



IV INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE IN TRANSATLANTIC STUDIES

SPACES OF LAW

Conference panels:
Friday, April 12 and
Saturday, April 13
Starting at 9am

Keynote Speaker
Professor Daniel Aguirre-Oteiza,
Harvard University

“Spanish Republican Exiles, National Literary
History, and Politics of Poetic Memory.”



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Friday, April 12th 2019

9:00 am – 9:30 am

Registration (Barker Center 114 – Kresge Foundation Room)

9:30 am – 10:00 am

Welcome Address (Barker Center 114 – Kresge Foundation Room)

José Manuel Martínez Sierra, Director of the Real Colegio Complutense
David Yagüe González, Scientific Committee coordinator

10:00 am – 11:30 am

PANEL 1: TRANSATLANTIC SPACES AFTER THE WALL (Emerson Hall 305)

“Legal Walls, Illegal Migrations, and Precarity”
Julio Ortega, Brown University

“Against the Law: Flora Tristan and the Transatlantic Transgression”
Pauline de Tholozany, Brown University

“Looking at the revolution in *Y Recuerda que te espero* by Juan Carlos Méndez Guédes”
María Fernanda Lander, Brown University

11:30 am – 1:00 pm

PANEL 2: REHEARSING THE POLITICAL: CONSTITUENT AND DESTITUENT POWER (Emerson Hall 305)

“Popular Surveillance and “Potenza Destituente” in CDRS: From the Cuban Revolution to the Catalan-Spanish Crisis”
Ignasi Gozalo-Salellas, The Ohio State University

“The Afterlives of Juan Donoso Cortés”
Bécquer Seguí, Johns Hopkins University

“The Aesthetic and Critiques of Weimar Democracy: The Counter and Complement to Carl Schmitt’s Political Myth”
Peter Jin, Independent Scholar

“The Construction of National Identity in Cuba: 1916-1940, A Postcolonial Adventure”
Ariel Pérez Lazo, Miami-Dade College

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Lunch break

2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

PANEL 3: THE REGULATION OF TERRITORY AND ITS TRAVERSALS (Emerson Hall 305)

“Involuntary Consent: Biometrics, Redaction and the Jurisgenerative Process”
Christian Rossipal, NYU Tisch School of the Arts

“Steaming Borders: Forcing the Law to Change with the First High Technology”
John Laurence Busch, Independent Scholar

“Civil War, Space, and Law”
Hubert P. Van Tuyl, Augusta University

3:30 pm – 5:00 pm

PANEL 4: BINDING LAWS: SLAVERY ACCOUNTS (Emerson Hall 305)

“The Dutch Slave Law of 1776: Entanglement, Power Struggles and Ideological Conflicts during the Legislative Process”
Julia Holzmann, University of Bremen

“A Home Away from Home: Juan Francisco Manzano’s *Autobiography of a Slave* (1836)”
Natalie Ramírez, Harvard University

“The Precariousness of Slavery and Statehood in the Americas: Regulatory Legal Conflict and the Transatlantic Illicit Slave Trade”
Jessica Fletcher, Vanderbilt University

5:00 – 6:30 pm (Real Colegio Complutense – 26 Trowbridge St., Cambridge)

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RECEPTION AT THE RCC

Saturday, April 13th 2017

9:00 am – 09:30 am

Coffee (Boylston Hall 105)

9:30 am – 11:00 am

**PANEL 5: FIGURES OUTSIDE THE LAW:
THE PÍCARO AND THE PIRATE** (Boylston
Hall 105)

**“Spaces of Law, Oceans of Crime: Piracy and the
Construction of State Sovereignty in the Atlantic,
16th-19th Centuries”**

Olivier Barsalou, Université du Québec à Montréal
Michael Hennessy Picard, Harvard Law School

**“‘Rinconete and Cortadillo’: Splittings and
Declinations”**

Judit Palencia Gutiérrez, University of California,
Riverside

**“‘Unmasking the Other’: The Relationship
between the Pícaro and the Inquisitor in *El
Lazarillo* and *El Buscón*”**

Benjamin R. Easton, University of Notre Dame

11:00 am – 1:00 pm

**PANEL 6: FROM THE PERIPHERY:
RADICAL SPACES OF JUSTICE IN 21ST
CENTURY LATIN AMERICA** (Boylston Hall
105)

**“Discursive Political Acts by Feminist in The
Anti-Femicidal Movements in Mexico”**

Diana Aldrete, Trinity College

**“The Hyperbole of the Cynic: Rafael Acevedo’s
Negative Scheme of Communalism”**

Ilka Kressner, University at Albany

**“Democracy to Come: The Importance of
Otherness in the Latin America Ways of Living”**

Gabriela Balcarce, Universidad de Buenos Aires,
Conicet

**“Exploring the Idea of Reparations in
Mesoamerica”**

Gloria Chacón, University of California, San Diego

1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Lunch break

3:00 pm – 4:30 pm

**PANEL 7: GENDER AND THE
SUBVERSION OF THE LAW**

(Boylston Hall 105)

**“Ethics of Care and Spaces of Subversion: The
Convent as Radical Refuge in *Entre Tinieblas*”**

Sarah Thomas, Brown University

“The Charade of Crimes Concealed”

Rocio Pichon-Rivière, University of California,
Riverside

**“Video Killed the Radio Star: How *Refritos*
Failed to Portray the 21st Century Mexican
Woman in the Nuevo Cine Mexicano”**

Paloma Serrano-Viñuelas, Texas A&M

4:30 pm – 6:00 pm

**PANEL 8: BEYOND GOVERNMENTALITY:
POPULAR LEGAL CULTURES**

(Boylston Hall 105)

**“Spatial (In)justice in Alberto Rodríguez’s *Grupo
7* (2011)”**

Mónica López Lerma, Reed College

**“Illicit Inscriptions: Maradona and Institutional
Interruptions”**

Óscar A. Ulloa, University of California, Riverside

**“Queering the Private Eye. Transgressions and
explorations of Nazario’s *Anarcoma*”**

David Yagüe González, Texas A&M