Latin American Studies Program (LASP)
The Samuel Z. Stone Seminar Series
Fall 2014

9/17/14  Dr. Lora Lustig, Samuel Z. Stone Professor of Latin American Economics, Tulane University
Evening  “Deconstructing the Decline in Inequality in Latin America”
Nitzte Herter, 6:00–7:00pm; Reception to follow.

9/22/14  Dr. Riordan Roett, Professor and Director, Latin American Studies Program, Johns Hopkins SAIS
at IDB  Dr. Francisco E. González, Senior Associate Professor, LASP, Johns Hopkins SAIS
“Can Latin American Countries Consolidate Social and Economic Gains in an Age of Uncertainty?”
Moderators:
Ms. Carrie McKellogg, M.A. ‘00, Chief, Access to Basic Services and Green Growth, Multilateral Investment Fund
Dr. Jacqueline Mazza, M.A.’84, Ph.D.’98, Principal Labor Markets Specialist, Labor Markets and Social Security
Unit, Inter-American Development Bank; Adjunct Professor, LASP, Johns Hopkins SAIS
Inter-American Development Bank, 1:00–2:00pm; RSVP required

10/1/14:  Ms. Barbara Bruns, Lead Economist, Education Global Practice, The World Bank
“How Latin America is Starting to Get Education Right?”
N517, 12:45–1:45pm

10/9/14  H.E. Gonzalo Gutiérrez Reinel, Peruvian Minister of Foreign Affairs and SAIS ‘85 Alumnus
Evening  “Addressing the Climate Change Challenge: COP20 and the Road to Lima”
Moderator: Professor Francisco E. González, Senior Associate Professor, LASP, Johns Hopkins SAIS
Commentators:
Celeste Connors, Associate Practitioner in Residence, SAIS ERE Program
Marianne Fay, Chief Economist, Climate Change Growth, World Bank
Ned Helme, President, Center for Clean Air Policy
Duncan Marsh, Director for International Climate Policy, The Nature Conservancy
David Wilk, Lead Climate Change Specialist, Inter-American Development Bank
Rome Auditorium, 5:00–6:30pm, cosponsored with SAIS ERE Program

10/15/14: Dr. Cynthia Arnson, M.A. ‘86, Ph.D. ’88, Director, Latin American Program, W. Wilson Int’l Center for Scholars
“The Dynamics of Colombia’s Peace Negotiations: Prospects for Success”
N417, 12:45–1:45pm

10/22/14: Dr. Kevin Gallagher, Associate Professor of International Relations, Boston University
“The China Triangle: China’s Rise and the Fate of the Americas”
N517, 12:45–1:45pm

10/23/14: Dr. Won-Ho Kim Fulbright Scholar, SAIS U.S.-Korea Institute; Professor and Director,
Latin American Studies Department, Hankuk University of Foreign Studies
“Learning from Korea’s Development Experiences: The Latin American Case”
BOB500, 12:30–2:00pm, cosponsored with SAIS U.S.-Korea Institute

10/29/14 Dr. Arturo Porzecanski, Distinguished Economist in Residence, School of Int’l Service, American University
“The Future of U.S.-Latin American Relations: A Latin American Perspective”
Kenney Auditorium, 6:00–7:30pm

11/3/14  H.E. José Miguel Insulza, Secretary General, Organization of American States (OAS)
Kenney Auditorium, 6:00–7:30pm

11/12/14 Dr. Russell Crandall, M.A. ‘97, Ph.D. ’00, Associate Professor, Political Science Department, Davidson College
Evening  “America’s Dirty Wars”
Rome Auditorium, 6:30–8:00pm

11/19/14 Dr. Andre Meier, Deputy Division Chief, Western Hemisphere Department, International Monetary Fund
“Latin America’s Economic Outlook”
N517, 12:45–1:45pm

Events subject to change; last updated 10/27. To RSVP or for questions, email jmcegeo@jhu.edu