

LAH 6934: Colonial Spanish America
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The objective of the seminar is to become familiar with trends and topics in the history and historiography of early Spanish America. The field has grown rapidly in recent years, and earlier pioneering work has not been superseded. Our approach will take into account the development of the scholarship and changing emphases in topics, sources and methodology.

For each session there are readings for discussion, listed under the weekly topic. These are mostly journal articles or book chapters. You will write short (2-3 pages) **response papers** on assigned readings as well as introducing them and suggesting questions for discussion. For each week's topic a number of books are listed. *You should become familiar with most of this literature if colonial Spanish America is a field for your qualifying exams.* Each student will write two **book reviews** during the semester, to be chosen from among the books on the syllabus (or you may suggest one).

The **final paper** (12-15 pages in length) is due on the last day of class. If you write a historiographical paper it should focus on the most important work on the topic rather than being bibliographic. You are encouraged to read in Spanish as well as English. For a fairly recent example of a historiographical essay, see R. Douglas Cope, "Indigenous Agency in Colonial Spanish America," *Latin American Research Review* 45:1 (2010). You also may write a research paper. In either case you must consult me regarding your choice of topic.

Final grades will be determined as follows: one-third for presentations and participation in seminar discussions, one-third for response papers and book reviews, and one-third for the final paper. Unexcused absences are unacceptable will count against the final grade.

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Recommended readings

For a basic overview, read one or more of the following. If you have little background in the history of colonial Spanish America, I strongly recommend that you read James Lockhart and Stuart Schwartz, *Early Latin America*. Also recommended are:

Peter Bakewell and Jacqueline Holler, *The History of Latin America to 1825*

John Elliott, *Imperial Spain, 1469-1716* or Henry Kamen, *Spain 1469-1714*

Ida Altman, Sarah Cline and Juan Javier Pescador, *The Early History of Greater Mexico*

You may wish to purchase:

James Lockhart, *Of Things of the Indies* (Stanford University Press)

Neil L. Whitehead, *Of Cannibals and Kings*

Camilla Townsend, *Malintzin's Choices*

Readings with an asterisk (*) are available electronically. All journal articles may be accessed through the library web site or in print form. I will provide pdfs of some readings.

Session 1 (August 23): Introduction to the historiography of colonial Spanish America

Benjamin Keen, "The Black Legend Revisited," *Hispanic American Historical Review* 49:4 (1969): 703-719; Lewis Hanke, "A Modest Proposal for a Moratorium on Grand Generalizations," *HAHR* 51:1 (1971): 112-127; Benjamin Keen, "The White Legend Revisited," *HAHR* 51:2 (1971): 336-355

Steve J. Stern, "Paradigms of Conquest: History, Historiography, and Politics," *Journal of Latin American Studies* 24, Quincentenary Supplement (1992): 1-34

Richard L. Kagan, "Prescott's Paradigm: American Historical Scholarship and the Decline of Spain," *American Historical Review* 101:2 (April 1996): 423-446

Session 2 (August 30): Indigenous societies, European expansion, and early contacts

Kathleen Deagan, "Colonial Transformation: Euro-American Cultural Genesis in the Early Spanish-American Colonies," *Journal of Anthropological Research* 52:2 (1996): 135-160

Neil Whitehead, *Of Cannibals and Kings*

*Carl O. Sauer, *The Early Spanish Main*, chapters 2-4

William F. Keegan, "Mobility and Disdain: Columbus and Cannibals in the Land of Cotton," *Ethnohistory* 62:1 (January 2015)

*James Lockhart, *The Nahuas After the Conquest*, chapter 2

*John Elliott, *The Old World and the New*, chapters 1-2

Irving Rouse, *The Tainos*

John Murra, *The Economic Organization of the Inca State*

Frank Solomon, *Native Lords of Quito in the Age of the Incas*

Susan Ramirez, *To Feed and Be Fed*

Frances Berdan, *The Aztecs of Central Mexico: An Imperial Society*

George Kubler, *The Art and Architecture of Ancient America*

Alan Knight, *Mexico. From the Beginning to the Spanish Conquest*

John Elliott, *The Old World and the New*

David Henige, *In Search of Columbus. The Sources for the First Voyage*

William D. Phillips and Carla Rahn Phillips, *The Worlds of Christopher Columbus*

