

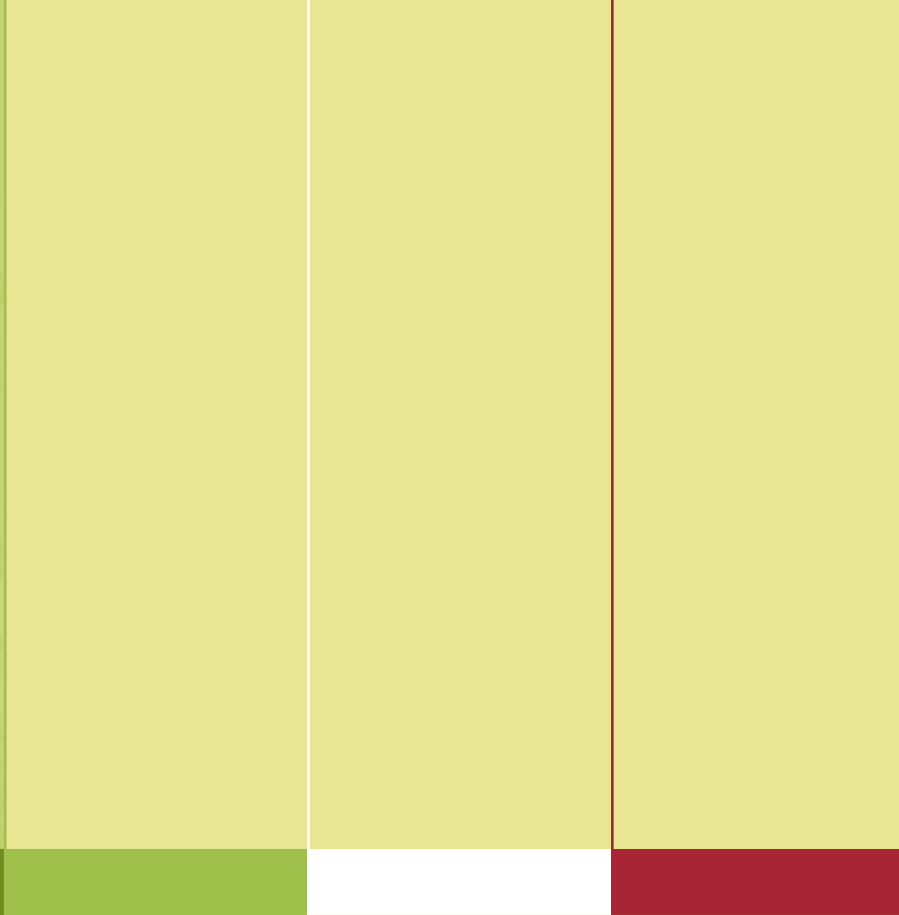
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Message from the President of the Wilson Center

Lee H. Hamilton

Woodrow Wilson was a man of unceasing skill, intellect and curiosity. The Woodrow Wilson Center honors his memory by bridging his two passions—scholarship and policy. At the Woodrow Wilson Center, we bring together the thinkers and the doers—policymakers, scholars and business leaders—in the hope that a frank and open dialogue will lead to better understanding, cooperation and public policy.

The Woodrow Wilson Center launched the Mexico Institute in 2003 in recognition of the important relationship between our countries. Few countries have as significant and dynamic a relationship with each other as the United States and Mexico. The Center is committed to bringing together policymakers, scholars, journalists, businesspeople, and civic leaders across our shared border in order to encourage open dialogue and build effective policies for the bilateral relationship.



A Message from the Co-Chairs of the Mexico Institute's Advisory Board

José Antonio Fernández Carbajal and Roger W. Wallace

We are pleased to chair the Advisory Board of the Woodrow Wilson Center's Mexico Institute, a committed body of prominent leaders in business, journalism, scholarship, and public life that meets regularly to set the agenda for the work of the Institute. Few countries have as intense and interdependent a relationship as Mexico and the United States. We believe that we must, in essence, put ourselves in each other's shoes to fully understand how to work together more successfully for the benefit of both countries.

Over its first three years, the Mexico Institute has become the premier forum for dialogue between people in our two countries and a source of creative ideas for the bilateral relationship. The Institute, in a non-partisan setting, engages key decision makers and opinion leaders on both sides of the border. Its focus is to develop innovative approaches for improving cooperation between Mexico and the United States and enhancing their joint competitiveness in the global market. We target those issues that can move the bilateral agenda ahead and generate new thinking on common concerns.

This report shows the concrete results we have achieved to date and the aspirations we have for the future. We invite you to join us in this effort to improve understanding and cooperation between our countries.

A Message from the Director

Andrew Selee

The Mexico Institute seeks to increase understanding, communication, and cooperation between Mexico and the United States.

Our work has been organized around five broad themes: (1) *Enhancing the policy debate* between the United States and Mexico; (2) Encouraging more frequent and nuanced *media coverage* of the U.S.-Mexico relationship; (3) Documenting *the role of migrants in civic and political life* in both countries; (4) Informing U.S. policymakers, opinion leaders, and public in general about *political and economic changes in Mexico*; and (5) Working with Mexican partner institutions in efforts to achieve a *more open, competitive, and equitable society*.



This year has been especially active, including a series of high-level events on the Mexican elections and major publications on creative bilateral policies, immigration policy, and the impact of Mexican migrants in U.S. society. We are grateful for the leadership of the members of the Mexico Institute's Advisory Board who have overseen these efforts and to all who have participated in these initiatives.

