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## SSLAS Workshop

### Migration: Crossing Borders – Constructing Spaces Migración: cruzando fronteras – construyendo espacios

December 3-4, 2021

Location: Unitobler, Lerchenweg 36, 3012 Bern. Room F-121 and via zoom

It is mandatory to have a valid COVID-Certificate to attend the workshop.  
The certificates will be checked at the entrance of the workshop room.

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The phenomenon of transnational migration is both a very topical issue and one with a long historical tradition, which encompasses a wide range of economic, social, political and cultural aspects. Adopting an inter- and transdisciplinary perspective, the workshop addresses the structures and dynamics of transnational displacement of people as well as the strategies used by different actors to cross borders and build new physical or imaginary spaces.

El fenómeno de las migraciones transnacionales es un tema muy actual y, a la vez, tiene una larga trayectoria histórica que abarca una amplia gama de facetas económicas, sociales, políticas y culturales. Desde una perspectiva inter- y transdisciplinaria el workshop aborda las estructuras y dinámicas del desplazamiento transnacional de personas, así como también las estrategias utilizadas por los distintos actores para cruzar fronteras y construir nuevos espacios físicos o imaginarios.

**Program**  
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**Friday, December 3, 2021**

13:00 – 13:30	<b>Core Team Meeting</b>
13:30 – 14:00	<b>Opening Remarks</b> Christian Büschges (Bern), Félix Terrones (Bern), Yvette Sánchez (HSG)
14:00 – 15:00	<b>Resisting Closed Borders: Informal Cross-Border Mobilities of Colombian Migrants Living between Colombia and Venezuela</b> Yvonne Riaño (Neuchâtel) Moderation: Omid Alizadeh Afrouzi (HSG)
15:00 – 16:00	<b>Chinese Migrant Networks in the Americas in the late Nineteenth and early Twentieth Century</b> Albert Manke (GHI / PRO, UC Berkeley) Moderation: Melina Teubner (Bern)
16:00 – 16:30	Coffee Break
16:30 – 17:30	<b>Evaluating the Port Statistics of Buenos Aires: The History of Return Migration to Europe, 1857–1924</b> Agnes Gehbald (Bern) Moderation: Larissa da Silva Araujo (IHEID Geneva)
18:00 -19:00	<b>Virtual Talk with La Patrona (NGO from Veracruz, Mexico)</b> Virtual Talk with Norma Romero Vásquez Moderation: Eliane Wälti
19:30	<b>Conference Dinner</b> Restaurant Seidenhof, Zähringerstrasse 44, 3012 Bern

**Saturday, December 4, 2021**

08:30 – 09:30	<b>"Mírame" de Antonio Ungar: una novela sin territorio.</b> Camilo Bogoya (Artois) Moderation: Adriana López-Labourdette (Zürich)
09:30 – 10:30	<b>Escrituras migrantes del siglo XXI: el caso de Roberto Bolaño.</b> Félix Terrones (Bern) Moderation: Carmen Carrasco Luján (Geneva)
10:30 – 10:45	Coffee Break
10:45 – 11:45	<b>Exit: An Installation on Populations Shifts, Ecocide and Linguicide</b> María Georgina Sánchez Celaya (Bern) Online Moderation: Elena Rosauo (Zürich)
11:45 – 12:45	<b>Working with Wichi traditions. Thinking a design co-project with aboriginals in a decolonialistic way.</b> Catalina Agudín (Bern) Moderation: Dayron Carrillo Morell (Zürich)
12:45 – 13:00	<b>Closing Remarks</b> Rocío Robinson (HSG)
13:15	<b>Lunch</b> Restaurant La Vita Neubrückstrasse 70, 3012 Bern