Carl O. Sauer, *The Early Spanish Main*

Samuel M. Wilson, *Hispaniola. Caribbean Chiefdoms in the Age of Columbus*

Paul Hoffman, *The Spanish Crown and the Defense of the Caribbean, 1535-1585*

Troy Floyd, *The Columbus Dynasty in the Caribbean*

Kenneth Andrews, *The Spanish Caribbean. Trade and Plunder, 1550-1630*

Jalil Sued Badillo, *El Dorado borincano. La economía de la conquista, 1510-1550*

Enrique Otte, *Las perlas del caribe*

John Parry, *The Age of Reconnaissance and The Spanish Seaborne Empire*

Session 3 (September 6) The conquest period

*William Prescott, *The Conquest of Mexico* and *The Conquest of Peru* (read parts)

Charles Gibson, "Writings on Colonial Mexico," *HAHR* 55:2 (1975); read 287-303

James Lockhart, *Of Things of the Indies*, chapter 11, "Receptivity and Resistance"

*Rafael Varón Gabai, *Francisco Pizarro and His Brothers*, chapter 1

Camilla Townsend, *Malintzin's Choices*

Matthew Restall, "The New Conquest History," *History Compass* 10:2 (2012): 151-160

Bernal Díaz del Castillo, *True History of the Conquest of New Spain*

Letters of Hernando Cortés (various editions)

James Lockhart, *We People Here*

Bernardino de Sahagun, *Conquest of New Spain*

Fray Diego Durán, *The History of the Indies of New Spain*

Matthew Restall, *Maya Conquistador*

Stuart Schwartz, ed., *Victors and Vanquished*

William H. Prescott, *History of the Conquest of Mexico and History of the Conquest of Peru*

Serge Gruzinski, *The Conquest of Mexico: The Incorporation of Indian Societies into the Western World*

John Hemming, *The Conquest of the Incas*

José Ignacio Avellaneda, *The Conquerors of the New Kingdom of Granada*

Michael Francis, *Invading Colombia*

Matthew Restall and Florine Asselbergs, *Invading Guatemala*

James Lockhart, *The Men of Cajamarca*

Tzvetan Todorov, *The Conquest of America*

J. Benedict Warren, *The Conquest of Michoacan*

Laura Matthew and Michel Oudjik, eds., *Indian Conquistadors: Indigenous Allies in the Conquest of Mesoamerica*

Donald E. Chipman, *Nuño de Guzmán and Pánuco in New Spain*

Session 4 (September 13) The establishment of colonial society, law and institutions

James Lockhart, "The Social History of Early Latin America," *Latin American Research Review* 7 (1972): 6-45 (updated, in *Of Things of the Indies*, chapter 2)

*James Lockhart, *Spanish Peru*, chapters 1, 2, 4-6

*Woodrow Borah, *Justice by Insurance*, chapter 3

John Leddy Phelan, "Authority and Flexibility in the Spanish Imperial Bureaucracy," *Administrative Science Quarterly* 5:1 (1960): 47-65

Charles Cutter, "Community and the Law in Northern New Spain," *The Americas* 50:4 (April 1994), 467-480

Karen Graubart, "Learning from the *Qadi*: The Jurisdiction of Local Rule in the Early Andes," *HAHR* 95:2 (2015)

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Clarence R. Haring, *The Spanish Empire in America*