We are convinced that working together across the border we can contribute to better understanding and more fruitful cooperation between Mexico and the United States.

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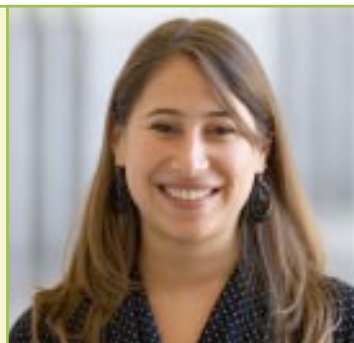
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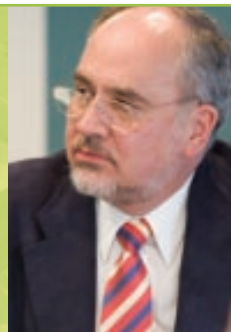
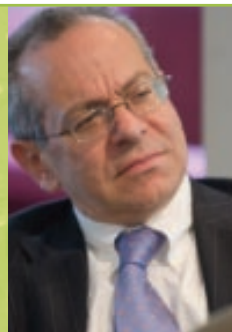
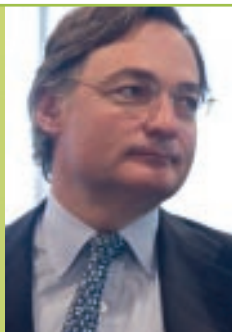
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Mexico's 2006 Elections

On July 2, 2006 Mexicans went to the polls to elect a new President and Congress. The Mexico Institute held a series of events in Washington, DC; Mexico City; and Mexico's northern border to analyze the elections and their significance for both Mexico's democracy and U.S.-Mexico relations.

Conferences in Washington, D.C.

The Institute organized three conferences in Washington, DC to analyze the election process. One conference in March addressed changes and continuities in Mexican society, political parties, and government institutions; another in May dealt with the campaigns themselves and the prospects for U.S.-Mexico relations; and a third in July provided an analysis of the results of the elections.

Panelists included Enrique Krauze, Lorenzo Meyer, Jacqueline Peschard, Roderic Camp, Andrés Rozental, Jim Jones, Alberto Aziz Nassif, Alejandro Moreno, Javier Treviño, Mariclaire Acosta, Susan Kaufman Purcell, Jean Francois Prud'homme, María Amparo Casar, Jesús Silva-Herzog Márquez, Pamela Starr, Chappell Lawson, Jonathan Fox, Tonatiuh Guillén, Rafael Fernández de Castro, John Bailey, Yemile Mizrahi, Francisco González, and Carol Wise.

Conferences in Mexico City

The Institute and Latin American Program joined with El Colegio de Mexico's International Studies Center, the Federal Electoral Institute (IFE), and the State Reform Commission of the Chamber of Deputies to



Clockwise: Javier Treviño, Andrés Rozental, Andrew Selee, Jim Jones, Jacqueline Peschard, Sergio Aguayo, Jesús Silva-Herzog Márquez

organize two conferences in Mexico that analyzed Mexico's Democratic Process in International Perspective.

Panelists included Philippe Schmitter, Susan Stokes, Adam Przeworski, Raúl Alconada, Lorenzo Meyer, Ilán Bizberg, Andreas Schedler, Alfonso Hernández, Dip. Manuel Camacho (PRD), Dip. Germán Martínez (PAN), Dip. Alberto Aguilar (PRI), Dip. Jesús Martínez (PC), Dip. José González Morfín (PAN), Dip. Pablo Gómez (PRD), Luis Carlos Ugalde, Alejandra Latapí, Arturo Sánchez, Andrés Albó, Virgilio Andrade, Eduardo Guerrero, Hugo Concha, Sergio Aguayo, Gustavo Vega, Arturo Alvarado, and Andrew Selee.

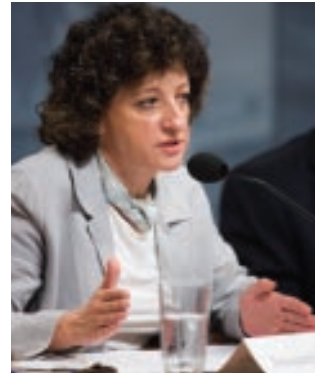
Seminars on the U.S.-Mexico Border

The Mexico Institute joined El Colegio de la Frontera Norte and the Sociedad Mexicana de Estudios Electorales to organize a series of seminars in Tijuana—broadcast via videoconference in Ciudad Juárez, Monterrey, and Mexico City—on the vote abroad and U.S. perspectives on the elections.

Panelists included Jorge Santibañez, David Ayón, Gaspar Rivera-Salgado, Leticia Calderón, Tony Payán, and Andrew Selee.

Elections Webpage

The Institute created a webpage to provide English-language coverage of the Mexican elections, including news, analysis, polls, and special features. Jesús Silva-Herzog Márquez and Andrew Selee served as co-editors of this effort along with assistant editor Kate Brick and webpage manager Elvia Zazueta.



Setting the Agenda: U.S.-Mexico Policy

The destinies of the United States and Mexico are intertwined. The Mexico Institute organizes meetings and promotes studies that help policymakers and opinion-makers think about opportunities for mutually beneficial cooperation between the two countries.

Forging a Strategic Partnership

The Mexico Institute and the Consejo Mexicano de Asuntos Internacionales, together with ITAM, convened a task force on options for cooperation between the two governments and in September launched the Task Force report, *The United States and Mexico: Forging a Strategic Partnership*, in public meetings held in the U.S. and Mexican Congresses. Task force members shared findings at a separate event hosted by Monterrey Tec in Monterrey in November and at the Institute of the Americas in San Diego in September.

