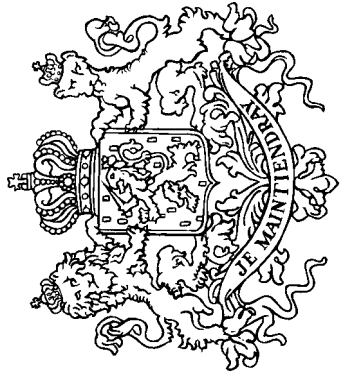


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Mario Vargas Llosa

Celebrating the 40th Anniversary of
La ciudad y los perros (The Time of the Hero)
and Other Works

Monday, November 3, 2003



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9 a.m.-3 p.m. SYMPOSIUM REGISTRATION AND COFFEE
Rochelle and Irwin A. Lowenfeld Conference and Exhibition Hall
Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library 10th Floor, South Campus

10 a.m. OPENING CEREMONY
Lowenfeld Conference and Exhibition Hall
Axinn Library, 10th Floor, South Campus

Welcome Miguel-Angel Zapata
Assistant Professor of Spanish
Department of Romance Languages and Literatures
Hofstra University
Symposium Director

Greetings Bernard J. Firestone
Dean, Hofstra College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
Professor of Political Science
Hofstra University

10:30 a.m.- Noon PANEL A
Lowenfeld Conference and Exhibition Hall
Axinn Library, 10th Floor, South Campus

Moderator Antonio F. Cao
Associate Professor of Spanish
Chair, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures
Hofstra University

“The Writer as Mentor: Vargas Llosa’s Letters to a Young Novelist”
Ricardo Gutierrez-Mouat
Professor of Latin American Literature and Cultural Studies
Emory University

“The Young Writer Vargas Llosa”
Sergio Vilela
Revisita *Etiqueta Negra*
Lima, Peru

“How One Becomes *What One Is* (Not?): *Vargas Llosa’s Autobiographical Myth*”
Randolph D. Pope
Commonwealth Professor of Spanish
University of Virginia

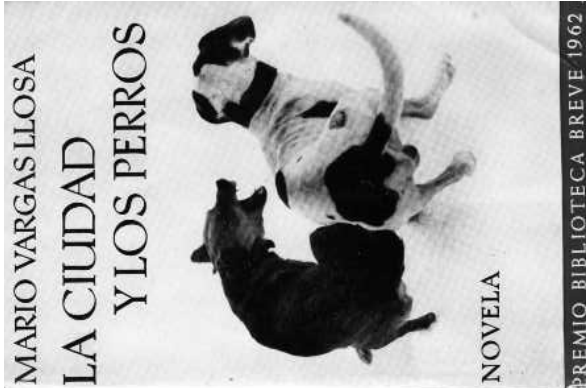
Noon-1 p.m. LUNCH (on your own)

1-2 p.m. BOOK SIGNING BY MARIO VARGAS LLOSA
Hofstra University Bookstore
Sondra and David S. Mack Student Center
North Campus

2-2:30 p.m. READING OF EXCERPTS FROM *LA CIUDAD Y LOS PERROS* (*THE TIME OF THE HERO*)
BY MARIO VARGAS LLOSA
Leo A. Guthart Cultural Center Theater
Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library
First Floor, South Campus

Isaac Goldemberg
Professor and Director
Latin American Writers Institute
Hostos Community College, CUNY

Donald E. Axinn
Trustee Emeritus
Hofstra University



2:30-4:30 p.m. PANEL B
Guthart Cultural Center Theater
Axinn Library, First Floor, South Campus

Moderator Billy Busell Thompson
Professor of Spanish
Department of Romance Languages and Literatures
Hofstra University

“Symmetry and Denunciation in *¿Quién mató Palomino Molero?*”
Alfred MacAdam
Professor of Latin American Literature
Barnard College, Columbia University

“*Whose Paradise Is It?: Pleasures and Fear in the Work of Mario Vargas Llosa*”
Alicia Borinsky
Professor and Director, Latin American Studies
Boston University

“Mario Vargas Llosa: *Of Paradise and Hell Just Around the Corner*”
Sara Castro-Klaren
Professor and Director, Latin American Studies Program
Johns Hopkins University

5 p.m. PRESENTATION OF HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL
Guthart Cultural Center Theater
Axinn Library, First Floor, South Campus

Greetings Herman A. Berliner
Provost and
Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs
Hofstra University

Miguel-Angel Zapata
Assistant Professor of Spanish
Department of Romance Languages and Literatures
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Performance

Nadia Borislova
Composer and Guitarist
Artistic Director, National Guitar Festival
Puebla, Mexico

Introduction Suzanne Jill Levine
Professor of Latin American Literature
University of California, Santa Barbara
and
Distinguished Visiting Professor
The Graduate Center, CUNY

Response Mario Vargas Llosa



DINNER IN HONOR OF MARIO VARGAS LLOSA
University Club
David S. Mack Hall, North Campus

Ambassador Heli Peláez Castro
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(Consulate General of Peru in New York)
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