J.H. Parry, *The Audiencia of New Galicia in the Sixteenth Century*

Arthur Scott Aiton, *Antonio de Mendoza. First Viceroy of New Spain*

Lewis Hanke, *The Spanish Struggle for Justice in the Conquest of America*

Charles Cutter, *The Legal Culture of Northern New Spain, 1700-1810*

Colin MacLachlan, *Spain's Empire in the New World: The Role of Ideas in Institutional and Social Change*

Peggy K. Liss, *Mexico under Spain, 1521-1556*

Brian Owensby, *Empire of Law and Indian Justice in Colonial Mexico*

Tamar Herzog, *Defining Nations: Immigrants and Citizens in Early Modern Spain and Spanish America*

James Lockhart, *Spanish Peru* (revised edition)
Kenneth J. Andrien and Rolena Adorno, eds., *Transatlantic Encounters: Europeans and Andeans in the Sixteenth Century*
James Lockhart and Enrique Otte, *Letters and People of the Spanish Indies*
Ida Altman, *Emigrants and Society: Extremadura and Spanish America in the Sixteenth Century*
Bianca Premo, *Children of the Father King*
Javier Pescador, *The New World Inside a Basque Village*

Session 5 (September 20) Spiritual conquest, religion and the church

*Robert Ricard, *The Spiritual Conquest of Mexico*, chapters 1, 2, 8
Sarah Cline, "The Spiritual Reconquest Re-examined: Baptism and Church Marriage in Early Mexico" *HAHR* 73(1993): 453-480
Inga Clendinnen, "Disciplining the Indians: Franciscan Ideology and Missionary Violence in Sixteenth-Century Yucatan," *Past and Present* 94 (February 1982): 27-48
*Sabine MacCormack, *Religion in the Andes*, chapters 4, 6, 9
Jaime Lara, "Francis Alive and Aloft: Franciscan Apocalypticism in the Colonial Andes," *The Americas* 70:2 (October 2013), 139-163
William B. Taylor, "Placing the Cross in Colonial Mexico," *The Americas* 69:2 (October 2012), 145-178
Matthew O'Hara, "The Orthodox Underworld of Colonial Mexico," *Colonial Latin American Review* 17:2 (2008): 233-250

Kenneth Mills, *Idolatry and Its Enemies: Colonial Andean Religion and Extirpation*
Louise M. Burkhart, *The Slippery Earth*
Adriaan Van Oss, *Colonial Catholicism: A Parish History of Guatemala*
Sabine MacCormack, *Religion in the Andes*
Inga Clendinnen, *Ambivalent Conquests: Maya and Spaniard in Yucatan*
John Phelan, *The Millennial Kingdom of the Franciscans in the New World*
Richard Greenleaf, *The Mexican Inquisition in the Sixteenth Century*
John F. Schwaller, *The Origins of Church Wealth in Mexico and The Church and Clergy in Sixteenth-Century Mexico*
Fernando Cervantes, *The Devil in the New World*
Stafford Poole, *Our Lady of Guadalupe*
Francisco Morales, *Ethnic and Social Background of the Franciscan Friars in Seventeenth-Century Mexico*
Martin Nesvig, ed., *Local Religion in Colonial Mexico*
Ronald J. Morgan, *Spanish American Saints and the Rhetoric of Identity, 1600-1810*
Maya Stanfield, *Object and apparition: envisioning the Christian divine in the colonial Andes*
Matthew O'Hara, *A flock divided: race, religion and politics in Mexico, 1749-1857*

Session 6 (September 27) Indians and Spaniards

John Murra, "An Aymara Kingdom in 1567," *Ethnohistory* 15 (1968): 115-151
*Lockhart, *Spanish Peru*, chapter 11
*Rafael Varón Gabai, *Francisco Pizarro and His Brothers*, chapter 7
Steve Stern, "The Rise and Fall of Indian-White Alliances: A Regional View of 'Conquest' History," *HAHR*, 61:3 (August, 1981), 461-91

