

# Paranoia and Perception: Contemporary Inter-American Discourses

## Paranoia y Percepción: Discursos interamericanos contemporáneos

5 – 6 November 2004

Historischer Saal, Wildenstein'sches Palais,  
Friedrichstraße 19-21, Erlangen

Friday, November 5, 2004

- 14:00-14:30 **Welcome and Introductory Remarks**
- 14:30-15:30 Dr. Barbara Buchenau, Stanford University, USA  
Prof. Dr. Helmbrecht Breinig, FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg  
**Emptied Grounds: Mutual Mappings in the Americas**
- 15:30-16:00 Coffee Break
- 16:00-17:00 Prof. Allan Smith, University of British Columbia, Canada  
**The Fact That Matters: Power Asymmetry in the Canadian-American Relationship and How Canada Handles It**
- 17:00-18:00 Dr. Adrián Bonilla, FLACSO, Ecuador  
**An Andean-Brazilian Security Agenda. Concepts, Actors, Discussions**
- 19:00 Dinner

Saturday, November 6, 2004

- 09:00-10:00 PD Dr. Thomas Fischer, FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg  
**Intervencionismo, seguridad y soberanía nacional en América Latina, siglo XX**
- 10:00-10:30 Coffee Break
- 10:30-11:30 Dr. Dr. h.c. Wolfgang Binder, FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg  
**Perception and Paranoia: The Case of Pedro Albizu Campos (Puerto Rico)**
- 11:30-12:30 Prof. Fabián Bosoer, Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina  
**Carl Schmitt in Washington (2001-2004): The new global world and the intellectual sources of the "neoconservative moment". A Latinoamerican view.**
- 12:30-14:00 Lunch
- 14:00-15:00 PD Dr. Silke Hensel, Universität Köln  
**From the 'Menace of the Mexican Race' to the 'Threats of Hispanics to US Culture': Continuity and Change in the Discourse on Mexican Americans during the 20<sup>th</sup> Century**
- 15:00-16:00 PD Dr. Stefan Rinke, Universität Eichstätt  
**9/11 in Trans-American Perspective**

- 16:00-16:30 Coffee Break
- 16:45-17:45 Prof. Deborah Cohn, Indiana University, USA  
**A Tale of Two Translation Programs: Politics, the Market, and Rockefeller Funding for Latin American Literature in the United States during the 1960s and 1970s**  
Video Conference  
(Senatssaal, Kollegienhaus, Universitätsstraße 15)
- 17:45-18:15 **Concluding Discussion**
- 19:00 Dinner

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