



## **The Cuban Research Institute**

cordially invite you to the launching of the book

### ***The Other Wall: Character Assassination in Cuba***

with authors:

**Carlos Alberto Montaner**  
**Rafael Rojas**  
**Uva de Aragón**  
and **Juan Antonio Blanco**

**Friday June 24, 2011 7:30pm**  
**FIU Modesto A. Maidique Campus**  
**Graham Center, Room 243**  
**Entrance S.W. 16th St. and 107th Ave**



There are many ways of eliminating a person; one of them is destroying his /her credibility. For the first time, academics and journalists with different political backgrounds analyze the practice of character assassination of persons and social groups perpetrated by the Cuban government for half a century. *The Other Wall (El otro paredón*; EriginalBooks, Miami 2011) examines specific cases in which these practices were carried out against politician Carlos Márquez Sterling, businessman Amadeo Barletta, journalist Carlos Alberto Montaner, and academics of two centers created by the socialist regime.

Four of the five authors will participate in the FIU book presentation including:

**Carlos Alberto Montaner.** A writer, journalist, and political analyst, Montaner's weekly columns are published by influential news organizations and journals throughout the USA, Latin America and Europe.

**Rafael Rojas.** A writer and historian, Rojas currently serves as the head of the Department of History at CIDE in Mexico.

**Uva de Aragón.** A writer and the associate director of the Cuban Research Institute (CRI) at FIU.

**Juan Antonio Blanco.** A historian and political analyst, Blanco is a research fellow at the Cuban Research Institute at FIU.

The event will be in Spanish and is free and open to the public.  
For more information and to RSVP call 305-348-2894 or email at [cri@fiu.edu](mailto:cri@fiu.edu).