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REPRESSION ARCHIVES? WORKING WITH DOCUMENTS FROM POLICE INSTITUTIONS IN LATIN AMERICA

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 2024

@ 12:00 PM ET

This workshop, open to scholars of any disciplinary background and geographic area, will focus on the challenges of historical work (broadly defined) in police archives. Based on research experiences with documentary collections of different police forces in South America and Southern Europe, it will attempt to discuss the connections between methodological strategies and historiographical problems. Police archives have been used extensively in the history of crime, marginality, state surveillance practices, political policing, and the repression of the labor movement. But they have also been fundamental to urban history, the history of migration, the social history of subaltern groups, and the cultural history of popular consumption. After all this research, should police records continue to be considered "archives of repression" or "archives of terror"?

Speaker **Diego Galeano**, Professor of Contemporary History in the Department of History at the Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro (PUC-Rio).

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