

invited talks and presentations

Last week, **Fernando Riosmena** was the first to present for the speaker series [Citizenship and Equality Colloquium](#), organized by the University of Colorado [Law School's Immigration and Citizenship Law Program](#). (See full list of upcoming speakers [here](#).)

Fernando's insightful lecture "Climate Change and Mexico – U.S. Migration" touched on how migration can be a coping mechanism and response to climate change, particularly among communities located in the Global South. However, national security apparatuses and human/civil rights groups in the Global North have been concerned with reports that a large number of people could engage in cross-border movement in the future, to alleviate the impacts of climate change. Yet most scholarly accounts indicate otherwise, with the vast majority of climate migrants simply moving to other domestic locations.

Great job Fernando!



On a similar theme, join us on Mon, March 2, when **Rachel Kimbro**, Professor of Sociology at Rice Univ., will give a captivating talk on "[Flooded: Chronic Disaster, Mothering, and Curated Community](#)" as part of the [CUPC Seminar series](#), which will be video fed from UC-Denver into IBS Mtg Rm 155. Drawing upon 72 in-depth interviews with 36 mothers whose homes flooded in an affluent Houston neighborhood right after Hurricane Harvey, Rachel will discuss how their mental load became unbearable, spousal conflict increased, and their physical health deteriorated while battling Mother Nature -- all excruciating sacrifices in order to hold their community intact now and in the future.

recently published papers

Adrian Shin's fascinating article, "[Primary Resources, Secondary Labor: Natural Resources and Immigration Policy](#)" has been published in *International Studies Quarterly*.

Kudos Adrian!

research meetings

Last week, in the home of PI Sanyu Mojola of Princeton, NJ, team investigators of the NIH/NIA-funded project "[HIV after 40 in Rural South Africa: Aging in the Context of an HIV/AIDS Epidemic](#)" came together from around the world: former IBS PostDocs **Brian Houle** (Canberra, Australia) and **Enid Schatz** (Columbia, MO), Nicole

Angotti (Washington D.C.), and Sam Clark (Columbus, OH), and colleagues **Jane Menken** (IBS CUPC), Chodziwadziwa Kabudula (Capetown, S. Africa), and Xavier Gómez-Olivé (Johannesburg, S. Africa).



awards

congratulations to the recipients of the **CUPC Grant Workshop awards**:

Adam Lippert (Asst. Professor, Grad Program Dir, Soc Dept - CU Denver)

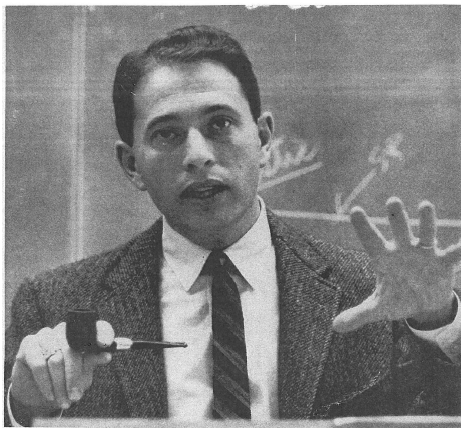
David Braudt (PostDoc Fellow, IBS and IBG, UCB)

Kate Coleman-Minahan (Asst. Professor, FNP-BC Anschutz Med campus)

Adrian Shin (Asst Professor, Political Science, UCB)

Each recipient receives funding not only for research-related expenses, but also for costs to invite a collaborator, reviewer, or speaker who is an expert on their research topic to assist them throughout the proposal sessions.

*and finally, a dash of **Valentine's Day** fun! guess who???*



1959 → lecturing with pipe in hand.



1957 high school photo



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