*Susan Schroeder, ed., *Native Resistance and the Pax Colonial in New Spain*, chapters 1, 3, 4
Tom D. Dillehay and José Manuel Zavala, “Compromised Landscapes: The Proto-Panoptic Politics of Colonial Araucanian and Spanish *Parlamentos*,” *CLAR* 22:3 (2013), 319-343
Shawn Michael Austin, “Guaraní kinship and the encomienda community in colonial Paraguay, sixteenth and seventeenth centuries,” *CLAR* 24:4 (2015), 545-571

James Lockhart, *The Nahuas after the Conquest*
Charles Gibson, *Tlaxcala in the Sixteenth Century*
Charles Gibson, *The Aztecs under Spanish Rule*
Karen Spalding, *Huarochirí: An Andean Society under Inca and Spanish Rule*
Steve J. Stern, *Peru's Indian Peoples and the Challenge of Spanish Conquest*
Sarah Cline, *Colonial Culhuacan, 1580-1600*
Nancy Farriss, *The Maya under Colonial Rule*
Matthew Restall, *The Maya World: Yucatec Culture and Society, 1550-1850*
Laura E. Matthew, *Memories of Conquest: Becoming Mexicano in Colonial Guatemala*
Robert Patch, *Maya and Spaniard in Yucatan, 1648-1812*
Woodrow W. Borah, *Justice by Insurance*
Philip Wayne Powell, *Soldiers, Indians and Silver*
Ida Altman, *The War for Mexico's West: Indians and Spaniards in New Galicia, 1524-1550*
Cynthia Radding, *Wandering Peoples: Colonialism, Ethnic Spaces, and Ecological Frontiers in Northwestern Mexico, 1700-1850*
Susan M. Deeds, *Defiance and Deference in Mexico's Colonial North*
William B. Taylor, *Drinking, Homicide and Rebellion in Colonial Mexican Villages*
Kevin Terraciano, *The Mixtecs of Colonial Oaxaca*
John K. Chance, *Conquest of the Sierra: Spaniards and Indians in Colonial Oaxaca*
Donald Chipman, *Moctezuma's Children*
Robert Haskett, *Indigenous Rulers*
Caterina Pizzigoni, *The Life Within: Local Indigenous Society in Mexico's Toluca Valley*
Evelyn Hu De-Hart, *Missionaries, Miners and Indians: Spanish Contact with the Yaqui Nation of North Western New Spain, 1533-1830*
W. George Lovell, *Conquest and Survival in Colonial Guatemala*
Barbara Ganson, *The Guaraní under Spanish Rule*
Ethelia Ruiz Medrano, *Mexico's Indigenous Communities*
William Taylor, *Landlord and Peasant in Colonial Oaxaca*
Lolita Gutiérrez Brockington, *Blacks, Indians, and Spaniards in the Eastern Andes: Reclaiming the Forgotten in Colonial Mizque, 1550-1782*
Wendy Kramer, *Encomienda Politics in Early Colonial Guatemala*
William Sherman, *Forced Native Labor in Sixteenth-Century Central America*

Session 7 (October 4) History, texts and science

Extracts from the *Royal Commentaries of the Incas* (Garcilaso de la Vega) and from Huaman Poma's *Nueva corónica de buen gobierno* (pdfs)

*Sabine MacCormack, *Religion in the Andes*, pp. 80-118

Jorge Cañizares-Esguerra, “New World, New Stars: Patriotic Astrology and the Invention of Indian and Creole Bodies in Colonial Spanish America, 1600-1650,” *American Historical Review* 104:1 (1999): 33-68

Antonio Barrera, “Empire and Knowledge: Reporting from the New World,” *Colonial Latin American Review* 15:1 (2006): 39-54

Paula S. De Vos, "Research, Development and Empire: State Support of Science in the Later Spanish Empire," *Colonial Latin American Review* 15:1 (2006): 55-79
Rebecca Earle, "The Pleasures of Taxonomy: Casta Paintings, Classification and Colonialism," *WMQ* 73:3 (July 2016), 427-466

