



Conference Schedule June 21-June 25 and June 28-July 2, 2021

(all times listed in EDT/UTC – 4)

Day One: Monday, June 21

10:00am to 12:00pm Welcome and Opening Remarks

Opening Lecture: [Dr. Dan Rosengren](#), University of Gothenburg

12:00pm to 12:30pm Break (virtual lounge available in Remo)

12:30pm to 2:30pm [Panel 12](#): Birthing Amazonia (Session 1)

[Panel 5](#): Contested Landscapes: access, ownership and control of land, forests and resources in lowland South America (Session 1)

[Panel 8](#): Cosmologias e Territorialidades Indígenas (Session 1)

3:00pm to 4:00pm Drinks and Conversation (virtual lounge in Remo)

Day Two: Tuesday, June 22

10:00am to 12:00pm [Panel 12](#): Birthing Amazonia (Session 2)

[Panel 5](#): Contested Landscapes: access, ownership and control of land, forests and resources in lowland South America (Session 2)

[Panel 8](#): Cosmologias e Territorialidades Indígenas (Session 2)

12:00pm to 12:30pm Break (virtual lounge available in Remo)

12:30pm to 2:30pm [Panel 12](#): Birthing Amazonia (Session 3)

[Panel 5](#): Contested Landscapes: access, ownership and control of land, forests and resources in lowland South America (Session 3)

[Panel 8](#): Cosmologias e Territorialidades Indígenas (Session 3)

3:00pm to 4:00pm SALSA Board Meeting

Day Three: Wednesday, June 23

10:00am to 12:00pm [Panel 3](#): The Prospects of Decolonization on a Perpetual Frontier: towards a political and historical ecology in the Tapajós, Xingu, and Trombetas River Valleys of Pará, Brazil (Session 1)

[Workshop 2](#): From Ritual to Justice: towards a decolonial and feminist approach to ayahuasca (Session 1)

[Panel 15](#): Indigenous Politics – with and against the State

12:00pm to 12:30pm Break (virtual lounge available in Remo)

12:30pm to 2:30pm [Panel 3](#): The Prospects of Decolonization on a Perpetual Frontier: towards a political and historical ecology in the Tapajós, Xingu, and Trombetas River Valleys of Pará, Brazil (Session 2)

[Workshop 2](#): From Ritual to Justice: towards a decolonial and feminist approach to ayahuasca (Session 2)

[Panel 7](#): Failures of (and in) Indigenous Politics in Melanesia and Amazonia (Session 1)

3:00pm to 4:30pm Keynote Address: [Dr. Janet Chernela](#), University of Maryland

Day Four: Thursday, June 24

9:00am to 10:00am Coffee and Conversation (virtual lounge in Remo)

10:00am to 12:00pm [Panel 3](#): The Prospects of Decolonization on a Perpetual Frontier: towards a political and historical ecology in the Tapajós, Xingu, and Trombetas River Valleys of Pará, Brazil (Session 3)

[Panel 13](#): Migration, Identity, and Adaptive Dynamics among Indigenous Peoples of Lowland South America

[Panel 7](#): Failures of (and in) Indigenous Politics in Melanesia and Amazonia (Session 2)

12:00pm to 12:30pm Break (virtual lounge available in Remo)

12:30pm to 2:30pm [Workshop 3](#): Conflicted Responsibilities: justice and law in Amazonia (Session 1)

[Panel 4](#): Amerindian Perspectives on the Environment and the Future of Life: territories, bodies and socialities in Indigenous South and Central America (Session 1)

[Panel 7](#): Failures of (and in) Indigenous Politics in Melanesia and Amazonia (Session 3)

3:00pm to 4:00pm [Kwači \(Water Turtle\)](#): film screening (13 min.) and live discussion with producer Elliott Oakley, University of California, Santa Cruz

Day Five: Friday, June 25

10:00am to 12:00pm [Workshop 3](#): Conflicted Responsibilities: justice and law in Amazonia (Session 2)

[Panel 4](#): Amerindian Perspectives on the Environment and the Future of Life: territories, bodies and socialities in Indigenous South and Central America (Session 2)

[Panel 2](#): Indigenous Multilingualism in Lowland South America (Session 1)

12:00pm to 12:30pm Break (virtual lounge available in Remo)

12:30pm to 2:30pm [Workshop 3](#): Conflicted Responsibilities: justice and law in Amazonia (Session 3)

[Panel 4](#): Amerindian Perspectives on the Environment and the Future of Life: territories, bodies and socialities in Indigenous South and Central America (Session 3)

[Panel 2](#): Indigenous Multilingualism in Lowland South America (Session 2)

3:00pm-5:00pm [Guardians of the Forest](#): film screening (62 min.) followed by live discussion with producer Michael Gilmore, George Mason University

Day Six: Monday, June 28

10:00am to 12:00pm [Workshop 4](#): Situações Etnográficas e Antropológicas para um Debate sobre uma Política de Atendimento para Povos de Recente Contato na Região do Alto Rio Negro (Session 1)

