

# NEWS

The Evergreen State College

Olympia, Washington 98505

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Four major speakers and more than a dozen experts on Latin American affairs will participate in a two-day Northwest Symposium on Chile January 25 and 26 at The Evergreen State College.

The student-led academic project, which offers lectures, panel discussions, small workshops, movies, and cultural events, is designed to present a comprehensive, intellectual treatment of a major international event --- the overthrow and death of former Chilean President Salvador Allende.

Free and open to the public, the event will be headquartered in the main lobby of the Evergreen Library and will begin each morning at 9:30.

Evergreen President Charles J. McCann will launch the conference with a brief welcoming address Friday morning, January 25, which will be followed by the first major presentation, at 10 a.m., featuring a discussion of "Pre-Allende Chile." Dr. Jorge Neff, former professor at the University of Chile, will examine "The Internal Politics of Chile in the 1960's," and Dr. Maurice Zeitlin, sociology professor from the University of Wisconsin, will discuss "The Road to Democratic Socialism in Chile."

"The Allende Years," will highlight the Friday afternoon sessions, which begin at 1 p.m. Discussion participants include Hector Fernando Arias, a University of Oregon graduate student, who will address "The Economic Program of the Unidad Popular;" Joseph Hamwee, businessman and frequent Chilean visitor, discussing "US Business Relations;" Patricia Fagan, San Jose State University professor, on "Cultural Dependency and the Chilean Intelligencia," and Joyce Horman, computer specialist whose husband was killed during the Chilean coup last fall, on "The Changing Role of Women in Chile."

Friday afternoon will conclude with a series of workshops covering a variety of topics on Chile. And, the evening will feature a discussion and reading of the poetry of Chilean

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Paulo Neruda and a concert by Malvina Reynolds, a 73-year-old composer and protest singer, who will present her own music.

"The Coup", which overthrew the socialist democratic government last fall and led to the death of President Allende, will dominate Saturday morning (Jan. 26) discussions, beginning at 10 a.m. David Hathaway, a Santiago graduate student who was held in the National Stadium of Chile during the coup, will share his "Personal Experience with the Coup," and James Petras, sociology professor at State University of New York Binghamton, will examine "Chilean Socialism on the Eve of the Coup." Western Washington State College professor of history Harley Hiller will chair the morning discussion.

Saturday afternoon will feature another series of small group workshops, a movie on Chile and a concluding session on "Chile in the Immediate Future," chaired by Evergreen Faculty Member Charles Nisbet, whose students have organized the entire symposium.

Special guest speaker at the final presentation will be Dr. Richard Fagen, former visiting professor at Santiago and current professor of political science at Stanford University. Dr. Fagen, who is also president-elect of the national Latin American Studies Association, will discuss "Implications of Chile for Latin America."

Persons interested in obtaining more information about the conference may contact the Evergreen Information Center (866-6300) or the office of Dr. Charles Nisbet, (866-6726).

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## 73-YEAR-OLD SONGSTRESS TO PERFORM

### AT EVERGREEN CHILE SYMPOSIUM

Seventy-three year-old songwriter Malvina Reynolds will add a special touch to the two-day Northwest Symposium on Chile at The Evergreen State College January 25 and 26 when she presents Latin American folk music in two evening performances.

Ms. Reynolds, a nationally known songstress and composer, will perform January 24, the night before the symposium begins, at 8 o'clock in Evergreen's Lecture Hall Three and January 25 at 9 p.m. in the main Library lobby.

The protest singer has composed songs sung and recorded by some of the nation's best known folk singers, including Judy Collins, Pete Seeger, Joan Baez, Harry Belafonte, The Seekers and The Limelighters. Her August performance at Seattle's Washington Plaza Hotel "brought down the house..with its warm humor and ironic, slashing protest wit," according to reviews in a Seattle daily newspaper.

Her Evergreen presentations, like all of the events in the Chile symposium are free and open to the public.

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NORTHWEST SYMPOSIUM ON CHILE

THE EVERGREEN STATE COLLEGE

SYMPOSIUM AGENDA

Friday, January 25

8:30 - 9:30 a.m.

Library Lobby

Registration and Coffee Hour

9:30 - 10:00 a.m.

Library Lobby

PLENARY SESSION: INTRODUCTION

Introduction: Judy Klayman, President,  
Latin American Studies Group

Welcoming: Charles McCann, President,  
The Evergreen State College

10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Library Lobby

PLENARY SESSION: PRE-ALLENDE CHILE

Chairperson: Russell Fox

Jorge Neff, "The Internal Politics of  
Chile in the 1960's"

Maurice Zeitlin, "The Road to  
Democratic Socialism in Chile"

Panel: Joseph Morray  
Robert Myhr

Friday, January 25

11:30 - 1:00 p.m.

Lunch

12:00 - 12:30 p.m.

Lecture Hall 3

FILM: "Chile: With Poems and Guns"

12:00 - 12:30 p.m.

Lecture Hall 1

FILM: "Campamento"

1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Library Lobby

PLENARY SESSION: THE ALLENDE YEARS

Chairperson: Betty Petras

Panel Members:

Hector Fernando Arias, "The Economic  
Program of the Unidad Popular"

Joseph Hawee, "U.S. Business Relations

Patricia Eagan, "Cultural Dependency

and the Chilean Intelligence"

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Friday, January 25 (continued)

INTRA-SYMPOSIUM CULTURAL EVENTS

Friday, January 25

8:00 - 8:15 p.m.

Library Lobby

Michael Predmore on "The Political  
Implications of Paulo Neruda's  
Poetry"

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Friday, January 25

8:15 - 9:00 p.m.

Library Lobby

Raul Salinas, poetry readings  
on Paulo Neruda

9:00 - 10:30 p.m.

Library Lobby

Malvina Reynolds Sings

Saturday, January 26

9:30 - 10:00 a.m.

Library Lobby

Coffee and Sweets

10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Library Lobby

PLENARY SESSION: THE COUP

Chairperson: Harley Hiller

James Petras, "Chilean Socialism on  
the Eve of the Coup"

David Hathaway, "A Personal Experience  
With The Coup"

Panel: Mario Faye  
Sergio Bocaz

11:30 - 1:00 p.m.

Lunch

12:00 - 12:30 p.m.

Lecture Hall 1

FILM: "Chile: With Poems and Guns"

1:00 - 2:30 p.m.

(various locations)

SMALL GROUP WORKSHOPS

Marilyn Zeitlin - ANTI-SEMITICISM  
IN CHILE

Jorge Hernandez - THE SOCIALIZATION  
OF CHILE AND CUBA

Seattle NICH - POST SYMPOSIUM ACTION  
RELATING TO CHILE