Old and New Challenges to Mexican Democracy

A CONFERENCE AT YALE UNIVERSITY

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4
8:15 AM - 6:30 PM
Luce Hall, Room 203
34 Hillhouse Avenue

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Panel Discussions:

9 am - 10:30 am: Violence and the Drug War
Omar García-Ponce, George Washington University: “Violence and Retribution in Mexico’s Drug War”
Guillermo Trejo, Notre Dame University: “The Political Drivers of Criminal Violence in Mexico: Causes, Consequences, and Solutions”

10:45 am - 12:15 pm: Resistance to Criminal Violence: Institutions and Legacies

1:30 pm - 3 pm: Organization of Crime and Policing
Rodrigo Canales, Yale University: “Building effective, resilient, and trusted police organizations in Mexico”
Alberto Díaz-Cayeros, Stanford University: “Incentives for Police Professionalization in Mexico”

3:15 pm - 5:30 pm: Social Movements, Dissent, and Collective Action
María Inclán, CIDE: “What moves Students to the Streets? Ritual versus Reactive Demonstrations in Mexico City”
Mariano Sánchez, CIDE: “Social Dissent, Coercive Capacity, and Redistribution: Evidence from Authoritarian Mexico”
Emily Sellars, Yale University: “Emigration, Collective Action, and Agrarian Reform in Mexico”