[Panel 14](#): Living Economies: nature, resources, and experiences of extraction in lowland South America (Session 1)

[Panel 2](#): Indigenous Multilingualism in Lowland South America (Session 3)

12:00pm to 12:30pm Break (virtual lounge available in Remo)

12:30pm to 2:30pm [Workshop 4](#): Situações Etnográficas e Antropológicas para um Debate sobre uma Política de Atendimento para Povos de Recente Contato na Região do Alto Rio Negro (Session 2)

[Panel 6](#): Wellbeing as a Process of Mutual Creation (Session 1)

[Panel 14](#): Living Economies: nature, resources, and experiences of extraction in lowland South America
(12:30-1:30; Session 2)

3:00pm to 4:00pm Drinks and Conversation (virtual lounge in Remo)

Day Seven: Tuesday, June 29

9:00am to 10:00am Coffee and Conversation (virtual lounge in Remo)

10:00am to 12:00pm [Workshop 1](#): Multidisciplinary Approaches to the Amazonian Past (Session 1)

[Panel 6](#): Wellbeing as a Process of Mutual Creation (Session 2)

[Roundtable](#): Gente de Centro: vida ritual en la construcción de una sociedad regional en la Amazonía Noroccidental (Mesa 1, Session 1)

12:00pm to 12:30pm Break (virtual lounge available in Remo)

12:30pm to 2:30pm [Workshop 1](#): Multidisciplinary Approaches to the Amazonian Past (Session 2)

[Panel 6](#): Wellbeing as a Process of Mutual Creation (Session 3)

[Roundtable](#): Gente de Centro: vida ritual en la construcción de una sociedad regional en la Amazonía Noroccidental (Mesa 1, Session 2)

3:00pm to 5:00pm [Conversations in the Lobby](#) (Open Forum): Conviviality in our Professional Society: what are SALSA's ethical principles and practices?

Day Eight: Wednesday, June 30

9:00am to 11:00am [The Hupd'äh Enchanted Words of the Amazon - Masters of Knowledge, narrated by Renato Athias](#): film screening (52 min.) followed by live discussion with producer Mina Rad, World Cultural Diversity Production

10:00am to 12:00pm [Panel 1](#): On the Jaguar's Trail: kanaima and the historicities of Neil L. Whitehead (Session 1)

[Panel 9](#): Objects and Voices in a Virtual World: discussing experiences and potentials of the study of digitalized heritage (Session 1)

[Roundtable](#): Gente de Centro: vida ritual en la construcción de una sociedad regional en la Amazonía Noroccidental (Mesa 2, Session 1)

12:00pm to 12:30pm Break (virtual lounge available in Remo)

12:30pm to 2:30pm [Panel 1](#): On the Jaguar's Trail: kanaima and the historicities of Neil L. Whitehead (Session 2; 12:30 to 1:30)

[Panel 9](#): Objects and Voices in a Virtual World: discussing experiences and potentials of the study of digitalized heritage (12:30-1:30; Session 2)

[Poster Session](#): live discussion with poster presenters (1:30-2:30)

[Roundtable](#): Gente de Centro: vida ritual en la construcción de una sociedad regional en la Amazonía Noroccidental (Mesa 2, Session 2)

Day Nine: Thursday, July 1

9:00am to 10:00am SALSA Membership Meeting

10:00am to 12:00pm [Panel 10](#): Indigenous peoples in Guiana: contemporary ethnographies (Session 1)

[Panel 11](#): Visibilizing the Chaco Region of South America: current perspectives of social, political and environmental transformations (Session 1)

[Roundtable](#): Gente de Centro: vida ritual en la construcción de una sociedad regional en la Amazonía Noroccidental (Mesa 3, Session 1)

12:00pm to 12:30pm Break (virtual lounge available in Remo)

12:30pm to 2:30pm [Roundtable](#): Gente de Centro: vida ritual en la construcción de una sociedad regional en la Amazonía Noroccidental (Mesa 3, Session 2)

Day Ten: Friday, July 2

10:00am to 12:00pm [Panel 10](#): Indigenous peoples in Guiana: contemporary ethnographies (Session 2)

[Panel 11](#): Visibilizing the Chaco Region of South America: current perspectives of social, political and environmental transformations (Session 2)

[Panel 16](#): On Relations among Humans and Non-humans: bodies, health, and perspectives in lowland South America

12:00pm to 12:30pm Break (virtual lounge available in Remo)

12:30pm to 2:30pm [Panel 10](#): Indigenous peoples in Guiana: contemporary ethnographies (Session 3)

[Panel 11](#): Visibilizing the Chaco Region of South America: current perspectives of social, political and environmental transformations (Session 3)

[The Indigenous Benches of Brazil](#): live discussion with exhibition creators Mariana Brazão (Independent Curator), Marina Frúgoli (Coleção BEI), and Adriana Greci Green (Fralin Museum of Art, University of Virginia) (1:30-2:30)

3:00pm to 5:00pm Farewell Celebration: closing remarks from SALSA President Jeremy Campbell and Conference Host George Mentore, music performance by [LUA](#)