

# NATIONALISM ACROSS THE AMERICAS



## NATIONAL IDENTITY IN LATIN AMERICA

10.00- 11.30 | Chair: Pablo Uchoa

- Stephanie Ashton-Sanchez (UCL) | Centennial Celebrations of Colombia's Independence: The Case of Ciénaga, 1910-1911
- Marieta Valdivia Lefort (UCL) | Reparation for Chile's Economic Independence: The Role of Citizenship Formation in National Progress (1912-1931)
- Fernando Remache-Vinueza (Bremen) | Modernization in the Southern Cone: National Identity Myths and Developmentalism in Argentina 1958-1962

## BLACK THOUGHT

11.45 - 13.15 | Chair: Frankie Chappell

- Marietta Kosma (Oxford) | Nationalism and Motherhood in Alice Walker's *Meridian*
- Jordan Powell (UCL) | Ontological Antonyms? On W.E.B Du Bois' Disaffected 'American Negro'
- Laura Wilson (Independent Scholar) | 'The Ambiguous Domain': Representations of Cuba and Haiti in James Weldon Johnson's *The Autobiography of an Ex-Colored Man*

## NATIONALISM BEYOND BORDERS

14.15-15.45 | Chair: Shodona Kettle

- João Pedro Braga (UCL) | Governing Finance Towards a Just Transition in the Brazilian Amazon Rainforest
- Francesca Edgerton (UCL) | A Diplomatic Defence of Asylum: Mexico at the Inter-American Conferences of 1928 and 1933
- Zaka Toto (Université des Antilles) | Martinique has its Flag

# SCHEDULE

## NATIONALISM & COMMEMORATION IN THE U.S.

16.00-17.30 | Chair: Thomas Cryer

- Nathalie Dupont (Université du Littoral Côte d'Opale) | Godsploitation, Godlywood and American Nationalism
- Michelle Graabek (Independent Scholar) | The 'Swedish Rebellion' in Utah of 1902 and Tension between Religion, Cultural Identity, and Nationalism
- Pat O'Connor (Wichita State) | Commemoration, Honor, and Fraternity: The Sons of Confederate Veterans Mechanized Cavalry
- Will Ranger (UCL) | Celebrating America's Birthday: Young People, Public Education, and the American Revolutionary Bicentennial of 1976

## NEW BOOK PANEL, CO-SPONSORED BY USSO: *THE NEW NATIONALISM IN AMERICA & BEYOND*

17.40-18.30 | Chair: Aija Oksman

- United States Studies Online co-sponsored discussion of *The New Nationalism in America and Beyond* (Oxford University Press, 2023) with the authors Eric Taylor Woods (University of Plymouth) and Robert Schertzer (University of Toronto)

## KEYNOTE ADDRESS

19.00-20.30

- A distinguished keynote from Alvita Akiboh (Yale) the author of *Imperial Material: National Symbols in the US Colonial Empire* (University of Chicago Press, 2023)