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Agenda

Student Center Room 230

9:30 – 10 am Refreshments Served

10 – 10:15 Opening Remarks

10:15 - 10:45 Christina Buckner
"Inca sí; Indio No: Water Privatization and Identity Politics in Andean Peru"

10:45 – 11:00 Mitchell B. Snider
"Neoliberalization in Ecuador: Space and Security in Quito"

11:00 – 11:15 Break

11:15 – 1:15 pm Lunch provided at
Student Center Room 206

Musical entertainment provided by
Legna and Joyce

Continuing in Student Center Room 206

1:15- 1:45 W. Jarrod Brown
"Un Vacío Colmado”: Specters of Violence in Guatemalan Post-War Literature"

1:45 – 2:15 Sneha Dutta
"Alternative Media Strategies in Two Social Movements to Save Indigenous Lands: The Comparative Analysis of the Zapatista in Mexico and Narmada Dam Movements in India"

2:15 – 2:30 Break

2:30 – 3:00 Ryan B. Anderson
"Imagined Landscapes of Wealth and Desire: Histories of Value in Baja California Sur, Mexico"

3:00 – 3:30 Kyle Mullen
"Archeology of Archaic Mesoamerica: What We Know and Future Directions"

3:30 – 4:00 Gavin Davies
"Migrants or Misers? Investigating Functions, Duration and Prosperity at Mound Groups Along the Uci to Kansahcab Causeway in Northern Yucatan, Mexico"