



ACCESS and CONTROL

Resources and Technology in the Global South

Graduate Student Conference

March 3-5, 2016

Keynote Talk “Food Systems and Sovereignty in the Caribbean”

by Dr. Marion Werner

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*Opening Address “Drones, dams, and uneven development:
Historical and emerging techno-geographies of the Global South”*

by Dr. Majed Akhter, Department of Geography, Indiana University

Closing Remarks by Dr. Anke Birkenmaier

Director of the Indiana University Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies

Call for Papers

The 5th annual conference of the CLACS Graduate Student Association, **ACCESS and CONTROL: Resources and Technology in the Global South**, is explicitly interdisciplinary and encourages participants to expose past and present challenges that have influenced access to resources and technology throughout the Global South with emphasis on local, regional, and national level state actors. Within this theme, we invite graduate students from diverse and professional backgrounds to submit abstracts exploring access to resources, ideas, technology, and information. Though being sponsored by Indiana University’s Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, we welcome research from other Global South regions including (but not limited to) Africa, South Asia, Southwest Asia, etc. Other abstracts relating to this theme will also be considered.

SUBMISSIONS must include: **title, abstract (no more than 200 words), and Curriculum Vitae**. All submissions must be received by January 22, 2016. Papers will be grouped thematically in panel discussions and each panel will be moderated by an IU faculty member.

DOWNLOAD the proposal form on the [CLACS website](#) and send all documents as attachments in a single email to clacs@indiana.edu with the subject line “CLACS Graduate Student Conference 2016.” All applicants will be notified regarding acceptance and panel assignment no later than January 29, 2016.

TRAVEL GRANTS covering transportation costs will be available on a competitive basis for students coming from *outside* Indiana University Bloomington. Students seeking funds must also submit a budget projecting travel-related expenses.



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