

Conference Program

Pre-conference presentation of the book "Magister Changarrization"

Moderator: Pedro Hernandez (Sección 9, CNTE)
Carlos Sifuentes (STAUACH/Ciencias Sociales)
Edgar Belmont (Universidad Autonoma de Queretaro)
Juan Bravo (Presidente de COPACSOH, FES Acatlan, UNAM)
Authors: Arturo Ramos y María Teresa Lechuga

Friday, August 10th

Student conference "The movements of students in America (Chile, Québec, Occupy-USA, #Yo soy 132-México) "

Opening lunch speakers

Moderator: Elizabeth Perez (Teacher UNAM/Mexican Committee of COCAL)
Agustín Rodriguez (Secretary General-President of STUNAM)
Secretary General-President of SITUAM
Maria Auxilio Heredia (Secretary General-President of SUTUACM)
Angel Balderas (Secretary General-President of SUPAUAQ)
Raul Perez (Secretary General-President of SUTIEMS)
Bertha Guadalupe Rodriguez (Secretary General-President of AAPAUNAM)

Plenary 1 "Changes of academic labor in the context of the neoliberal globalization"

Arturo Ramos (Former Secretary General-Former President STAUACH/Mexican Committee of COCAL)
Michael Fabricant (AFT)
Axel Didriksson (UNAM Researcher)
Short film "Contingent Academic Labor in Higher Education in Mexico"

Plenary 1 Workshops

1. Teaching, researching, and disseminating knowledge to the larger community, including academic management of e-learning

Michel Sarra-Bournet: Promesses et menaces de la formation à distance
Eileen Kennedy: Distance Learning: The Debate Continues at the City University of New York
José Luis Sandoval Dávila: Síndrome del ejercicio docente de los profesores de asignatura en la UNAM
Gerardo Reyes Hernández, Julieta María de Lourdes García Pérez y J. Alejandra Villagómez Ruiz: Funciones de los docentes de la universidad
Sergio Stanford Camargo, Deyanira Etain Varona Graniel, Jorge Padilla Ramírez y Marcela Patricia Ibarra González: La educación a distancia, una alternativa para mejorar la situación del docente de asignatura en la UNAM
Curtis Keyes Jr.: Union Protection, Union Vulnerability and the Adjunct Faculty

2. Gaining and maintaining health, unemployment, and retirement benefits

Jonathan Karpf: Gaining and Defending Unemployment Rights for Contingent Faculty
Simón Salamanca Rodríguez: Breve Estudio del Problema de la Seguridad Social en México y la participación del STUNAM
Susan DiRaimo: The Pension Program for Adjuncts at CUNY

Marcia Newfield: Preserving Health Insurance Benefits for Adjuncts at CUNY: Crisis and Opportunity.

María Eugenia Borrego: Mora Retiro justo del personal académico en la UNAM

Cristina Casas Flores: Definitividades y plazas de carrera para una jubilación digna. Un derecho inalcanzable para los profesores de asignatura

3. Supporting academic improvement, evaluation processes, and recognition

Sandra Baringer: Working through the Professional Associations: The MLA's Professional Employment Practices Document as Advocacy Tool

Bladimir Juárez Durán: El rejuvenecimiento de la planta docente, una opción para la superación académica en la universidad. El caso de la licenciatura en Ciencias Políticas y Administración Pública de la FES Acatlán-UNAM

Natalie Sharpe and Dougal MacDonald: Deskillling of Academic Labour at Athabasca University, Canada

Juan Antonio Rosado Zacarías: La UNAM como reflejo de un sistema económico-social: la triste situación de los profesores de asignatura

Miguel Rafael Polanco Mireles: La evaluación del profesor de asignatura de la ENP de la UNAM

Zenia María Gutiérrez Tintor: Tabulador para promoción del personal académico de la UNAM

Saturday, August 11th

Plenary 2 "Organization and new forms of struggle by academic workers, challenges and strategies for 21st century,"

Moderator: Lilia Abarca (Sección 10 CNTE)

Maria Maisto (President NFM)

Arturo Alcalde (Labor consultant of university unions)

Short film "University Union Movement in Mexico"

Plenary 2 Workshops

4. Forming and building unions, associations, federations, networks and coalitions

Joe Berry: The Elephant in our Living Room: Organizing Faculty in For-Profit Higher Education

David Hatchett and Diane Menna: Organizing Adjuncts at the City University of New York

Judy Olson: Organizing Contingent Faculty in the National Education Association: Challenges and Possibilities

Ernesto Ortiz Cruz: Reto de los sindicatos ante la política neoliberal y la globalización en el mundo

CNTE: La coordinadora Nacional de Trabajadores de la Educación

Cesar Alejandro López Mendoza: Un testimonio en torno a la flexibilización laboral y el trabajo precario del joven docente

5. Expanding employment rights: hiring, retention, tenure, wages, health benefits, and safety

Caralee Angell, Heather Dittmore, and Mino Marashi: Workload for PT Faculty and the recent contract language for PT Faculty Overload

Michael Batson: Organizing the Alienated: Contingent Faculty and Employment Rights