Participants in the launches included Amb. Andrés Rozental and Dr. Peter H. Smith, task force co-chairs; task force members Rafael Fernández de Castro, Andrew Selee, and Steve Johnson; Mexican Undersecretary of Foreign Relations Gerónimo Gutiérrez, U.S. Deputy Assistant Secretary Betsy Whitaker, Ambassador Carlos de Icaza, Congressman Silvestre Reyes (D), Jim Jones, Susan Kaufman Purcell; Dip. Emilio Zebadúa (PRD), Dip. Rodrigo Iván Cortes (PAN), and Dip. Carlos Macías (PRI).

Future Challenges for NAFTA

The Wilson Center published the book *NAFTA at Ten*, which shares the findings of a high-level conference on NAFTA held in 2002 and explores the potential for NAFTA to be deepened in the future. The publication includes remarks by the three heads of state who signed the NAFTA agreement and leading scholars and analysts, including Robert Mosbacher, Thomas (Mack) McLarty, Peter Smith, Michael Hart, Gustavo Vega, Gary Huffbauer, Jeff Faux, Maria Echaveste, Rafael Fernández de Castro, Antonio Ortiz Mena, Wendy Dobson, Charles Doran, Carlos Heredia, Albert Fishlow, Frank Bean, Philip Martin, Sidney Weintraub, Guadalupe González, Irwin Altschuler, Peter Hakim, Anthony de Palma, James Robinson, George Haynal, and Gordon Giffin, among others.

The Center's Mexico and Canada Institutes joined forces to host a conference addressing NAFTA and the Future of Trade Governance. Panelists included Gustavo Vega-Canovas, Louis Bélanger, Isabel Studer, Mark D. Nguyen, Robert Wolfe, Sidney Weintraub, Carol Wise, Donald Mackay and Maryse Robert.



Doris Meissner,
John Cornyn,
Rafael Fernández
de Castro



From Left to Right, Mary Walshok, Rodrigo Gutiérrez Sández, Eugenio Elorduy, Malin Burnham

Task Force on Immigration and America's Future

The Migration Policy Institute, the Wilson Center, and the Manhattan Institute jointly launched a Task Force on Immigration and America's Future, chaired by former Congressman and Wilson Center President Lee H. Hamilton and former Senator and Secretary of Energy Spencer Abraham and directed by Doris Meissner, Senior Fellow at the Migration Policy Institute. The Task Force launched its report in September, 2006 calling for a thorough overhaul of U.S. immigration laws to ensure American economic competitiveness, security, and cooperation with neighboring countries.

Other Task Force members include T. Alexander Aleinkoff, Rep. Howard Berman (D), Jeanne Butterfield, Oscar A. Chacón, Lee Culpepper, Thomas J. Donohue, Rep. Jeff Flake (R), Fernando Garcia, Bill Ong Hing, Tamar Jacoby, Juliette Kayyem, Sen. Edward Kennedy (D), Sen. John McCain (R), Janet Murguía, Leon Panetta, State Sen. Steven J. Rauschenberger (R), Robert Reischauer, Kurt L. Schmoke, Frank Sharry, Debra W. Stewart, C. Stewart Verdery, John Wilhelm, and James W. Ziglar.

Border Issues

The Mexico Institute hosted two meetings on the U.S.-Mexico border, including the presentation of the report *Cross-Border Innovation in the San Diego-Tijuana Region*, produced by UCSD, CENTRIS, CICESE, and San Diego Dialogue. Participants in the event included San Diego Mayor Jerry Sanders; Governor Eugenio Elorduy of Baja California; Mary L. Wolshok; Rodrigo Gutiérrez Sández; Jessie K. Knight; Daniel Romero; and Malin Burnham.

At a second meeting on border issues in April, co-sponsored by the Mexican Cultural Institute of the Embassy, José Manuel Valenzuela Arce, professor at El Colegio de la Frontera Norte, analyzed the growing cultural integration taking place in the border region.



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Xóchitl Bada,
Janet Murguía,
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Saldaña, María
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Migrant Civic and Political Participation

There is much discussion about policy toward migrants in both the United States and Mexico, but much less on the role of migrants themselves. The Mexico Institute and the University of California, Santa Cruz are working with Mexican migrant leaders and scholars to understand how migrants are transforming the civic and political fabric of both countries.

Meeting of Civic Leaders

The Mexico Institute hosted and co-organized a conference of civic leaders and scholars to discuss “Mexican Migrants Civic and Political Participation” in November, 2005. Over sixty-five participants took part in the discussions over two days, including both a public conference and closed-door discussions. The event addressed the role of migrant-run organizations and Spanish-language media; the relationship between migrant organizations and traditionally Latino organizations; and the incorporation of migrants in religious communities, unions, and other civic spaces in U.S. society.

In the public meeting, panelists included Jonathan Fox, Gaspar Rivera-Salgado, Roberto Suro, Xóchitl Bada, Monica Lozano, Janet Murguía, Ann Marie Tallman, Guadalupe Gómez, María Elena Durazo, Jesús Martínez-Saldaña, and Jesús García.

Webpage on Migrant Civic Engagement

The conference led to the creation of a website on Migrant Civic Engagement that includes original research papers and vital statistics.