Benjamin Keen, *The Aztec Image in Western Thought*

Anthony Pagden, *The Fall of Natural Man*

Rolena Adorno, ed., *From Oral to Written Expression: Native Andean Chronicles of the Early Colonial Period*

Sabine MacCormack, *On the Wings of Time*

Joanne Rappaport and Tom Cummins, *Beyond the Lettered City: Indigenous Literacies in the Andes*

Susan Schroeder, *Chimalpahin and the Kingdom of Chalco*

D.A. Brading, *The First America: The Spanish Monarchy, Creole Patriots, and the Liberal State, 1492-1867*

Bartolomé de las Casas, *Historia de las Indias*

Peter Martyr, *De Orbo Novo*

Inca Garcilaso de la Vega, *Royal Commentaries of the Incas*

Maria Portuondo, *Secret Science: Spanish Cosmography and the New World*

Jorge Cañizares Esguerra, *Nature, empire and nation: explorations of the history of science in the Iberian world*

Gabriela Ramos, *Indigenous Intellectuals*

October 11 (no class, Yom Kippur)

Session 8 (October 18) Demographic and environmental change

David Henige, "Recent Work and Prospects in American Indian Contact Population," *History Compass* 6:1 (2008), 183-206

Massimo Livi Bacci, "Return to Hispaniola: Reassessing a Demographic Catastrophe," *HAHR* 83:1 (2003): 3-51

Molly A. Warsh, "A Political Ecology in the Early Spanish Caribbean," *William and Mary Quarterly* 71:4 (October 2014): 517-548

Sarah Cline, "The Book of Tributes: The Cuernavaca Region Census" (whp.uoregon.edu/Lockhart/ClineCuern.pdf)

Susan Kellogg, "Households in Late Prehispanic and Early Colonial Mexico City," *The Americas* 44:4 (April 1988)

Alfred Crosby, "Conquistador y Pestilencia: the First New World Pandemic and the Fall of the Great Indian Empire," *HAHR* 47:3 (1967)

Lauren Derby, "Bringing the Animals Back In: Writing Quadrupeds into the Environmental History of Latin America and the Caribbean," *History Compass* 9:8 (2011): 602-621

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Noble David Cook and W. George Lovell, eds., "Secret Judgments of God"

Ann Wightman, *Indigenous Migration and Social Change*

Noble David Cook, *Demographic Collapse. Indian Peru, 1520-1620*

Noble David Cook, *Born to Die: Disease and New World Conquest*

William Denevan, ed., *The Native Population of the Americas in 1492*

David P. Henige, *Numbers from Nowhere: The American Indian Contact Population Debate*
 Donald B. Cooper, *Epidemic Disease in Mexico City, 1761-1813*
 Susan Alchon, *Native Society and Disease in Colonial Ecuador*
 Karen Vieira Powers, *Andean Journey: Migration, Ethnogenesis and the State in Colonial Quito*
 David J. Robinson, ed., *Migration in Colonial Spanish America*
 Sherburne F. Cook and Woodrow Borah, *Essays in Population History*
 Linda Newson, *The Cost of Conquest: Indian Decline in Honduras under Spanish Rule*
 Linda Newson, *Indian Survival in Colonial Nicaragua*
 Elinor G.K. Melville, *A Plague of Sheep*
 Alfred W. Crosby, *The Colombian Exchange: Biological and Cultural Consequences of 1492*
 John C. Super, *Food, Conquest, and Colonization in Sixteenth-Century Spanish America*
 Sonya Lipsett-Rivera, *To Defend Our Water with the Blood of Our Veins: The Struggle for Resources in Colonial Puebla*

