



Symposium

Finland, Latin America and the World

University of Helsinki, September 21, 2018

Professor Jussi Pakkasvirta will celebrate his 60th birthday in September 2017.

We have the pleasure to invite you to attend a festive symposium ***Finland, Latin America and the World*** to be held in his honor at the University of Helsinki, in the Auditorium XV (Unioninkatu 34, Main Building), on Friday, 21 September 2018, at 14–18.

After the symposium there will be a reception at the Teachers' Lounge, and the celebration will continue at Kaisaniemi Restaurant at 19.30 (Kaisaniementie 6)

Program

14.00 Welcoming words: *Professor Teivo Teivainen*

La época

Stefan Rinke (Frei Universität, Berlin) "Latin America and the First World War"

Peter Stadius (Helsinki) "Imágenes del Sur y del Norte" – Images of South and North

Pekka Valtonen (Helsinki/Tampere) "The Caribbean in the New Atlantic History"

Florencia Quesada (Helsinki) "Carmen Lyra, intelectual centroamericana: un esbozo de su obra y su tiempo"

Víctor Jeifets (St. Petersburg) "La Comintern, diplomacia soviética y América Latina"

16.00-16 15 coffee break

The World

Benedicte Bull (Oslo) "Latin America between three elephants: is there a role for Nordic Countries?"

Detlef Nolte (GIGA, Germany) "Pasado, presente y futuro del regionalismo latinoamericano: Lo bueno, lo malo, lo feo - y lo necesario"

Andrés Rivarola (Stockholm) "El continentalismo del siglo XXI"

Francisco Sánchez (Salamanca) "Los estudios sobre América Latina en la Universidad de Salamanca: Instituto de Estudios de Iberoamérica"

Nadia Nava Contreras (Helsinki): "Becker Bei y otros encuentros Finlandia-México"

Closing speeches and greetings: Eeva-Liisa Myllymäki, Markku Henriksson

18.00-19.15 **Reception**, teacher lounge