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LACC TEACH-IN SERIES

Venezuela in 2026: Between the Restoration Course and Resource Curse

Friday,

January 23, 2026

11:00 AM - 2:30 PM

Green School International Pavilion

SIPA II, 102

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Join us on January 23 at 11:00 AM in SIPA II, 102 for the first event addressing the recent events in Venezuela.

On January 3rd, the Trump Administration launched Operation Absolute Resolve, a military incursion aimed at apprehending Nicolás Maduro to face narcoterrorism charges in the United States. As a result of the strike, Delcy Rodríguez assumed the role of acting president while the U.S. seeks to gain control over the Venezuelan oil. The incursion has not only opened a new phase in Venezuela's political dynamic but also signals a new era in the relationships between the United States and the hemisphere.

This Teach-In brings together leading analysts and prominent FIU scholars to examine the profound domestic and international consequences of these actions.

Panel 1: The Venezuelan Political Reality

Panel 2: The International and Economic Dimension

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Program Agenda

Panel 1: The Venezuelan Political Reality **11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Moderator:

Alejandro Alvarado
Lee Caplin School of Journalism and Media
Florida International University

Participants:

Astrid Arrarás
Department of Politics & International Relations
Florida International University

Julio Cesar Camacho
Actualidad Radio

Víctor Hugo Guerra
College of Law
Florida International University

Ofelia Riquezes Curiel
Václav Havel Program for Human Rights and
Democracy, Florida International University

Panel 2: The International Dimensions **1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

Moderator:

Manny Garcia,
Lee Caplin School of Journalism & Media
Florida International University

Participants:

Antonio Delgado
El Nuevo Herald

Edward Glab
Global Energy Security Forum
Florida International University

Félix Martin
Department of Politics and International Relations
Florida International University

Frank Mora
Department of Politics and International Relations
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