

GOVERNANCE AND SOCIAL JUSTICE IN CUBA: Past, Present, and Future

Facultad Latinoamericana de Ciencias Sociales-México
Unidad de Seminarios

THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 2005

WELCOME (9:00 am – 9:15 am)

Velia Cecilia Bobes, FLACSO-México
Damián Fernández, Cuban Research Institute, Florida International University
Eduardo del Buey, FOCAL

PANEL 1 (9:15 am – 10:45 am)

Governance and Social Justice in Latin America: The State of the Debate

Moderator: Damián Fernández, Cuban Research Institute, Florida International University

Eduardo Gamarra

Director of the Latin American and Caribbean Center, Florida International University

Marifeli Pérez-Stable

Vice President for Democratic Governance, Inter-American Dialogue

Marcelo Cavarozzi

Professor of Public Policy and Dean of the School of Politics and Government, University of San Martín, Argentina

Florencia Jubany

Senior Analyst, Canadian Foundation for the Americas (FOCAL)

BREAK (10:45 am – 11:00 am)

PANEL 2 (11:00 am – 12:30 pm)

Governance and Social Justice in Cuba: Yesterday and Today

Moderator: Cristina Eguizábal, Ford Foundation

Velia Cecilia Bobes

Coordinadora de la Maestría y Doctorado en Ciencias Sociales, FLACSO-México

Rafael Rojas

Profesor e investigador del Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas

Mary Speck

Department of History, Stanford University

Lía Añé

Profesora Adjunta de la Universidad de La Habana y Investigadora del Centro de Estudios de Población y Desarrollo de Cuba

LUNCH (12:30 pm – 2:00 pm)

PANEL 3 (2:00 pm – 3:30 pm)

Policies and Institutions of Governance and Social Justice: Best Practices in the Context of Transition

Moderator: Guillermo Trejo, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas

Myrna Alexander

Independent Consultant

Luis F. Aguilar

Director, Gerencia Pública

Omar Everleny Pérez Villanueva

Profesor Titular del Centro de Estudios de la Economía Cubana de la Universidad de la Habana

Javier Corrales

Assistant Professor of Political Science, Amherst College

RECEPTION (4 pm)

FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 2005

PANEL 4 (9:00 am – 10:30 am)

Governance and Social Justice: Cuba in Comparative Perspective

Moderator: Velia Cecilia Bobes, FLACSO-México

Dante Avaro Sosa

Secretario Académico, FLACSO-México

Fernando Bazúa

Professor of Political Economy and Public Policy, Universidad Autónoma Metropolitana (UAM)

Manuel Antonio Garretón

Profesor Titular, Facultad de Ciencias Sociales, Universidad de Chile

Mauricio de Miranda

Professor, Pontificia Universidad Javeriana de Cali and Associate Professor, Universidad Complutense de Madrid

BREAK (10:30 am – 10:45 am)

PANEL 5 (10:45 am – 12:15 pm)

The Future of Governance and Social Justice in Cuba: Key Challenges

Moderator: Cristina Warren, FOCAL

Haroldo Dilla Alfonso

Coordinador de estudios fronterizos, FLACSO- República Dominicana

Mayra Espina Prieto

Centro de Investigaciones Psicológicas y Sociológicas

Philip Peters

Vice President, Lexington Institute

Carlos Saladrigas

Chair, Cuba Study Group

Damián Fernández

Professor of International Relations and Director of the Cuban Research Institute, Florida International University

LUNCH (12:30 pm)