The 23rd Edition of the Annual Hispanic and Lusophone Studies Symposium
March 20th-21st, 2020, Columbus, Ohio

Keynote Speakers:
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The Graduate Students in the Spanish and Portuguese Department at The Ohio State University invite graduate students, professors, and interested researchers to participate in the 23rd edition of the Annual Hispanic and Lusophone Studies Symposium, which will take place on March 20th-21st, 2020. On this occasion, we invite interested scholars to reflect and engage in a dialogue about any aspect of literatures and cultures in the Luso-Hispanic world. We aim to create a collaborative environment in which we can critically discuss issues and concerns, while establishing a dialogue between time, space, subjects, theories, and practices.

We welcome submissions in the following areas, but other related topics are welcome:

- Afro-Latin American Literatures and Cultures
- Body Studies
- Comparative Studies
- Colonial Studies
- Cultural Heritage
- Decolonial and Postcolonial Studies
- Film Studies
- Gender, Women, and Sexuality Studies
- Globalization
- Iberian Studies
- Identity and Border Studies
- Latin American and Latinx Studies
- Literature and Comparative Literature
- Migration and Diaspora Studies
- Musicology
- Performance and Theatre Studies
- Race and Ethnic Studies
- Translation Studies
- Visual Arts

We welcome proposals for traditional papers, as well as other formats, including performance, creative writing, and video essay, among others.

Proposals should be sent using the following link: https://osu.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_2lvNBUJZBR0CwCN by January 15th, 2020.
We accept proposals written in Spanish, Portuguese, and English. The abstract should be a maximum of 250 words in the language of the presentation. When you submit your proposal, you will provide the following information: title, presenter(s) name(s), e-mail address, and academic affiliation. Presentations should not exceed 20 minutes.

Conference registration will be $20 if payed before the event and $25 if payed on the day of the conference. We will include payment instructions in our acceptance letter.

All inquiries should be sent to:

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We are looking forward to your proposals and for this opportunity to share our research in an open and welcoming space.