Beatriz Diana Zalce de Guerriff y Juan Amael Vizzuett Olvera: Un caso concreto de

violación impune al Estatuto del Personal Académico en la UNAM

Juan Sánchez Vázquez: Las Relaciones Académico Laborales en la Educación Media Superior y Superior UNAM

Rafael Palacios Abreu: Los contratos mixtos: expresión de inestabilidad laboral en la UNAM

María Olivia Noguez Córdova y Consuelo Molina Arciniega: Estabilidad laboral: la realidad del profesor de asignatura

6. Strengthening union rights: institutional recognition, alliances and federations, collective bargaining rights, and labor laws and regulations/Supporting political rights, cultural rights, and academic freedom

Jack Longmate: Taxonomy of Attitudes about Equity and the Contingent Faculty Movement

María de Jesús Ramos Casiano y Hortensia Escobar Hernández: La precariedad de la vida académica: la realidad de los profesores adjuntos y la falta de acción sindical en su defensa

Carol Gray: The Struggle for Academic Freedom in Egypt

Chriss Agee: Case Studies On Contingent Academic Labor Struggles-As Seen Through Academic Social Movement Literature

Carlos Ortiz Mondragón: El neoliberalismo y la globalización. Efectos y consecuencias en la universidad pública.

Ángel Oliva Mejía: La figura contractual del técnico académico y su representación en los cuerpos colegiados de la UNAM

7. Exploring forms of struggle and achievements: campaigns, negotiations, demonstrations, work stoppages, strikes, and use of new technologies and social media

Margaret Hanzimanolis: Data Streams in a Data Desert

Hugo Cruz: Educación y trabajo. La izquierda de la ciudad de México dentro del escenario de la globalización neoliberal

Leticia Elizabeth Montaña Archundia: La lucha del SUTIEMS también es por la defensa de la educación pública

Bryan Kennedy: Lessons from Wisconsin: How Unions Are Rethinking their Strategies in the Age of Austerity

Isabel Mendoza García: Tácticas de lucha implementadas por el sindicato (AAPAUNAM) para lograr la estabilidad del profesor de asignatura "A" interino

Alfredo Álvarez Padilla y Claudia Ayuardo Archundia: El desafío laboral del trabajo técnico académico en el contexto de los servicios educativos y profesionales de la UNAM

Plenary 3 "Culture and identity of the new academic citizens in North America and the world"

Moderator: Bruno Luna (Secretary de Organización Académica STUNAM)

Mexico: Hugo Aboites (Former Secretario General-Former President SITUAM)

Plenary 3 Workshops

8. Creating a sense of academic culture and university identity: freeway flyers and working with multiple assignments and institutions/New forms of academic citizenship, new work and the changing university community: finding spaces of resistance to the corporate model of higher education

Richard Aberle: Class Dismissed: New Pedagogies of the Oppressed and the Restructuring of Social Class in American Higher Education

Francis Lagacé: Le Conseil central du Montréal métropolitain-CSN contre le modèle néolibéral en éducation

José Antonio Mendoza Aguirre: Académicos de asignatura

Esteban Piña Péré: El tiempo en la docencia

Edgar Israel Belmont Corté: El trabajo académico bajo tensión

Luis Enrique Tejero Carrer: El espíritu universitario de los técnicos académicos

9. Fighting discrimination and inequality: multicultural identity, race, ethnicity, gender, sexuality, and different capabilities

Loretta A. Ragsdell: Fostering a Radically Inclusive Environment in a Multicultural Classroom

Katie Walkiewicz: Building Alliances between Graduate Employee Unions and the Broader Labor Community: A Case Study of the Graduate Employees' Organization at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Delia Selene de Dios Vallejo: Trabajo de mujeres académicas universitarias en situación precaria

Jack Longmate: The Program for Change After Two Years

Dirigente del nuevo sindicato de Kaplan en New York

Raquel Guillén: Problemática del profesor de asignatura

10. Building connections between the contingent academic worker and the university community: tenure-track faculty, research faculty, students, staff, and administrators

Steven Weisblatt: A Semester in the Chair, a Semester of Work and Opportunities

Leilani Grajeda-Highley: Today's Students-Tomorrow's Coalition Builders: Making the union movement meaningful for students

Gresilda A. Tilley-Lubbs: Cutting Across Disciplines to Work Collaboratively to Provide Equity and Access to Education for All Students

Erik Caballeros Medina: Seudo empresarios precarios. Los contratos de honorarios en la UNAM

Claudio Albertani: La lucha por la UACM

Sunday, August 12

Plenary 4 "Future and perspectives of organization and struggle of COCAL"

Moderator: Maria Teresa Lechuga (STUNAM/Mexican Committee of COCAL)

Members of International Advisory Committee of COCAL

Short film "COCAL X in Mexico"

Closing ceremony

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Bertha Guadalupe Rodriguez (Secretary General-President AAPAUNAM)

Agustín Rodríguez (Secretary General-President STUNAM)

Guest of honor: José Narro (Rector of UNAM)

Meeting of COCAL International Advisory Committee and Mexican Committee