Cordially invites you to a colloquium on

“Current Research on Immigration and Transnationalism in the Americas: Main Problems, Approaches, and Methods”

Friday, April 26, 2013
Green Library 220
Florida International University
Miami, FL

Program

9:00 a.m.  Registration and Coffee

9:30 a.m.  Introductions and Welcoming Remarks
Dr. Jorge Duany, Director, Cuban Research Institute, Florida International University
Dr. Ariel Armony, Director, Center for Latin American Studies, University of Miami
Dr. Marifeli Pérez-Stable, Interim Director, Latin American and Caribbean Center, FIU

10:00 a.m.  Presentation: New Trends and Problems in Transnational Migration in the Americas
Dr. Jorge Durand, Professor of Anthropology, University of Guadalajara

Chair: Dr. María Aysa-Lastra, Professor of Sociology, Florida International University

11:00 a.m.  Coffee Break

11:15 a.m.  Presentation: Transnational Migration Theory and Research: Past Developments and Future Trends
Dr. Ninna Nyberg Sorensen, Senior Researcher, Danish Institute for International Studies

Chair: Dr. Sallie Hughes, Associate Professor of Communication, University of Miami

12:15 p.m.  Lunch

1:30 p.m.  Presentation: Assimilation and Transnationalism: Complementary or Alternative Paradigms?
Dr. Silvia Pedraza, Professor of Sociology, University of Michigan

Chair: Dr. Gonzalo Soruco, Associate Professor of Communication, University of Miami

2:30 p.m.  Break Up into Groups of UM/FIU Researchers

3:30 p.m.  Conclusions and Next Steps
Dr. Jorge Duany

4:00 p.m.  Adjournment

For additional information and to RSVP, please call CRI at (305) 348-1991.