

**Central American Solidarity L.A. Network Collection**

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**Historical/Biographical Note**

This collection was created during the semester of spring 2017, through the Cal State LA Special Collections & Archives internship of Gladys Garcia. The collection was created based on publications and materials related to Central American Solidarity Networks in Los Angeles from the late-1970s to mid-1990s. The collection is based on material housed in the Latin American Studies Center of Cal State LA. The materials were acquired by a number of different faculty members and students in the Latin American Studies program over the course of three decades. The historical significance of this collection is that it documents a specific part of Los Angeles history, relating to Central Americans and how their experiences shaped Los Angeles as we see it now. The collection also highlights

the role the city of Los Angeles played amongst nationwide activism at the height of all the Central American conflicts.

## **Scope and Content**

This collection is part of a larger collection belonging to the Latin American Studies center at Cal State LA. This collection was created by Gladys Garcia during her Cal State LA Special Collections & Archives internship in the spring of 2017. The Latin American Studies center acquired both publications and political posters in the collection by a number of different students and faculty active in organizing and raising awareness about U.S. intervention in Central America and the Central American diaspora coming to the U.S.

## **Series Description**

### **Series I: Publications**

**Inclusive Dates: 1975-1996**

**Arrangement: Alphabetical and there under chronological**

This large series consists of six subseries: a. Bulletins, 1980-1992, b. Newsletters, 1975-1993, c. Oversized publications, 1980-1992, d. Magazines/Zines, 1980-1985, e. Journals, 1981-1992 and f. other publications, 1975-1994. The first series of bulletins are predominantly monolingual documents in Spanish that are directly from Central American countries. The second and third subseries of newsletters and oversized publications contain publications of organizations in solidarity with countries experiencing turmoil due to the conflict. Alert! Published by CISPES is an organization still active in the Los Angeles area. The rest of the subseries contain publications produced by militant organizations such as FMLN (El Salvador), FSLN (Nicaragua), and URNG (Guatemala) and liberation theology-based publications such as Diálogo and LUCHA.

### **Series II: Political Graphics**

**Inclusive Dates: 1976-1989**

**Arrangement: Alphabetical and there under chronological**

This series consists of two subseries; a. Posters, 1976-1989 and b. Oversized Posters, 1988. The graphics in this collection contain images relating to advocacy for militant-revolutionary organizations in the country, liberation theology, human rights abuses, U.S. intervention in the Central America, and literacy projects in Nicaragua. The subseries is a mixture of English and Spanish language posters, with a couple in French and Miskito language of the Miskito peoples in Nicaragua.

## **Container List**

### **Box 1**

#### **Series I: Publications**

##### **Subseries a: Bulletins, 1980-1992**

- 1.1 Agencia Nueva Nicaragua, Servicio Internacional de Noticias, 1980-1984
- 1.2 Boletín Farabundo Martí, Semanario Informativo Internacional de las F.P.L., 1980
- 1.3 Brigadista Boletín, 1984
- 1.4 Central American Bulletin, 1984-1986
- 1.5 Central American Bulletin, 1986-1990
- 1.6 CEDOH, Boletín Informativo, 1981-1986
- 1.7 Challenge, 1992
- 1.8 El Foro Noticiero, 1982
- 1.9 FMLN/FDR: El Salvador Libre, Boletín Informativo de Mexico, 1981
- 1.10 El Salvador: Alert! , 1980-1981
- 1.11 ¡Guatemala! Guatemala News and Information Bureau, 1979-1980

### **Box 2**

- 2.1 Guatemala! , 1978-1986
- 2.2 Human Rights Bulletin, CARECEN, 1987
- 2.3 Our Search: Central American Association of Relative of the Detained/Disappeared
- 2.4 The Refugee: Central American Refugee Information Center, 1982
- 2.5 RegioNews From Nicaragua, 1988-1989

- 2.6 Unidad: El Salvador, 1982
- 2.7 University of El Salvador: Informative Bulletin..., 1982
- 2.8 Infopress: Centroamerica, 1986
- 2.9 Nicaragua Information Center Bulletin, 1983-1984
- 2.10 Nicaragua Noticias, 1981
- 2.11 Nicaragua through Our Eyes, 1986
- 2.12 Nuevo Horizonte, 1982
- 2.13 Nicaragua Update, 1981-1992

