

Schedule for HIGR 247B—spring, 2009

Graduate research seminar on the cultural and social history of colonial (and early 19th-century) Latin America

The first six weeks (the seminar will meet on Tuesdays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.) will be taken up with reading the following books, not necessarily in this order:

Steve J. Stern, *The Secret History of Gender: Women, Men, and Power in Late Colonial Mexico* (1997)

Sergio Serulnikov, *Subverting Colonial Authority: Challenges to Spanish Rule in Eighteenth-Century Southern Andes*, 2003

Serge Gruzinski, *The Mestizo Mind: The Intellectual Dynamics of Colonization and Globalization*, 2002

Rebecca Earle, *The Return of the Native: Indians and Myth-Making in Spanish America, 1810-1930*, 2008

Cynthia Radding, *Landscapes of Power and Identity: Comparative Histories in the Sonoran Desert and the Forests of Amazonia from Colony to Republic*, 2005

Laura Lewis, *Hall of Mirrors: Power, Witchcraft, and Caste in Colonial Mexico*, 2003

Week 7 there will be no seminar meeting; individual appointments

Week 8 the seminar will be devoted to discussion of research problems

Week 9 there will be no seminar meeting; individual appointments as needed

Week 10 the seminar will be devoted to individual presentations of research and discussion