Session 9 (October 25) Economic development

James Lockhart, "Encomienda and Hacienda: the Evolution of the Great Estate in the Spanish Indies," *HAHR* 49 (1969): 411-429 (updated, in *Of Things of the Indies*)
 Varón Gabai, *Francisco Pizarro and His Brothers*, chs. 8-9
 **Spaniards and Indians in Southeastern Mesoamerica*, eds. Murdo MacLeod and Robert Wasserstrom; chapter by MacLeod, pp. 189-210
 Articles by Taylor, Tutino, Bakewell in *Provinces of Early Mexico* (pdfs)
 David Brading and Harry Cross, "Colonial Silver Mining: Mexico and Peru," *HAHR* 52 (1972): 545-579
 James Lockhart, *Of Things of the Indies*, chapters 5, 6
 *Robert J. Ferry, *The Colonial Elite of Early Caracas*, Part 1

Murdo MacLeod, *Spanish Central America*
 Peter Bakewell, *Silver Mining and Society in Colonial Mexico*
 Woodrow W. Borah, *Silk Raising in Colonial Mexico and Early Colonial Trade and Navigation*
 William Schurz, *The Manila Galleon*
 Richard Salvucci, *Textiles and Capitalism in Mexico*
 John Phelan, *The Kingdom of Quito in the Seventeenth Century*
 John Kicza, *Colonial Entrepreneurs: Families and Business in Bourbon Mexico*
 Susan Socolow, *The Merchants of Buenos Aires, 1778-1810*
 Louisa Hoberman, *Mexico's Merchant Elite*
 Robert J. Ferry, *The Colonial Elite of Early Caracas*
 Ann Twinam, *Miners, Merchants and Farmers in Colonial Colombia*
 Richmond F. Brown, *Juan Fermín de Aycinena: Central American Colonial Entrepreneur, 1729-1796*
 Susan Deans-Smith, *Bureaucrats, Planters, and Workers: The Making of the Tobacco Monopoly in Bourbon Mexico, 1740-1810*
 Brian Hamnett, *Politics and Trade in Southern Mexico, 1750-1821*
 Peter Bakewell, *Miners of the Red Mountain*
 Peter Bakewell, *Silver and Entrepreneurship in Seventeenth-Century Potosi*
 John R. Fisher, *Silver Mines and Silver Miners in Colonial Peru, 1776-1824*

John R. Fisher, *Commercial Relations between Spain and Spanish America in the Era of Free Trade, 1778-1796*
 Susan Ramirez, *Provincial Patriarchs: Land Tenure and the Economics of Power in Colonial Peru*
 Robert Keith, *Conquest and Agrarian Change: Emergence of the Hacienda System on the Peruvian Coast*
 Keith Davies, *Landowners in Colonial Peru*
 Ward Barrett, *The Sugar Hacienda of the Marqueses del Valle*
 Eric Van Young, *Hacienda and Market in Eighteenth Century Guadalajara*
 David Brading, *Haciendas and Ranchos in the Mexican Bajío*
 Cheryl Martin, *Rural Society in Colonial Morelos*
 Herman Konrad, *A Jesuit Hacienda in Colonial Mexico*
 Lolita Gutierrez Brockington, *The Leverage of Labor: Managing the Cortés Haciendas in Tehuantepec, 1588-1688 Century Mexico*

Session 10 (November 1) **Africans, castas and racial identity**

Matthew Restall, "Black Conquistadors: Armed Africans in Early Spanish America," *The Americas* 57:2 (2000): 171-205
 David Wheat, "Nharas and Morenas Horras: A Luso-African Model for the Social History of the Spanish Caribbean, c. 1570-1640," *Journal of Early Modern History* 14 (2010): 119-150
 Charles B. Medina, "Caught between Two Rivals: the Spanish African Maroon Competition for Captive Indian Labor in the Region of Esmeraldas during the Late Sixteenth and Early Seventeenth Centuries," *The Americas* 63:1 (2006): 113-136
 Robert C. Schwaller, "The Importance of Mestizos and Mulatos as Bilingual Intermediaries in Sixteenth-Century New Spain," *Ethnohistory* 59:4 (Fall 2012)
 Mark W. Lentz, "Black Belizeans and Fugitive Mayas: Interracial Encounters on the Edge of Empire, 1750-1803," *The Americas* 70:4 (April 2014), 645-675
 María Elena Martínez, "The Black Blood of New Spain: *Limpieza de Sangre*, Racial Violence and Gendered Power in Early Colonial Mexico," *William and Mary Quarterly* 61:3 (2004): 479-520
 Joanne Rappaport, "'Así lo parece por su aspeto': Physiognomy and the Construction of Difference in Colonial Bogotá," *HAHR* 91:4 (2011): 601-631