### **Box 3**

#### **Subseries b: Newsletters, 1975-1993**

- 3.1 Central American Newspak, 1986-1989
- 3.2 CICLAC, News Review, 1990
- 3.3 El Salvador: Refugees in Crisis, 1983
- 3.4 Facts for Action, Oxfam America, 1983-1984
- 3.5 Guatemala: Between the Lines, 1981-1982
- 3.6 Guatemala: News in Brief, 1988
- 3.7 Guatemala Scholars Network News, 1989
- 3.8 LASA-NICA Scholars News, 1985-1988
- 3.9 News from Guatemala, 1980
- 3.10 NICARAGUACTIONEWS, 1975
- 3.11 Nicaragua Libre, 1979
- 3.12 Nicaragua Update, 1977-1978
- 3.13 Noticias de Guatemala, 1981-1992

3.14 SALVANET, The Newsletter of Crispaz, 1990-1993

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**Subseries c: Oversized publications, 1980-1992**

- 4.1 Alert by CISPES, 1983-1985
- 4.2 Alert by CISPES, 1986-1992
- 4.3 El Nicargüense, Nicaragua, 1981-1983
- 4.4 El Nuevo Diario, 1981
- 4.5 El Salvador, 1980
- 4.6 El Tecolote/El Popo/Si Se Puede/El Otro Vaquero, 1979
- 4.7 Gay Community News, 1980
- 4.8 La Comuna, 1983
- 4.9 Unidad, 1983-1984

**Box 5**

**Subseries d: Magazines/Zines, 1980-1985**

- 5.1 A View of Life in New El Salvador, 1982
- 5.2 Centroamérica en La Mira, 1984
- 5.3 Con El Tiempo a Nuestro Favor, 1985
- 5.4 Dissent Paper on El Salvador and Central America, 1980
- 5.5 El Salvador: El Pueblo Vencera! , 1981-1982
- 5.6 El Salvador's Jose Napoleon Duarte...1980
- 5.7 El Salvador: Testimonios/Testimonies, 1981
- 5.8 Escuchen Nuestras Voces..., 1983
- 5.9 The Freedom Fighter's Manual, 1983

- 5.10 Revista Farabundo Marti, 1980-1981
- 5.11 A Massacre in El Salvador's Morazon Province, 1981
- 5.12 Plataforma Programática de Gobierno FMLN-FDR u.d.
- 5.13 Por Que Lucha El FMLN?, 1983
- 5.14 Propuesta del FMLN un Desafío a la Estrategia Contrainsurgente, 1989
- 5.15 Reagan Empuja a EE.UU a Otro Vietnam, u.d.
- 5.16 Revolution in El Salvador, 1980
- 5.17 Roque Dalton-Other Poets El Salvador, 1980
- 5.18 Salvador Cayetano Carpio "Marcial," 1980
- 5.19 Señal de Libertad/Signal of Freedom, 1984
- 5.20 Situación Revolucionaria y Escalada Intervencionista en La Guerra Salvadoreña, 1984
- 5.21 Solo el Socialismo Puede Sacar Al Tercer Mundo de Su Problematica, 1990
- 5.22 T32, Treinta Dos, 1983-1984
- 5.23 U.S. Green Berets Torture in El Salvador, 1981
- 5.24 U.S. Military Involvement in El Salvador 1947-1980, u.d.
- 5.25 Voces Desde Nicaragua, 1982

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**Subseries e: Journals, 1981-1992**

- 6.1 The Black Scholar, 1983
- 6.2 Centroamerica: USA, 1988
- 6.3 Centroamerica Internacional, u.d.
- 6.4 Derechos Humanos en Centroamerica, 1982

- 6.5 Dialogo, 1981
- 6.6 LUCHA: Christian Response to Military Repression in Chile, 1976-1978
- 6.7 LUCHA: Christian Response to Military Repression in Chile, 1978
- 6.8 LUCHA Struggle: A Journal of Christian Reflection on Struggles for Liberation, 1981-1989

