

A selection of upcoming conferences about the Caribbean

March - December 2008

March 3-7, 2008

La Habana, Cuba

10th International Meeting of Economists on Globalization and Development Problems

Asociación Nacional de Economistas y Contadores de Cuba (ANEC) & Asociación de Economistas de América Latina y del Caribe (AEALC)

Website <http://www.eleconomista.cubaweb.cu> and <http://www.globalizacion.cubaweb.cu>

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March 24-28, 2008

Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic

18th Caribbean Geological Conference

Dirección General de Minería, Sociedad Dominicana de Geología and Cámara Minera Petrolera de la República Dominicana

Website www.sodogeo.org or

http://www.ig.utexas.edu/research/projects/caribbean/news/caribbean_conference.htm

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March 26-28, 2008

Mona, Jamaica

**9th Annual Conference of the Sir Arthur Lewis Institute of Social & Economic Studies (SALISES)
“Reinventing the Political Economy Tradition of the Caribbean: A Conference in Honour of Norman Girvan”**

SALISES & University of the West Indies, Mona Campus

Website <http://salises.uwimona.edu.jm:1104/salisesconf/salisesconf.html>

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April 28 - May 1, 2008

Providenciales, Turks & Caicos Islands

**9th Annual Caribbean Conference on Sustainable Tourism Development
“Keeping the Right Balance: Sustaining the Caribbean Coastal Product”**

Caribbean Tourism Organisation (CTO) & Caribbean Hotel Association (CHA)

Website <http://www.onecaribbean.org/information>

Contact: Johnson JohnRose (CTO) at jjohnrose@caribtourism.com

May 11-16, 2008

Paramaribo, Suriname

40th Annual Conference of the Association of Caribbean Historians (ACH)

ACH and Faculty of Graduate Studies, Anton de Kom University of Suriname

Website <http://www.geocities.com/achbulletin>

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May 19-23, 2008

St. George's, Grenada

11th International Conference of the Association of Caribbean Women Writer and Scholars (ACWWS)

“Traditions and Legacies, Revisions and Interventions: Caribbean Women's Writing in the 21st Century”

ACWWS

Website www.acwws.org

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May 26-30, 2008

San Andres Island, Colombia

33rd Annual Conference of the Caribbean Studies Association (CSA)

“The Caribbean: Embracing the Diasporas Within and Without”

CSA

Website: <http://www.caribbean-studies.org>

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June 1-6, 2008

Montego Bay, Jamaica

38th Annual Conference of the Association of Caribbean University, Research and Institutional Libraries (ACURIL)

“E-Librarian: Ideas, Innovation and Inspiration”

ACURIL & the Library & Information Association of Jamaica

Website <http://www.nlj.org.jm/acuril/ACURIL08.htm> and <http://acuril.uprrp.edu>

Contact acuril2008@yahoo.com, acuril@rrpac.upr.clu.edu or acuril@coqui.net

June 4-7, 2008

Cité des Métiers, Le Raizet, Guadeloupe

5th Annual Meeting of the Caribbean Philosophical Association (CPA)

“Shifting the Geography of Reason V: Intellectual Movements”

CPA and Département de Lettres, Université Antilles-Guyane

Website <http://www.temple.edu/isrst/Events/CPA.asp>

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June 4-7, 2008

Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada

Conference of the Canadian Association for Latin American and Caribbean Studies (CALACS)

“At the Crossroads of Empire”

CALACS and the Latin American Studies Programs of both the University of British Columbia and Simon Fraser University

Website <http://www.sfu.ca/las/calacs-2008> or <http://www.can-latam.org>

Contact calacs-2008@sfu.ca

June 9-13, 2008

Castries, St. Lucia

14th Conference on Catholic Theology in the Caribbean Today

“Being Catholic in the Caribbean Today II”

Contact Msgr. Patrick Anthony at pabacito@yahoo.com or Bernadette Salandy at bernsie@cablenett.net

June 10-14, 2008

Scarborough, Tobago

3rd Conference on Caribbean Philanthropy

“The Region’s Philanthropic Movement”

University of the West Indies Development & Endowment Fund

Website <http://www.caribphilanthropy.org.jm/conference>

Contact caribphilanthropy@uwimona.edu.jm

July 2-4, 2008

Edinburgh, England, UK

32nd Annual Conference of the Society for Caribbean Studies

Society for Caribbean Studies, UK

Website <http://www.caribbeanstudies.org.uk>

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July 3-8, 2008

Kingston, Jamaica

2008 ACS Crossroads Conference

ACS (Association for Cultural Studies) & Cultural Studies Initiative of the University of the West Indies, Mona Campus

Website <http://www.crossroads2008.org>

Contact crossroads_2008@yahoo.com

July 3-9, 2008

Santiago, Cuba

28th Annual Caribbean Festival “Feast of Fire”

Dedicated to the Mexican Caribbean

La Casa del Caribe and the Cuban Ministry of Culture

Website <http://www.cultstgo.cult.cu>, <http://www.casadelcaribe.cult.cu>

Contact caribe@cultstgo.cult.cu or dirprov@cultstgo.cult.cu

July 29-31, 2008

Cayenne, French Guyana

17th Biennial Conference of the Society for Caribbean Linguistics (SCL)

“Usage, Application and Development of the Languages of the Caribbean and the Guianas”

SCL and the Society for Pidgin and Creole Linguistics (SPCL)

Website <http://www.scl-online.net/callforpapers2008.html>

Contact secretary@scl-online.net or scl_online@yahoo.com

August 22-31, 2008

Georgetown, Guyana

Carifesta X (Caribbean Festival of Arts)

“One Caribbean, One Purpose – Our Culture, Our Life”

Website <http://www.carifesta.net>

Contact carifesta10guyana@gmail.com or secretariat@carifesta.net

September 26-28, 2008

Berkeley, California, USA

Conference on African and Afro-Caribbean Performance

Department of Theatre, Dance and Performance Studies and the Center for African Studies of the University of California, Berkeley Campus

Website <http://www.berkeleytdps.org/home.html>

Contact Leo Cabranes-Grant at cabranes@theatredance.ucsb.edu or Catherine Cole at colectat@berkeley.edu

October 1-4, 2008

San Juan, Puerto Rico

8th Conference of the Puerto Rican Studies Association (PRSA)

“Cartographies of Identities: Puerto Rico(ans) in the XXIst Century”

PRSA

Website <http://www.puertorican-studies.org>

Contact the PRSA Secretariat at prsa@cornell.edu or Elizabeth Crespo Kebler at crespokebler@caribe.net

December 3-6, 2008

La Habana, Cuba

International Conference of the Caribbean Center of the University of Havana

“50 Years of the Cuban Revolution and Its Impact on the Caribbean”

Cátedra de Estudios del Caribe, Universidad de la Habana

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