

# ***El Otro Norte: Raza, Race and Resistance in the Pacific Northwest***

**NACCS Pacific Northwest FOCO Conference &  
Latina/o Northwest Research Symposium**

**Saturday, March 4, 2006  
CUE/Smith Bldg.  
Washington State University  
Pullman, WA  
(updated 2/27/06)**

8:45 – 9:30 am Registration and Opening Remarks, CUE Atrium

9:30 – 11:00am ***Encuentros: Constructing Community and Identity in Northern Aztlán***

Room: CUE 207

Chair: Cheris Brewer, Washington State University

*From Texas to Washington State: Chicano/a Recruitment,  
Migration and Settlement*

Josue Estrada, Washington State University

*Rhetorics of La Raza: Some Implications for North Aztlán*  
Siskanna Naynaha, Washington State University

*The Chicana Perspective on Feminist Therapy:  
Complicating White Feminist Therapy*

Sarah Rangel, Washington State University

Comment: Carmen R. Lugo-Lugo, Washington State University

9:30 – 11:00am ***Culture, Identity and Social Change: Subverted and Subversive Texts by our Communities for our Communities***

Room: CUE 209

Chair: Yolanda Flores Niemann, Washington State University

*Finding the Individual within the Leviathan:  
Identity and Urban Form in "Amorres Perros*

Nohemy Solorzano-Thompson and Jonathan Thompson,  
Whitman College

*Translations: Using the Cultural Arts as a Catalyst  
for Social Change in the Pacific Northwest*

Tomas Alberto Madrigal, Central Washington University

Comment: Linda Zuñiga Heidenreich, Washington State University

11:00-12noon Luncheon Buffet presented by San Miguel's Tacos  
CUE Atrium

12:00 – 1:30 pm Introduction: T.V. Reed, Washington State University  
Keynote Address: CUE 202

***"Indigenous Diasporas and the  
Future of Eco-Justice in North America"***

Devon Peña,  
Professor of Anthropology and Chicano Studies  
University of Washington, Seattle

1:30 – 2:00 pm Book Signing, CUE Atrium

2:00-3:30pm **Borders and Boundaries: The Politics of Immigration,  
Citizenship and Education**

Room: CUE 207

Chair: Lisa Catanzarite, Washington State University

*'Si muero lejos de tí ... [México]': Mexicanas and the Formation of  
Transnational Citizenship, 1940-2000*

Luz Maria Gordillo, Washington State University, Vancouver

*Las Mujeres del Noreoste: Chicana Activists at the University of  
Washington*

Raul Garcia, Independent Scholar

*Dignidad Sin Fronteras*

Rosalinda Guillen, De Comunidad a Comunidad

–Community to Community Development

<http://www.foodjustice.org/>

Comment: The Audience

2:00-3:30pm **Roundtable: Latino Coalition Building in Walla Walla:  
Challenges and Opportunities?**

Room: CUE 209

Facilitator: Margo Tamez, Washington State University

Cynthia Selde, Latin American Forum

Berta Herrera Trejo, Education Coordinator for Broetje Orchards

Joey August, Latino Outreach Coordinator for Friends of Walla Walla

Comment: the Audience

3:30 – 5:00 pm **Plenary: Past, Present and Future: Chicano/a Studies Research in the Pacific Northwest**

Room CUE 202

Facilitator: José M. Alamillo, Washington State University

Marcos Pizarro, San Jose State University

Jerry Garcia, Michigan State University

Gilberto Garcia, Eastern Washington University,

Maria Cuevas, Yakima Valley Community College

Comment: the Audience

5:00 – 5:30 pm Book Signing, CUE Atrium

5:00-6:00pm **Organizing Against the Minutemen on the U.S-Canada Border**

Room: CUE 209

Facilitator: Rosalinda Guillen

Sponsored by WSU MEChA

5:00-6:00pm **NACCS Pacific Northwest FOCO Meeting**

Room: CUE 207

Facilitator: Nohemy Solorzano-Thompson

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7:00 –10:00 pm Gabriel Cardenas Dinner and Awards Banquet, CUB Ballroom  
Keynote Speaker: Marcos Pizarro, Associate Professor  
Mexican American Studies, San Jose State University

9:00-12:00 am Semana de La Raza Baile  
Grupo Samay, Latin American and Andean Music