

INTERNATIONAL CALL

Building Latin American Bicentennials in the Age of Globalization

DISCUSSION SEMINAR: WORKING PAPERS FROM ARGENTINA, CHILE AND MEXICO

Santiago de Chile, December 1st and 2nd, 2008

Location: room 301, Facultad de Arquitectura, Urbanismo y Paisaje, Universidad Central de Chile

Attendees: Michael Cohen, Patricio Gross, Louise Noelle, Margarita Gutman, Rita Molinos, Jaime Sorín, René Martínez Lemoine, Ileana Versace, Francisco Herrera, Alejandro Díaz, Marcelo Reyes, Mario Sobarzo, Alfonso Raposo, Virginia Guedea, Miguel Carrasco, Gabriela Sorda, external guests¹.

DAY 1

Monday December 1st

Opening Acto de Apertura

Coordination: Patricio Gross

5:00pm – 5:30pm: Welcoming remarks: Eliana Israel, Patricio Gross
Opening remarks:
Michael Cohen, The New School, OLA,
Jaime Sorin, FADU, UBA,
Margarita Gutman, Programa Construir Bicentenarios, OLA and FADU

Presentation and Discussion: Working Papers, Chile

Coordination: Patricio Gross

5:30pm – 5:40pm: Presentation: Patricio Gross
5:40pm – 6:40pm: Presentation of Working Papers from Chile: First Part
“Santiago in the First Centennial of Independence”, **René Martínez Lemoine**
“From the Centennial to the Bicentennial, Memories of a Social Critic”, **Alejandro Díaz**
Appropriation and repression: The Alameda of Chile in the last 100 years”, **Patricio Gross, Francisco Herrera**

6:40pm – 7:00pm: Break

7:00pm – 8:00pm: Presentation of Working Papers from Chile: Second Part
“Recent Governmental Management in the Perspective of Emblematic Urban Works for the Celebration”, **Marcelo Reyes, Pablo Morán**
“A Tomorrow without Today”, **Mario Sobarzo**
“Architecture, City-planning and Bicentennial. Sketch of a Research Idea”, **Alfonso Raposo**

8:00pm – 8:30pm: Discussion

8:30pm: Closing of day one

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DAY 2

Tuesday, December 2

Presentation and Discussion: Working Papers, Argentina and Mexico

Coordination: Margarita Gutman

9:00am – 9:20am: Regional Perspectives: **Margarita Gutman**

9:20am – 10:30am: Presentation of México

"Mexico: Building the Centennial of the Independence": **Louise Noelle**

"About the Commemoration of the Bicentennial of the Beginning of Independence.

The Case of Mexico": **Virginia Guedea**

10:30am – 12:00pm: Discussion

12:00pm – 2:00pm: Break

Coordination: Rita Molinos

2:00pm – 3:30pm: Presentation of the International Call: Ileana Versace

Presentation of Working Papers from Argentina: Rita Molinos

Presentation of Working Papers from Argentina: Miguel Carrasco and Gabriela Sorda

"Genesis of the Construction of a Comprehensive Agenda of the Bicentennial",

Miguel Carrasco, Mariano Schilman

"Images, Forms and Spaces for the Commemoration of May 25th. Inclusive experiences in the schools of the western part of Buenos Aires and the suburbs towards 2010", **Héctor Aguilar**

"The Bicentennial: The Media, a Means? The News and the Commemoration",

Sandra Rúa

"The Bicentennial in the City of Buenos Aires. Projects and Constructions", **Marina Vasta**

Constructed Commemorations: The actions on the territory of the interior of Argentina to commemorate the Bicentennial", **Gabriela Sorda**

3:30pm – 4:00pm: Discussion

4:00pm – 5:30pm: Conclusions and closing remarks