No Longer Invisible: Mexican Migrant Civic Participation

The Wilson Center and University of California co-published the findings of this meeting in an original publication edited by Xóchitl Bada, Jonathan Fox, and Andrew Selee, with chapters by the editors and by Gaspar Rivera-Salgado and David R. Ayón.

Journalism Across the Border

Journalists are the eyes and ears of citizens in their countries. Because of the especially important role that they play in the U.S.-Mexico relationship, the Mexico Institute and *Foreign Affairs en Español* have worked together to explore the role of journalism in bilateral affairs.

Book on U.S.-Mexico Journalism

In September, the Mexico Institute and *Foreign Affairs en Español* published *Writing Beyond Boundaries: Journalism across the U.S.-Mexico Border*. This volume was launched in events in Monterrey, Nuevo León, Mexico City, and Washington, DC in November, December, and January, and the University of Texas, El Paso hosted a meeting in March based on the volume. Philip Bennett, managing editor of the *Washington Post*, provided keynote remarks at the Washington launch event. A separate event organized by the Mexico Institute and the Council of the Americas took place in New York City in May to discuss journalists' perspectives on the Mexican elections.

Panelists in these events included Rossana Fuentes-Berain, Philip Bennett, Alfredo Corchado, Claudio Sanchez, Dolia Estévez, Armando Guzmán, Sandra Dibble, José Díaz Briceño, David Brooks, José Carreño, Gregorio Meraz, Marcela Sánchez, Jerry Kammer, Tamar Jacoby, and John Authers.

Media Contacts

Mexico Institute staff have provided interviews, background information, or contacts to reporters and editors from media around the world including ABC, CNN, PBS, C-SPAN, Telemundo; Televisa, TV Azteca, TV UNAM, ITN; NPR, BBC Radio, BBC Radio en Español, CNN Radio en Español; Radio Formula, Radio Imagen, Radio Nucleo; *U.S. News and World Report*, *Newsweek*, *National Journal*, *Poder*, *American Lawyer Magazine*, *The Economist*; *AP*, *Washington Post*, *New York Times*, *Wall Street Journal*, *Christian Science Monitor*, *Dallas Morning News*, *San Diego Union-Tribune*, *La Opinión*, *San Jose Mercury News*, *San Francisco Chronicle*, *Austin Statesman*, *Ft. Worth Star-Telegram*, *South Florida Sun-Sentinel*, *La Estrella de Dallas*, *Macon Telegraph*, *Hoy*, *Diario/La Prensa*; *Reforma*, *El Universal*, *La Jornada*, *El Financiero*, *Milenio*, *El Economista*, *Nuevo Excelsior*, *Norte de Ciudad Juárez*; *El País*, *EFE*, *Al Jazeera*, and *AFP*.



Philip Bennett,
Marcela Sanchez,
Tamar Jacoby,
Alfredo Corchado



Left to Right: Daniel Wilkinson, Laurie Freeman, Eric Olson, Natividad González

Transparency and Access to Information

One of the major achievements of Mexico’s democratic transition has been a series of new legal frameworks at the federal, state, and local levels to allow citizens access to public documents. However, these frameworks are still insufficient for the challenges that the country faces to make public decisions transparent.

The Mexico Institute and FUNDAR are currently working together to complete a major study of the legal framework for transparency and access to information in Mexico. Research topics include the Access to Information Law, transparency in state and municipal governments, and political party financing.



Sigrid Arzt,
Gabriela Pérez,
Mariclaire Acosta

Justice and Rule of Law

Ensuring rule of law remains a major challenge in Mexico.

The Mexico Institute and the Washington Office on Latin America co-sponsored a seminar on Public Security, Rule of Law, and Human Rights in June 2006 to discuss pending challenges for reforms of the police and justice system.

Panelists included Mariclaire Acosta, Eric Olson, Gabriela Pérez, Sigrid Arzt, Daniel Wilkinson, Laurie Freeman, and Ana Paula Hernández.

Mexico Public Policy Scholars

The Mexico Institute and Consejo Mexicano de Asuntos Internacionales together sponsor the Mexico Public Policy Scholars program to bring leading researchers, journalists, diplomats, and activists from Mexico to Washington to spend several months in residence at the Wilson Center.

2006 Scholar

César Martinelli, professor of Economics at ITAM and Director of the Ph.D. Program in Economics at the ITAM, was selected through a competitive application process to be the scholar in residence during July–August, 2006. At the Center he worked on two studies of problems related to democratization in Latin America and in particular Mexico: a study of the origins of populism and a study of the impact of media biases on electoral outcomes.

Past Scholars

Past scholars have included Jacqueline Peschard, professor at UNAM and former citizen counselor of the IFE; Jesús Velasco, professor at CIDE; Pamela Starr, then professor at ITAM, now with the Eurasia Group; Arturo Alvarado, professor of sociology at El Colegio de México; Jesús Silva-Herzog Márquez, professor at ITAM and host of *Entre Tres* on TV Azteca; and José María Ramos, professor at El Colegio de la Frontera Norte. Jonathan Fox, professor at the University of California, Stana Cruz, was a Woodrow Wilson Center Fellow during 2004–2005.



Jonathan Fox, Pamela Starr, César Martinelli

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Washington Office on Latin America

Woodrow Wilson Award for Corporate Citizenship

The Woodrow Wilson Award for Corporate Citizenship celebrates the civic commitment of prominent business leaders around the world.

