

## **Details re Postponement of SNX 08**

Thank you for your interest in the LatCrit South-North Exchange on the Global Politics of Food, scheduled for May 1-3, 2008, in Mexico City. We have received some fabulous proposals for the event, and have been told by many people that this is a timely topic, so we're extremely excited about the conference. However, due to circumstances beyond our control, we recently lost the site for the conference, and have been unable to timely secure an appropriate alternative venue. As a result, after consulting with the conference participants, *we have reluctantly decided to postpone the conference.*

We want to thank our collaborator in Mexico, economist Alejandro Nadal, who has truly gone to heroic efforts to try to preserve the conference, under very trying circumstances and with very little time. We're extremely grateful to Alejandro for all his work.

As soon as we have solidified a new date and site for the conference, we'll post that information on the LatCrit website. Thanks for your patience as we work out these details. This is the first time that an SNX has had to be postponed, and we're not happy about it. But we believe it's the best course to take under the current circumstances – and we look forward to a fabulous conference in the not-too-distant future!

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