

**BOSTON UNIVERSITY
CENTER FOR LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES**

**David Scott Palmer Student Research Grants on Latin America
Spring 2021**

The Latin American Studies Program at Boston University is pleased to announce this year's competition for funding to sponsor graduate research on Latin America. Projects on Latinx Studies will also be considered. In particular, this initiative is aimed at students completing Master Theses or PhD Dissertations or other significant research projects for academic credit. **The funds are restricted to research materials, such as books and archival material fees. We will also fund conference or workshop virtual attendance to present papers between November 2020 and May 31, 2021. Due to COVID restrictions we will not fund travel expenses.** All receipts for reimbursement must be submitted to us on or before Monday, June 8, 2021 to be eligible for reimbursement. Receipts must be accompanied by a short report outlining your research and/or conference participation. The competition is open to any Boston University graduate student with relevant research interests.

Adela Pineda
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Send application via email to:
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Applications should arrive by **January 25, 2021**.

Applications should include the following:

- A letter of application
- A resume or curriculum vitae
- A project proposal of approximately two pages (one-half spaced), plus any supporting documentation, in which you set out the nature of the project, the specific research to be funded by the grant, a concrete research plan, and an itemized, documented budget for the research. Having a well thought out, detailed plan of research will improve your chances of success.
- Alternatively, please supply information about the conference you plan to attend and paper you plan to present.
- A letter of recommendation

Up to \$300 per student will be awarded, according to the strength of the proposal, the costs of the project, and your overall qualifications.

THE APPLICATION DEADLINE IS January 25, 2021
A CLAS review committee will notify you of its decisions by FEBRUARY 1, 2021.