Tatiana Seijas, *Asian Slaves in Colonial Mexico: From Chinos to Indios*
 Rachel O'Toole, *Bound Lives. Africans, Indians, and the Making of Race in Colonial Peru*
 Ann Twinam, *Purchasing Whiteness: Pardos, Mulatos and the Quest for Social Mobility in the Spanish Indies*
 R. Douglas Cope, *The Limits of Racial Domination*
 Frank Tanenbaum, *Slave and Citizen*
 Frederick Bowser, *The African Slave in Colonial Peru*
 Jane Landers, *Black Society in Spanish Florida*
 Ben Vinson III, *Bearing Arms for His Majesty: The Free Colored Militia in Colonial Mexico*
 Joan Bristol, *Christians, Blasphemers, and Witches: Afro-Mexican Ritual Practice in the Seventeenth Century*
 Colin Palmer, *Slaves of the White God*
 Herman Bennett, *Africans in Colonial Mexico. Absolutism, Christianity, and Afro-Creole Consciousness, 1570-1640 and Colonial Blackness: A History of Afro-Mexico*

Patrick Carroll, *Blacks in Colonial Veracruz*
 María Elena Díaz, *The Virgin, the King and the Royal Slaves of El Cobre: Negotiating Freedom in Colonial Cuba, 1670-1780*
 Robinson A. Herrera, *Natives, Europeans, and Africans in Sixteenth-Century Santiago de Guatemala*
 William Sharp, *Slavery on the Spanish Frontier: The Colombian Choco, 1680-1810*
 Jonathan I. Israel, *Race, Class and Politics in Colonial Mexico, 1610-1670*
 John K. Chance, *Race and Class in Colonial Oaxaca*
 Matthew Restall, ed., *Beyond Black and Red. African-Native Relations in Colonial Latin America* and *The Black Middle: Africans, Mayas, and Spaniards in Colonial Yucatan*
 Lolita Gutiérrez Brockington, *Blacks, Indians, and Spaniards in the Eastern Andes: Reclaiming the Forgotten in Colonial Mizque, 1550–1782*
 Andrew B. Fisher and Matthew D. O’Hara, eds., *Imperial subjects: race and identity in colonial Latin America*

Session 11 (November 8) Urban development and society

Richard Morse, “Prolegomenon to Latin American Urban History,” *HAHR* 52:3 (1972): 359-394
 Ida Altman, “The Key to the Indies: Port Towns in the Spanish Caribbean, 1493-1545” (pdf)
 Alejandro de la Fuente et. al., “Havana and the Fleet System,” *CLAR* 5:1 (1996): 95-115
 Karen Graubart, “The Creolization of the New World: Local Forms of Identification in Urban Colonial Peru, 1560-1640,” *HAHR* 89 (2009): 471-499
 Richard Conway, “Spaniards in the Nahua City of Xochimilco: Colonial Society and Cultural Change in Central Mexico, 1650-1725,” *The Americas* 71:1 (July 2014):9-35
 Charles Walker, “The Upper Classes and Their Upper Stories: Architecture and the Aftermath of the Lima Earthquake of 1746,” *HAHR* 83:1 (2003): 53-82
 Michael L. Conniff, “Guayaquil through Independence: Urban Development in a Colonial System,” *The Americas* 33:3 (1977): 385-410

