

Student OPEN HOUSE

Opportunities

Centro staff will be available to answer questions about Internships, Work Study, Volunteers and Jobs for students in research, library data, communications, marketing and media.

**Thursday
September 18**

12:00-3:00 PM

West Building, 3rd Floor Cafeteria Lobby

Light Refreshments and Snacks



The Making of a Puerto Rican Icon

VANESSA PÉREZ ROSARIO



NOVEMBER

Special Event

Raiz de Bomba y Plena

Discussion and demonstration about the origins of Puerto Rican bomba and plena. An historical overview of the tradition, instrumentation and current performance practices in the U.S.

Presenter: Jorge Arce

Thursday, November 6, 6-8 pm

Silberman School of Social Work

2180 Third Avenue (East 119 St.), Auditorium

Meet the Author

In Visible Movement: Nuyorican Poetry from the Sixties to Slam

The first scholarly book specifically devoted to Nuyorican poetry, *In Visible Movement* lays out the changing roles of poetry from the social movements of the 1960s to the market movements of the 1990s and beyond.

Author: Tomas Urayoán Noel

Commentator: Arnaldo Cruz-Malavé

Thursday, November 20, 6 - 8 pm

Hunter College, Faculty Dining Room, West Building, 8th Floor

DECEMBER

Meet the Author

Becoming Julia de Burgos: The Making of a Puerto Rican Icon

Study of poet and political activist Julia de Burgos' development as a writer, her experience of migration and her legacy in New York. Celebration on release of Centro's Journal's special issue on Julia.

Author: Vanessa Pérez Rosario

Moderator: Oscar Montero

Presenter: Lena Burgos Lafuente

Thursday, December 4, 6 - 8 pm

Hunter College, West Building, Faculty Dining Room, 8th Floor

Co-sponsored with El Museo del Barrio

Film Corner

Noche de Las Estrellas

Short film on Nuyorican poet, Tato Laviera and Puerto Rican composer Rafael Hernández

Presenters: Eddie Aguiar, Juan Flores, Elena Martinez

Thursday, December 11, 5:30-7:30 pm

Chanin Language Center, West Building, B126 - Subway Level

SEPTEMBER

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OCTOBER

Research Seminar

PERSPECTIVES ON MIGRATION

Discussion on the limits of formal U.S. citizenship for Puerto Ricans evident in their migration experience, within the context of two contrasting paradigms: colonialism and transnationalism

Presenters: Edgardo Meléndez, Carlos Vargas-Ramos

Thursday, October 16, 6 - 8 pm

Glass Café, West Building, 3rd Floor

Forum

In their own Voices: Contextualizing the Puerto Rican Experience through Oral History (An Introduction to Centro's Oral History Project)

A viewing of short clips from oral history interviews, along with introduction/context provided by oral history interviewers. Includes a moderated discussion of the oral history project, process and preliminary findings. Followed by a Q & A

Presenters: Shakti Castro, Harry Franqui-Rivera, Cynthia Tobar

Wednesday, October 22, 5:30-7:30 pm

Chanin Language Center, West Building, B126 - Subway Level

Millennium Book Tour

Research on social, economic, political and health conditions of the Puerto Rican population in the United States, describing improvements in many of these aspects, as well as persistent challenges.

Presenter: Edwin Melendez, Director, Center for Puerto Rican Studies

Wednesday, October 1, 12-2 pm

NYU Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies

King Juan Carlos I of Spain Center

53 Washington Square South, Floor 4W NYC

Contact: Kyle Elizabeth Barron, 212-998-8683

Friday, October 31, 6-8 pm

Holyoke Public Library 250 Chestnut Street Holyoke, MA

Contact: María Pagan, Director of Library, 413-420-8101

Thursday November 6, 4-6 pm

Universidad de Puerto Rico, Humacao

Avenida José E. Aguiar Aramburu

Carretera 908 Km 1.2

Contact: Edna Reyes Pomales, 787-850-9478,

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Saturday, November 8, 12-2 pm

Centro de Estudios Avanzados de Puerto Rico y el Caribe

Calle Cristo #52 en el Viejo San Juan, San Juan, Puerto Rico

Contact: Miguel Rodríguez, 787-723-4481

