IN SICKNESS AND IN HEALTH
ENCOUNTERING WELLNESS IN CUBA AND THE U.S.
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22
8:30 AM–5:30 PM
THE BANCROFT HOTEL
BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA
8:30–9:00  Light Continental Breakfast

9:00–9:30  Introduction/Welcome by Nancy Burke, UCSF, and Raul Fernandez, UC Irvine

9:30–10:45  Health Travels: Cuban Health Care From Birth, On and Off The Island
Chair: Amalia Cabezas, UC Riverside
Elise Andaya, SUNY Albany: “Reproducing Health: The Local Practice and Global Politics of Reproductive Health Care in Havana”
Pedro Orduñez, Advisor to the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO): “Cuba: Other Approaches to Produce Health Are Possible”
Discussant: Julie Feinsilver, Council on Hemispheric Affairs (COHA)

10:45–11:00  Coffee Break

11:00–12:15  Representations and Experiences of Health and Illness: Media, Numbers, and Places
Chair: Lisa García-Bedolla, UC Berkeley
Charles Briggs, UC Berkeley: “Cuban Media Coverage of Health: Is it Revolutionary?”
Jorge Pérez Ávila, Pedro Kourí Institute of Tropical Medicine: “HIV Infection in Cuba and Results of Antiretroviral Treatment”
Discussant: P. Sean Brotherton, Yale University

12:15–1:30  Lunch On Your Own

1:30–3:15  Imagining Medical Pedagogy through the Cuban Lens
Richard Quint, UCSF
Zaida Botello, UC San Diego
Melissa Burroughs Peña, UCSF
Melissa Rose Mitchell, Latin American Medical School (ELAM)

3:15–3:30  Coffee Break

3:30–5:00 Social Accountability and “the Gift:” Internationalism and Cuban Medical Diplomacy
Chair: Laura Enriquez, UC Berkeley
Julie Feinsilver, Council on Hemispheric Affairs (COHA): “Cuba’s Medical Diplomacy: Change and Continuity”
P. Sean Brotherton, Yale University: “Fueling la Revolucion: (Bio-) Medical Expertise, Transactional Humanitarianism and ‘la lucha por el socialismo’ in Post-Soviet Cuba”
Discussant: Elise Andaya, SUNY Albany

5–5:30  Closing
Discussants “At Large”
Raul Fernandez, PhD, UC Irvine · Nancy J. Burke, PhD, UCSF · Ayesha Nibbe, PhD, UC Davis · Tom McEnaney, UC Berkeley Graduate Student · Alissa Bernstein, UC Berkeley Graduate Student · Maki Tanaka, UC Berkeley Graduate Student

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