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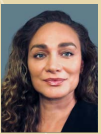


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Leading experts from academia, journalism, and the worlds of policy and advocacy come to CLALS as Research Fellows to advance scholarship and contribute to public debate. Fellows carry out research independently and participate in Center-sponsored initiatives, bringing their expertise to bear on a wide range of issues in Latin American and Latino Studies. In addition, doctoral candidates planning to undertake research related to Latin American or Latino studies are welcome to apply to affiliate with the Center as in-residence Research Fellows. The Center cannot provide stipend support, but students accepted to the program receive access to work space at CLALS and to the library and other research infrastructure at American University.

The following fellows are among more than 50 fellows that have been affiliated with the Center since 2010:



Sol Espinoza:
Research Fellow, CLALS.

Sol Espinoza has more than 20 years of professional experience in the public and nonprofit sectors, including work in local government, at the U.S. Census Bureau, and at the Pew Research Center. Her research interests include ethnicity and immigration, labor and employment, entrepreneurship, social inequality (gender-race-class), family and marriage, geographic disparities, and the intersection of the economy, society, and public policy



Ricardo Torres:
Visiting Researcher

Ricardo Torres is part of the Editorial Board of the Cuban Studies Journal and the International Journal of Cuban Studies. He develops his research around economic development, system reform, and industrial policies.



Luis Gilberto Murillo:
Colombian Ambassador

to the United States. Luis Gilberto Murillo is a policy and advocacy expert with 28 years of experience in the areas of environment, sustainable development, and peace building.



Luiza Duarte:
Research Fellow,

Wilson Center, Brazil Institute. Luiza Duarte is a journalist, producer, and political scientist. Her research interests include international relations, diplomacy, US-China-Brazil relations, media, cultural policies, environmental policies and national memory. .

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