

# INSTITUTO CERVANTES AT HARVARD

Observatorio de la lengua española y las culturas hispánicas en los Estados Unidos



## Observatorio Instituto Cervantes Symposium 2021

June 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>, 2021 (3pm – 6:30pm ET)

Online via Zoom | RSVP: [info-observatory@fas.harvard.edu](mailto:info-observatory@fas.harvard.edu)

### NEW PERSPECTIVES ON HISPANIC CULTURES: HISPANISM AND SPANISH IN THE U.S. OVER THE LAST 30 YEARS

In commemoration of the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Instituto Cervantes

#### Keynote Speakers



**Luis Girón Negrón**

"Voz y escritura en la Edad Media:  
Nuevas lecciones del archivo hispano-judío"  
Thursday, June 3rd at 3:00pm

**James Fernández**

"Invisibility or Blindness?: Why Haven't we  
Seen Spanish Immigrants in the U.S."  
Friday, June 4<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm

The Cervantes Institute at Harvard University organizes its sixth annual symposium, this year virtually and with the general subject: "Hispanism and Spanish in the U.S. over the Last 30 Years." The conference program includes two keynote lectures by prestigious researchers: Luis Girón Negrón (*Professor of Romance Languages and Literatures* and *Chair of the Department of Comparative Literature* at Harvard University) and James Fernández (*Professor of Spanish Literature and Culture* at New York University and *Director of NYU Madrid*). In addition, the program will feature presentations by researchers who are beginning their professional careers as well as by experts in the fields of Spanish language and Hispanic cultures, who will share unpublished papers covering diverse topics: Spanish language, sociolinguistics, Spanish-language teaching, teacher training, cinema, literature, translation, migration, and identity.

*El Instituto Cervantes en Harvard University organiza su sexto simposio anual, este año en línea y con el tema general: "Hispanism and Spanish in the U.S. over the Last 30 Years". El programa incluye dos conferencias plenarias a cargo de prestigiosos investigadores: Luis Girón Negrón (Professor of Romance Languages and Literatures y Chair of the Department of Comparative Literature en Harvard University) y James Fernández (Professor of Spanish Literature and Culture en New York University y Director of NYU Madrid). Igualmente, habrá presentaciones por parte de investigadores que están comenzando su trayectoria profesional así como de expertos en los campos de lengua española y culturas hispánicas, que presentarán comunicaciones inéditas en diversos ámbitos: lengua española, sociolingüística, enseñanza del español, formación de profesores, cine, literatura, traducción, migración e identidad.*

**Language:** English and Spanish

More information on the Symposium is available here: <http://bit.ly/OICSymposium2021>