



Borderlands and Latino/a Studies Seminar

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2019-2020 CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Submission Deadline: Monday, June 3, 2019

This seminar provides a forum for works-in-progress that explore topics in Latino/a and borderlands studies. We seek proposals from individuals or groups for seminar papers or complete panels that examine the interplay of Latino/a people, communities, and culture in the United States; transnational and comparative borderlands studies; migration studies; Latino/a gender and sexuality; changing urban landscapes as a result of Latino/a settlement; civil rights and social movements; and other related topics.

We welcome proposals from scholars working in a broad range of academic fields, and are particularly interested in interdisciplinary approaches. The seminar is open to advanced graduate students, faculty members, and independent scholars. To maximize time for discussion, papers are circulated electronically in advance. The seminar meets on selected Fridays during the academic year, from 3-5pm. In previous years, we have also convened a one-day mini-conference either in the fall or spring. All meetings take place at the Newberry Library in Chicago, Illinois.

Any questions should be directed to **Xóchitl Bada** (University of Illinois at Chicago) or **Adam Goodman** (University of Illinois at Chicago), the coordinators of the seminar, or **Mary Hale**, Program Manager of Scholarly Seminars at the Newberry.

To submit a proposal, please visit our webform at <https://www.newberry.org/seminar-proposal-form> (the form will be open from March 22- June 3, 2019) and upload a one-page proposal, a statement explaining the relationship of the paper to your other work, and a brief CV. Applications will not be accepted via email.

If you are not at present interested in giving a paper but want to receive papers and participate in the discussion, please read our Registration Information found online. The Newberry is unable to provide funds for travel and lodging for presenters and respondents, but can assist in locating discounted accommodations.