Latin Americanist faculty from all disciplines are invited to participate in the spring 2013 Teaching and Learning Workshop. The workshop is offered in collaboration with the Consortium of Latin American Studies Programs (CLASP), a national organization supporting teaching, outreach and program development.

The workshop is intended to build on the cross-disciplinary nature of the NCCLA, bringing together regional scholars to talk about a particular topic or pedagogical tool in an informal, roundtable format. This year we will be talking about the many facets of the relationship between Latin America and the United States.

Participants are encouraged to share their ideas about films, readings, assignments and other activities they have used to help students understand the diverse ties linking the U.S. and Latin America. Questions about how to approach the topic also welcome. This is NOT a conference where presenters are expected to share a paper. Instead, as noted above, we will talk as a group about the topic. Participants will receive a program and readings in advance to help prepare for the conversation.

**Registration Deadline: March 1, 2013**

The workshop is hosted by Valparaiso University, with support from the UW-Milwaukee Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies (CLACS), a Title VI National Resource Center, funded by the U.S. Department of Education. Registration fee (including Friday dinner and Saturday lunch): $25 (NCCLA members, CLACS members or RFAs) / $40 (non-member fee includes 1-year NCCLA membership); one night lodging provided by NCCLA for the first 10 participants. For those interested, Valparaiso will be screening the animated Cuban film “Chico y Rita,” on Friday, March 22, 2013 (7pm). Valparaiso is located one hour east of Chicago.

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