIL AND CUBA

(9:30 A.M.) Open Remarks
by Agustín Lao-Montes

Keynote Speakers:
Mara Viveros, Universidad Nacional de Colombia
Gisela Arandia, Centro Juan Marinello, Cuba
Sonia Alvarez, UMASS-Amherst

(12:00 M – 1:20 PM) Light Refreshment

Panel presentations:

Panel: Gender and sexuality in Colombia and Cuba
(1:30 PM – 1:50 PM) Castriela E. Hernandez, Graduate Student
(1:50 PM – 2:10 PM) María Ximena Abello, Graduate Student
(2:10 PM – 2:30 PM) Logbona Olukonee, Universidad Agraria de la Habana
(2:30 PM – 3:00 PM) Whitney Battle-Baptiste, UMASS-Amherst (Discussant and questions)

Panel: Racism and Racial Politics in Colombia and Cuba
(3:00 PM – 3:20 PM) Dario H. Vasquez, Graduate Student
(3:20 PM – 3:40 PM) Agustin Lao-Montes, UMASS-Amherst

Film:
(4:30 PM) Book launch
CUBA’S RACIAL CRUCIBLE
THE SEXUAL ECONOMY OF SOCIAL IDENTITIES, 1750-2000

Commentators:
Karen Y. Morrison, UMASS-Amherst
Lowell Gudmunson, Mount Holyoke College
Devyn Spence Benson, Louisiana State University

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