

MACLAS ESSAYS

We, the editors, invite the submission of papers presented at the 2009 Conference of the Middle Atlantic Council on Latin American Studies in Williamsburg, VA, March 6-7, 2009, for consideration for Volume XXII of *Latin American Essays, MACLAS*. The editors will also consider for publication select papers and book reviews that may not have been presented at the annual meeting, but they do reflect this year's conference theme, "Latin America and the World: Challenges and Opportunities." All contributors to the journal must be members in good standing. Deadline for submission is September 1, 2009.

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- If possible, type your article in 12 point Arial. If you have questions about format, consult previous issues of *MACLAS: Latin American Essays*.

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