Woodrow Wilson Award Given to Lorenzo Zambrano

The Woodrow Wilson Award for Corporate Citizenship was given to Lorenzo Zambrano, Chairman and CEO of CEMEX, at a dinner at the Museo de Arte Contemporáneo in Monterrey, Nuevo León on November 15, 2005. Among those offering words of praise for the awardee were writer and historian Enrique Krauze; Rafael Rangel, rector of Monterrey Tec; Ian Armstrong, nephew of the awardee; Lee H. Hamilton, president of the Wilson Center; Fred Bush, associate director of the Wilson Center; and José Antonio Fernández Carbajal and Roger W. Wallace, co-chairs of the Mexico Institute Advisory Board. Fernández Carbajal also chaired the dinner.



Top to bottom: Lorenzo Servitje receives 2004 Wilson Award; Lorenzo Zambrano receives 2005 Wilson Award. Right: Enrique Krauze, José Antonio Fernández, Lorenzo Zambrano, and Roger Wallace. Far Right: Roger Wallace, Lee Hamilton, and Lorenzo Zambrano.

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PUBLICATIONS AND EVENTS

New Publications

(September 2005–August 2006)

The United States and Mexico: Forging a Strategic Partnership

report chaired by Ambassador Andrés Rozental and Professor Peter H. Smith with Rafael Fernández de Castro and Andrew Selee, Washington and Mexico City: Woodrow Wilson Center and Comexi, 2005.

Task Force Members: Rafael Fernández de Castro, Raúl Rodríguez, Roberto Newell, Jorge Santibáñez, Javier Treviño, Jacqueline Peschard, Raúl Benítez, Luis de la Calle, Senator Silvia Hernández, Congressman Emilio Zebadúa, Mónica Vereá, Hector Márquez, Ariel Buira, Alexander Aleinikoff, Doris Meissner, Peter Ward, Alan Stoga, Maria Echaveste, John A. Cope, Steve Johnson, Anne Alonzo, Jonathan Fox, Robert Pastor, John Bailey, Peter Andreas, Carl Meacham, Chappell Lawson; *Special Guests:* Amb. Carlos Alberto de Icaza, Roberta Jacobson, and Amb. Eduardo Ibarrola.

Writing Beyond Boundaries: Journalism across the U.S.–Mexico Border

edited by Rossana Fuentes-Berain, Andrew Selee, and Heidy Servin-Baez, Washington, DC: Woodrow Wilson Center and *Foreign Affairs en Español*, 2005.

Prologue: Alejandro Junco; *Authors:* Philip Bennett, Roderic Ai Camp, Dolia Estévez, Mary Beth Sheridan, Pascal Beltrán-del-Río, José Carreño, Jerry Kammer, Alfredo Corchado, Jim Cason, Michael Jones-Correa, Armando Guzmán, Jesús Lemus Barajas, Maria Martin, Alejandro Moreno, Enrique Gómez, S. Lynne Walter, Rossana Fuentes-Berain, and Andrew Selee & Heidy Servin-Baez.

Invisible No More: Mexican Migrant Civic Participation in the United States

edited by Xóchitl Bada, Jonathan Fox, and Andrew Selee, Washington, DC: Woodrow Wilson Center and University of California, Santa Cruz, 2006.

Authors: Jonathan Fox, Gaspar Rivera-Salgado, David Ayon, Xóchitl Bada, and Andrew Selee.

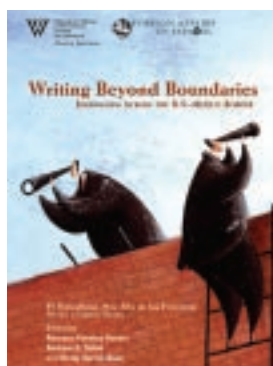
NAFTA at Ten: Progress Potential, and Precedents

(two volumes), Washington, DC: Woodrow Wilson Center, 2006.

Democracia y Ciudadanía: Participación Ciudadana y Deliberación Pública en Gobiernos Locales Mexicanos

edited by Andrew Selee and Leticia Santín del Río, Woodrow Wilson Center Report on the Americas No. 17, 2006.

Authors: Mauricio Merino, Enrique Cabrero, Tonatiuh Guillén, Carlos A. Rodríguez, Luis Pineda, Gabriel Murillo, Ángel Rivero, John Gastil, and Andrew Selee & Leticia Santín. (A publication of the Wilson Center Latin American Program's Project on Decentralization and Local Government)



Previous Wilson Center Publications on Mexico

(January 2002–August 2005)

Perceptions and Misconceptions in U.S.-Mexico Relations

edited by Andrew Selee, Washington, DC: Woodrow Wilson Center and Letras Libres, 2005.

Authors: Enrique Krauze, Richard Rodriguez, Christopher Dominguez, Peter Hamill, Jesús Silva-Herzog Márquez, Jesús Reyes-Heroles, Jeffrey Davidow, José Antonio Fernández, Brian Dyson, Pamela Starr, and Andrew Selee.

Mexico and the Challenge of Hemispheric Security

Raúl Benítez Manaut, Woodrow Wilson Report on the Americas No. 11, 2004. (A publication of the Wilson Center's Latin American Program's Project on Creating Community in the Hemisphere.)

Agricultural Production Trends and the Future of the Transboundary Río Grande/Río Bravo Basin

edited by Mary Kelly, San Antonio: Environmental Defense and the Woodrow Wilson Center, 2004.

The Hispanic Challenge? What We Know About Latino Immigration

edited by Philippa Strum and Andrew Selee, Washington: Woodrow Wilson Center, 2004.

