

Bay Area Latin America Forum · Fall 2015

Maria Echaveste

Opportunities to Improve Working Conditions on Both Sides of the Border

Maria Echaveste, a Senior Scholar at UC Berkeley's Center for Latin American Studies, has built a distinguished career as a public policy consultant, lecturer, senior White House official, long-time community leader, and corporate attorney.

Tuesday, October 8, 4:00 pm

CLAS Conference Room, 2334 Bowditch Street

Rebecca Bodenheimer

Regionalism and the Intersections of Race and Place in Cuba

Rebecca Bodenheimer is an ethnomusicologist who has conducted fieldwork in Cuba for more than a decade. Her book, *Geographies of Cubanidad: Place, Race, and Musical Performance in Contemporary Cuba*, was published in July 2015.

Tuesday, October 20, 4:00 pm

CLAS Conference Room, 2334 Bowditch Street

Thad Dunning

Brokers, Voters, and Clientelism in Latin America and Beyond

Thad Dunning is Robson Professor of Political Science at the University of California, Berkeley, and directs the Center on the Politics of Development. His most recent work focuses on the politics of distributive policies in Latin America, Africa, and India.

Wednesday, October 21, 12:30 pm

202 Barrows Hall

Marian Schlotterbeck

Rethinking Latin America's Revolutionary Left: The Chilean MIR Fifty Years Later

Marian Schlotterbeck is an assistant professor of history at UC Davis, where she teaches courses on modern Latin America, social revolutions, and human rights.

Tuesday, October 27, 4:00 pm

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Berkeley Pier at sunset. (Photo by Jane Hammons.)



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