

Following its launch in Oxford in June 2014, MIGRALAC is holding its first half-day seminar in London on **Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2015** at Queen Mary, University of London. This will be the first of three MIGRALAC seminars this year: the others will be held at Oxford University in May and then at the University of Birmingham in October.

The aim of this seminar series is to bring together doctoral students and academics as well as researchers and practitioners from outside academia to explore diverse themes relating to Latin American and Caribbean migration in an informal setting.

## PROGRAMME

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- 1pm**            **Welcome and Introduction**  
*Olivia Sheringham, Queen Mary University of London*
- 1.10-3pm**      **PANEL 1: LATIN AMERICANS IN THE UK: NEW DYNAMICS AND PERSPECTIVES ON RESEARCH AND PRACTICE**  
Chair: *Cathy McIlwaine, Queen Mary University of London*
- On the interface between academia and the third sector: Reflections from working at Latin Elephant**  
*Patria Roman-Velazquez, Latin Elephant*
- Immigration control, tactics and precariousness: the case of Brazilians in London.**  
*Angelo Martins Junior, Goldsmiths University of London*
- 'No Longer Invisible' re-visited: Latin American onward migrants in London (preliminary results)**  
*Diego Bunge and Cathy McIlwaine, Queen Mary University of London; Cate Trejos, Latin American Women's Rights Service*
- 3pm**            **Coffee and Tea break**
- 3.30-5.15pm**   **PANEL 2: GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES ON LATIN AMERICAN MIGRATION**  
Chair: *Maria Villares, University of Birmingham*
- Bolivian migrants in Chile: spaces of legal (non-)citizenship**  
*Megan Ryburn, Queen Mary University of London*
- The invisibility of forced (non-) migration: A study of Colombia's borderlands**  
*Annette Idler, University of Oxford*
- Ambivalent citizenship and extra-territorial voting among Colombians in London and Madrid**  
*Cathy McIlwaine, Queen Mary University of London and Anastasia Bermudez Institut des Sciences Humaines et Sociales, Université de Liège*
- 5.15pm**        **Drinks and close**

Please click [here](#) to register for this event via Eventbrite. For more details please contact [o.sheringham@qmul.ac.uk](mailto:o.sheringham@qmul.ac.uk) or visit the [MIGRALAC](#) site. The seminar will end at 6pm, but please let us know if you'd like to join us for an informal dinner afterwards at a local restaurant.