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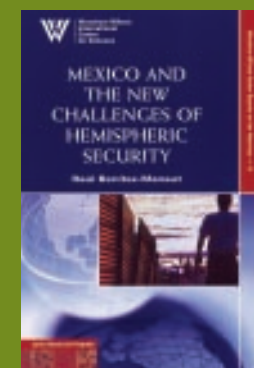
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October 4, 2004 (in the Mexican Chamber of Deputies, with Comexi)

The United States and Mexico: Forging a Strategic Partnership (Mexico launch)

Andrés Rozental, President, Mexican Council on Foreign Relations; Peter H. Smith, Distinguished Professor of Political Science, University of California, San Diego; Gerónimo Gutiérrez, Undersecretary of Foreign Affairs of Mexico; Rafael Fernández de Castro, Professor, ITAM; Andrew Selee, Director, WWC Mexico Institute; Dip. Rodrigo Iván Cortés (PAN); Dip. Emilio Zebadúa (PRD); Dip. Carlos Macías (PRI).

October 6, 2005 (in the Capitol Building, with Comexi and the Congressional Study Group on Mexico)

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Andrés Rozental, President, Mexican Council on Foreign Relations; Peter H. Smith, Distinguished Professor of Political Science, University of California, San Diego; Rep. Silvestre Reyes (D-TX); Gerónimo Gutiérrez, Undersecretary of Foreign Affairs of Mexico; Betsy Whitaker, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Mexico, Canada, and Public Affairs; Carlos Alberto de Icaza, Ambassador of Mexico; Steve Johnson, Senior Policy Analyst, Heritage Foundation, and Andrew Selee, Director, WWC Mexico Institute.

October 27, 2005 (at the Institute of the Americas, San Diego, CA)

Punching Holes in the Border: Creative Approaches to U.S.-Mexico Relations

Jeffrey Davidow, President, Institute of the Americas; Malin Burnham, President, Burnham Foundation; Gustavo Mohar, Advisor, Secretary of the Interior; Wayne Cornelius, Professor, UCSD and Director, Center for Comparative Immigration Studies; and Andrew Selee, Director, WWC Mexico Institute

November 4-5, 2005

Mexican Migrant Civic and Political Participation

Jonathan Fox, Professor, University of California, Santa Cruz; Roberto Suro, Director, Pew Hispanic Center; Gaspar Rivera-Salgado, Director, Transnational Communities Program, New Americans Immigration Museum and Learning Center; Xóchitl Bada, Institute for Latino Studies, University of Notre Dame; Monica Lozano, CEO and publisher, *La Opinión*; Janet Murguía, President and CEO, National Council of La Raza; Guadalupe Gómez, Vice President, Federación de Clubes Zacatecanos del Sur de California; Ann Marie Tallman, Former President and General Counsel Mexican American Legal Defense Fund; Jesús García, Executive Director; Little Village Community Development Corporation; María Elena Durazo, Executive Vice President, UNITE HERE Local 11-Migrant Workers Freedom Ride; Jesús

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November 15, 2005 (at Tecnológico de Monterrey in Monterrey, NL, with EGAP)

Perspectivas y Propuestas: La Relación México-Estados Unidos

Rafael Rangel Sostman, Rector, Tecnológico de Monterrey; José Antonio Fernández, Chairman and CEO, FEMSA and Co-Chair, WWC, Mexico Institute; Roger Wallace, Vice President, Pioneer Natural Resources and Co-Chair, WWC Mexico Institute, Bernardo González-Aréchiga, Director, EGAP, Tecnológico de Monterrey; Enrique Krauze, Director, *Letras Libres*; Javier Treviño, Vice President, CEMEX; Susan Kaufman Purcell, Professor and Director of the Center for Hemispheric Studies, University of Miami; Rossana Fuentes-Berain, Managing Director, Foreign Affairs en Español; Miguel Bernardo Treviño, Associate Editor, *Reforma*; Alfredo Corchado, Correspondent, *Dallas Morning News*; José Carlos Lozano, Professor, ITESM; Andrew Selee, Director, WWC Mexico Institute; Andrés Rozental, President, Mexican Council on Foreign Relations; Rafael Fernández de Castro, Director, International Relations, ITAM; James Jones, President, Manatt Jones Global Strategies

December 9, 2005 (at Club de Industriales, Mexico City, with *Foreign Affairs en Español*)

El Periodismo Más Allá de las Fronteras

Rossana Fuentes-Berain, Managing Editor, *Foreign Affairs en Español*; Andrew Selee, Director, WWC Mexico Institute; and Dolia Estévez, Correspondent, Monitor Radio and *Poder*

January 20, 2006 (with *Foreign Affairs en Español*)

Reporting Across The Border: The Challenges of US-Mexico Journalism

Philip Bennett, Managing Editor, *Washington Post*; Rossana Fuentes-Berain, Managing Editor, *Foreign Affairs en Español*; Dolia Estévez, Correspondent, *Poder* and Monitor Radio; Julia Preston, Correspondent, *New York Times*; José Carreño, Correspondent, *El Universal*; Alfredo Corchado, Correspondent, *Dallas Morning News*; Marcela Sánchez, Op-Ed Contributor, *Washington Post*; Armando Guzmán, Washington Bureau Chief, Azteca Americas; David Brooks, U.S. Bureau Chief, *La Jornada*; Jerry Kammer, Correspondent, Copley News Service; José Díaz Briceño, Correspondent, *Reforma*; Gregorio Meraz, Washington Bureau Chief, Televisa; Claudio Sanchez, Correspondent, National Public Radio; Tamar Jacoby, Senior Fellow, Manhattan Institute

February 1, 2006 (at the University of Texas, El Paso)

Writing Beyond Boundaries: Journalism Across the U.S.-Mexico Border

Patricia Witherspoon, Chair, Communications Department at University of Texas, El Paso; Alfredo Corchado, Correspondent, *Dallas Morning News*; Sandra Dibble, Correspondent, *San Diego Union-Tribune*; Andrew Selee, Director, WWC Mexico Institute; Tony Payán, Professor, UTEP; Zita Arrocha, Professor, UTEP; and Richard Pineda, Professor, UTEP.

