Constructing Democratic Governance in Latin America

Authors Workshop & Reception
5 – 7 October, 2011
Inter-American Dialogue

5 October

7:00pm Informal dinner with authors
Meiwah Restaurant,
1200 New Hampshire Ave, NW, Washington, DC

6 October

9:00 am Opening remarks
Michael Shifter
Jorge Dominguez

9:30 am Session I
Constitutional reforms resulting in concentration of power: Javier Corrales
Mass media and politics in South America: Taylor Boas

11:00 am Coffee break

11:15 am Session II
Security and democratic governance: Lucia Dammert
Interaction between democratic politics and economic performance in the past decade: Sebastian Mazzuca

1:00 pm Lunch

2:00 pm Session III
Argentina: Vicky Murillo and Ernesto Calvo
Brazil: David Samuels

3:30 pm Session IV
Bolivia: George Gray Molina
Chile: Peter Siavelis

5:00 pm End of session

7:00 pm “Outlook in the Americas and Challenges for US Policy”
Dinner with keynote speaker, Bill Richardson, former Governor of New Mexico and Special Envoy to the OAS
*Carnegie Endowment for International Peace
1779 Massachusetts Ave, NW, Washington, DC*

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