

# The Department of Puerto Rican and Latino Studies

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*In cooperation with the Latino Faculty and Staff Organization, BC Comité Noviembre, Puerto Rican Alliance, MEDO, The Office of Diversity and Equity Programs, The Center for Diversity and Multicultural Studies, The Magner Center for Career Development and Internships, Panamanian Students Organization, and the Core Curriculum Present:*

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## Encuentro 2010

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**The Possible Dream: Latin@ Arts, Communities, and Leadership**  
*“Diaspora, Diversity, and Dialogue”*



Design by: Heriberto Ferrer

Come celebrate our fifth annual all-day event--The Possible Dream: Latin@ Arts, Communities, and Leadership Encuentro 2010. Its theme is Diaspora, Diversity, and Dialogue. It will celebrate the coming of age of our varied Latin@ communities as we highlight the complexity of the Diaspora, the diversity expressed through various art forms- poetry, music, art- and the ensuing dialogue of our community of students, staff, faculty, alumni, neighbors, and our extended CUNY family. The Encuentro will feature panel discussions with students and faculty; career networking with alumni; a musical recital by pianist and alumnus, Cesar Reyes; an art exhibit curated by Maria Catalano Rand and Professor of Art, Archie Rand; and culminate with an awards dinner honoring outstanding members of the Latin@ community, as we bestow the annual Don Quijote Awards. This year, a special posthumous award will be offered to Mr. G. Alex Boxill, BC alumnus '77, activist, and former director of Veterans' Affairs at Brooklyn College.

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**Thursday, November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2010**  
**11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p. m.**  
Brooklyn College Student Center  
Campus Road and East 27<sup>th</sup> Street

For further Information please contact Prof. Antonio Nadal at 718.951.5561

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11:00a.m.-12:15p.m.– Student Center – Jefferson Williams Lounge

**Prof. Antonio Nadal, Master of Ceremonies**

**Opening remarks and greetings**

Vice President Milga Morales, Student Affairs  
Dr. María Pérez y González, Chairperson, Department of Puerto Rican and Latino Studies  
Ms. Anselma Rodríguez, Encuentro Committee, Latino Faculty and Staff Organization  
**Student panel: Cultural Patterns and Latin@ Identity**

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12:20 p.m. to 2 p.m – Jefferson Williams lounge  
Alumni Career Panel

**“Secrets of the Successful Latin@”**

Ms. Natalia Guarin-Klein, Magner Center  
**Lunch**

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2:15 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. – Gold Room  
**Art Exhibit showcase**

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4 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. BC Library – Woody Tanger Auditorium –Library 1<sup>st</sup> Fl.  
**Latin American Music Recital**  
Coordinator: Mr. César Reyes

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5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. – Gold Room  
**Reception for art exhibit and hors d’oeuvres**  
Sponsored by: Ms. María Catalano and Professor Archie Rand

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7:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m. – Penthouse  
**Don Quijote Leadership Awards Dinner and Reception**  
Welcome: Dr. María Pérez y González, Chairperson  
Puerto Rican and Latino Studies  
Greetings: Vice President Milga Morales, Student Affairs

**Don Quijote Leadership Awards**

Introduction: Ms. Mildred Nieves Rivera  
Center for Academic Advisement and Student Success

**Special Posthumous Award**

Mr. G. Alex Boxill  
Presenter: Claudette Guinn  
Center for Veterans Affairs and Counseling

**Raffle Drawing**

Mr. Jesus Pérez  
Center for Academic Advisement and Student Success

**Finale**

DJ and Dancing