March 1, 2006

U.S.-Mexico Relations at a Crossroads

Andrés Rozental, President, Mexican Council on Foreign Relations.

March 13, 2006 (with the Canada Institute of the Woodrow Wilson Center)

NAFTA and the Future of Trade Governance

Louis Bélanger, Professor at Université Laval and Canada-U.S. Fulbright Visiting Scholar, Johns Hopkins University-SAIS; Isabel Studer, Research Director, Commission for Labor Cooperation; Mark Nguyen, Senior Policy Advisor, International Trade, Bryan Cave LLP; Robert Wolfe, Associate Professor, School of Policy Studies, Queen's University; Sidney Weintraub, William E. Simon Chair in Political Economy, Center for Strategic and International Studies; Carol Wise, University of Southern California; Public Policy Scholar, Wilson Center (Spring 2006); Gustavo Vega, Director, Center for International Studies, El Colegio de México; Donald Mackay, Director, Washington Office, Centre for Trade Policy and Law, Carleton University; Maryse Robert, Acting Chief Trade Section, Organization of American States

March 31, 2006

Institutions and Political Actors in Mexico's 2006 Elections

Jacqueline Peschard, Professor, UNAM; Alejandro Moreno, Editor of Public Opinión, *Reforma* & Professor, ITAM; Jean Francois Prud'homme, Professor, El Colegio de México; Pamela Starr, Analyst, Eurasia Group; Carol Wise, Professor, University of Southern California and Scholar, Wilson Center; María Amparo Casar, Professor, CIDE;

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April 7, 2006

Social and Cultural Dynamics of the U.S.-Mexico Border

José Manuel Valenzuela Arce, Professor, El Colegio de la Frontera Norte.

May 9, 2006 (at Council of the Americas in New York City)

Journalistic Perspectives on the Mexican Elections

Rossana Fuentes-Berain, Managing Editor, *Foreign Affairs en Español*; John Authers, Financial Markets Editor, *Financial Times*; Dolia Estévez, Correspondent, Monitor Radio and *Poder*; Christopher Sabatini, Policy Director, Council of the Americas; Andrew Selee, Director, WWC Mexico Institute

May 11, 2006 (at IFE in Mexico City, with El Colegio de México, IFE, and Cámara de Diputados)

Mexico's Democracy in International Perspective: Seminar I

Luis Carlos Ugalde, President Counselor, IFE; Adam Przeworski, Professor, New York University; Lorenzo Meyer, Professor, El Colegio de México; Susan Stokes, Professor, Yale University; Alfonso Hernández, Director, IFAI and Professor, ITESO; Dip. Manuel

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May 23, 2006

Borderless Innovation: Catalyzing the Competitiveness of the San Diego-Baja California Region

Jerry Sanders, Mayor of the City of San Diego; Eugenio Elorduy, Governor of Baja California; Mary L. Walshok, Vice Chancellor, University of California, San Diego; Rodrigo Gutiérrez Sánchez, Director, CENTRIS; Jessie K. Knight, Jr., President/CEO, San Diego Regional Chamber of Commerce; Daniel Romero, President, Tijuana Chambers of Commerce (CCE); Malin Burnham, Chairman, Burnham Foundation

May 26, 2006

Seminar on the 2006 Mexican Elections and its Implications for Foreign Policy

José Antonio Fernández, CEO, FEMSA & co-chair, Mexico Institute; Roger W. Wallace, Vice President, Pioneer Natural Resources & co-chair, Mexico Institute; Enrique Krauze, Director, Letras Libres; Lorenzo Meyer, Professor, El Colegio de México; Jacqueline Peschard, Professor, UNAM; Andrés Rozental, Professor, Mexican Council on Foreign Relations; James Jones, Partner, Manatt Jones Global Strategies; Javier Treviño, Vice President, CEMEX; Susan Kaufman Purcell, Director of the Center for Hemispheric Policy, University of Miami; Rafael Fernández de Castro,

Director of International Relations, ITAM.

June 9, 2006 (with the Washington Office on Latin America)

Public Security, Human Rights, and the Rule of Law: Challenges for Mexico's Next President

Mariclaire Acosta, Director for the Promotion of Democratic Governance, Organization of American States; Gabriela Pérez, Independent Consultant on Police Reform; Sigrid Arzt, Director, Democracia, Derechos Humanos y Seguridad; Ana Paula Hernández, Deputy Director, Centro de Derechos Humanos Tlachinollan; Laurie Freeman, Mexico Associate, Washington Office on Latin America; Daniel Wilkinson, Deputy Director for the Americas, Human Rights Watch; Moderator: Eric Olson, Advocacy Director for the Americas, Amnesty International.