Peter Marzahl, *Town in the Empire: Government, Politics and Society in Seventeenth-Century Popayán*
 Kathryn Burns, *Colonial Habits: Convents and the Spiritual Economy of Cuzco*
 Ida Altman, *Transatlantic Ties in the Spanish Empire*
 Alejandro de la Fuente, *Havana and the Atlantic in the Sixteenth Century*
 Franklin W. Knight and Peggy K. Liss, ed., *Atlantic Port Cities. Economy, Culture, and Society in the Atlantic world, 1650-1850*
 Jane E. Mangan, *Trading Roles. Gender, Ethnicity, and the Urban Economy in Colonial Potosí*
 Charles Walker, *Shaky Colonialism: The 1746 Earthquake-Tsunami in Peru*
 Bianca Premo, *Children of the Father King. Youth, Authority, and Legal Minority in Colonial Lima*
 Lyman L. Johnson, *Workshop of Revolution: Plebeian Buenos Aires and the Atlantic World, 1776-1810*
 Kimberly S. Hanger, *Bounded Lives, Bounded Places: Free Black Society in Colonial New Orleans*
 Richard Kagan, *Urban Images of the Hispanic World, 1493-1793*
 Christopher Lutz, *Santiago de Guatemala, 1541-1773: City, Caste, and the Colonial Experience*

Session 12 (November 15) Women, gender, family, and sexuality

- Ida Altman, "Marriage, Family and Ethnicity in the Early Spanish Caribbean," *William and Mary Quarterly* 70:2 (2013): 225-250
- Pete Sigal, "Queer Nahuatl: Sahagún's Faggots and Sodomites, Lesbians and Hermaphrodites," *Ethnohistory* 54:1 (2007): 9-34
- Jane Mangan, "Moving Mestizos in Colonial Peru: Spanish Fathers, Indigenous Mothers, and the Children In Between," *WMQ* 70:2 (2013): 273-294
- Kathyn Burns, "Gender and the Politics of Mestizaje: The Convent of Santa Clara in Cuzco, Peru," *HAHR* 78:1 (1998): 5-43
- Margaret Chowning, "Convents and Nuns: New Approaches to the Study of Female Religious Institutions in Colonial Mexico," *History Compass* 65:3 (2008), 1279-1303
- Rebecca Earle, "Letters and Love in Colonial Spanish America," *The Americas* 62:1 (2005): 17-46
- Bianca Premo, "Familiar: Thinking beyond Lineage and across Race in Spanish Atlantic Family History," *WMQ* 70:2 (2013): 295-316

Patricia Seed, *To Love, Honor and Obey in Colonial Mexico*

Irene Silverblatt, *Moon, Sun and Witches: Gender Ideologies and Class in Inca and Colonial Peru*

Susan Schroeder, Stephanie Wood, and Robert Haskett, eds., *Indian Women of Early Mexico*
Asunción Lavrín, ed., *Latin American Women*

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Steve Stern, *The Secret History of Gender: Women, Men and Power in Late Colonial Mexico*

Pete Sigal, *The Flower and the Scorpion: Sexuality and Ritual in Early Nahua Culture*

Sonia Lipsett-Rivera, *Gender and the Negotiation of Daily Life in Mexico, 1750-1856*

Noble David Cook and Alexandra Cook, *Good Faith and Truthful Ignorance*

Jean Franco, *Plotting Women: Gender and Representation in Mexico*

Martha Few, *Women Who Live Evil Lives. Gender, Religion and the Politics of Power in Colonial Guatemala*

Karen Vieira Powers, *Women in the Crucible of Conquest*

Ann Twinam, *Public Lives, Private Secrets: Gender, Honor, Sexuality and Illegitimacy in Colonial Spanish America*

Luis Martin, *Daughters of the Conquistadores. Women of the Viceroyalty of Peru*

Bianca Premo, *Children of the Father King. Youth, Authority, and Legal Minority in Colonial Lima*

Sylvia M. Arrom, *The Women of Mexico City, 1790-1857*

Susan Socolow, *The Women of Colonial Latin America*

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