June 15, 2006 (at IFE in Mexico City,

with El Colegio de México, IFE, and Cámara de Diputados)

Mexico's Democracy in International Perspective: Seminar II

Philippe Schmitter, Profesor, European University; Ilán Bizberg, Professor, El Colegio de México; Raúl Alconada, Deputy Assistant Secretary General, OAS; Andreas Schedler, Professor, CIDE; Dip. José González Morfín, Congressman, PAN; Dip. Pablo Gómez, Congressman, PRD; Andrés Albó, Counselor, IFE; Virgilio Andrade, Counselor, IFE; Arturo Sánchez, Counselor, IFE; Hugo Concha, Director, IFE; Sergio Aguayo, Professor, El Colegio de México; Arturo Alvarado, Professor, El Colegio de México; Gustavo Vega, Director, International Relations, El Colegio de México; and Andrew Selee, Director, WWC Mexico Institute.

June 16, 2006 (at El Colegio de

la Frontera Norte in Tijuana, Baja California)

Las Elecciones de 2006 en México: Perspectivas desde Los Ángeles y Washington

David R. Ayón, Senior Research Associate, Loyola Marymount; Andrew Selee, Director, Mexico Institute, Wilson Center

July 7, 2006

Roundtable on Mexico's 2006 Election Results

Panelists: Roderic Ai Camp, Professor, Claremont McKenna College; Alberto Aziz Nassif, Professor, CIESAS-Mexico City; Yemile Mizrahi, Senior Associate, Casals and Associates; and Jonathan Fox, Professor, University of California, Santa Cruz.

August 18, 2006 (with Comexi)

Mexico's Oportunidades: The Challenges of Self-Selection for Targeted Poverty Programs

César Martinelli, Professor, ITAM and WWC/Comexi Public Policy Scholar; Susan W. Parker, Professor, CIDE



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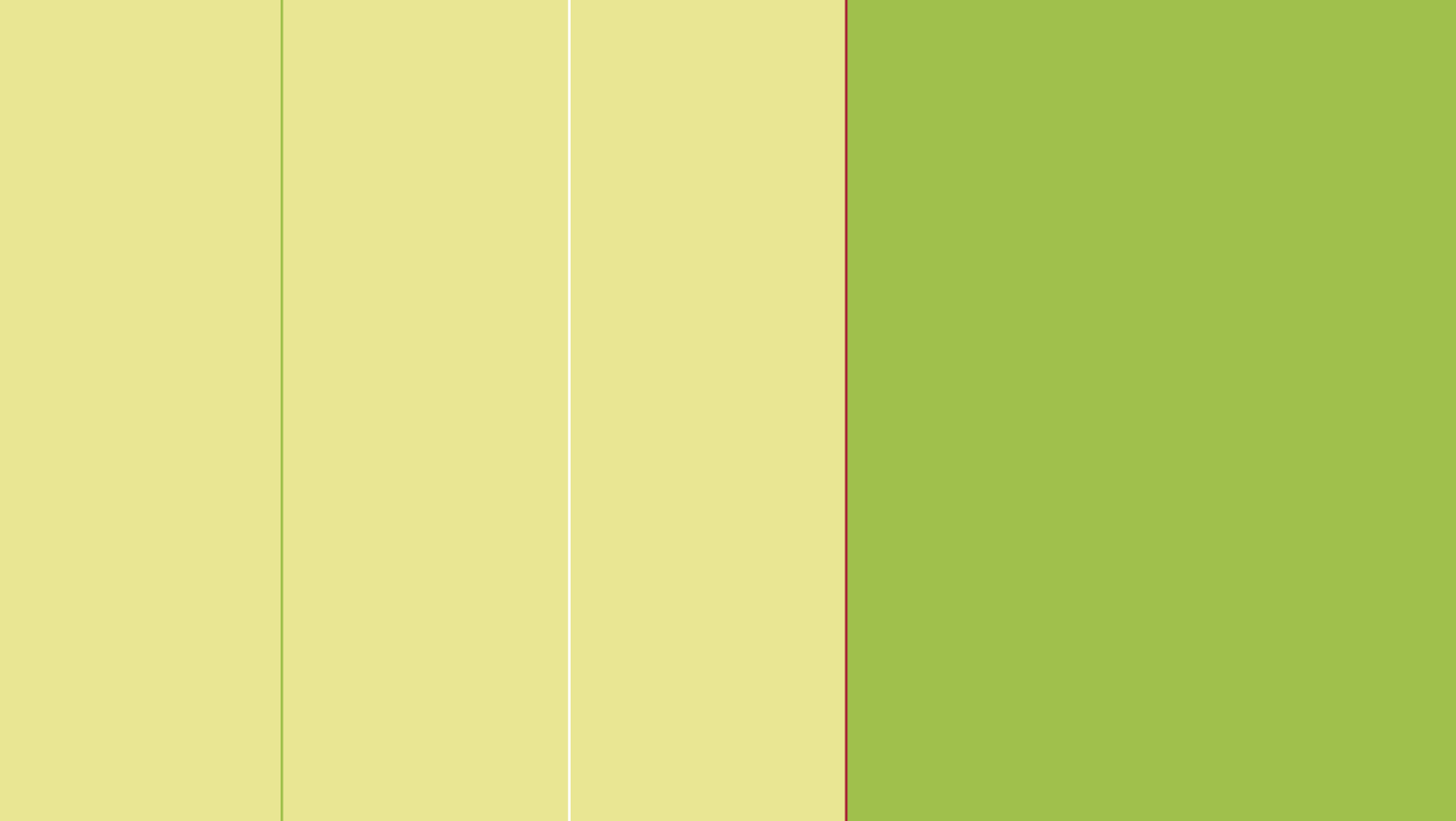
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