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- 7.1 LUCHA Struggle: A Journal of Christian Reflection on Struggles for Liberation, 1989-1990
- 7.2 LUCHA Struggle: A Journal of Christian Reflection on Struggles for Liberation, 1990-1992
- 7.3 Nicaraguan Perspectives, 1981-1990
- 7.4 Our Socialism: Charter Issue, 1983

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**Subseries f: Other Publications, 1975-1994**

- 8.1 CARECEN Press Release, u.d.
- 8.2 CISPES Documents, 1980-1986
- 8.3 CISPES Memorandum, 1981-1983
- 8.4 CODEH: Balance Semestral de la Situación de los Derechos Humanos en Honduras, 1983
- 8.5 Correspondence between Mayor Tom Bradley & David C. Aroner, 1982
- 8.6 Electoral Democracy under International Pressure, 1990
- 8.7 The Electoral Process in Nicaragua..., 1984
- 8.8 El Rescate, 1989-1990

- 8.9 El Salvador on the Threshold of a Democratic Revolutionary Victory, 1981
- 8.10 El Salvador & Nicaragua Informational Flyers, u.d.
- 8.11 FMLN/FDR, 1981-1983
- 8.12 Foreign Affairs of FSLN, 1981
- 8.13 Guatemala Report, 1972-1975
- 8.14 Honduras Update, 1988
- 8.15 In the Backyard by Gunter Grass, 1982
- 8.16 La Hora de Asesinar a Sandino, 1978
- 8.17 Peace Vigil Nicaragua Scrapbook, 1983
- 8.18 Peace Vigil Nicaragua Reference Material, 1983

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- 9.1 Boletín N1 comites de Madres Colomoncagua, 1984
- 9.2 Photocopied Articles & Magazine Clippings, 1978-1989
- 9.3 Mexico-U.S. Border Conference in Solidarity w/ El Salvador, 1982
- 9.4 National Labor Committee in Support of Democracy and Human Rights in El Salvador, 1983
- 9.5 Newspaper Photocopies, 1978-1994
- 9.6 Nicali by George Hodson, u.d.
- 9.7 Nicaragua: Guernica of America by Ron Ridenour, 1978
- 9.8 Nicaragua: The Struggle for History, 1982
- 9.9 Radio Venceramos, 1989
- 9.10 Report on Guatemala, 1987
- 9.11 Second National Conference on Nicaragua, 1979



- 9.12 Special Update-Latin America, 1983
- 9.13 Solidaridad con Nicaragua, 1978
- 9.14 Testimonies of the Sumpul River Massacre, 1980
- 9.15 Vanguardia, 1975

**Series II: Political Graphics, 1976-1989**

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**Subseries a: Posters, 1976-1989**

2º Encuentro del Comité Ejecutivo Del Frente Mundial de Solidaridad Con El Pueblo Salvadoreño, 1982

3er Son por Nicaragua, 1988

Campamento Internacional por la paz, 1984

Celebrate and Defend the Nicaraguan Revolution, 1981

Queremos el Apoyo Mundial, Queremos Aprender a Leer y Escribir. Nicaragua Confia en Tu Ayuda, u.d.

El Salvador: El Pueblo Vencera, u.d.

¡Vencera! El Pueblo de El Salvador ¡Vencera! u.d.

El Salvador, Another Vietnam, u.d.

Ernesto Cardenal from O'Hour, u.d.

Ernesto Cardenal from O'Hour (inverse), u.d.

Ernesto Cardenal, 1977

¡ Estos Son Los Candidatos Del Pueblo!, u.d.

Flores Para Nicaragua, 1979

Guatemala, the Unnatural Disaster, 1981

Roque Dalton, u.d.

Roque Dalton, Homenaje a Roque Dalton, 1978

Homenaje A/Homage To...Sandino, u.d.

Homenaje a Sandino en solidaridad con el pueblo de Nicaragua, u.d.

Humanitarian Aid for Nicaraguan Democracy, u.d.

Ma Maki Payahlana, u.d.

March: Month of Archbishop Romero and the Christians Martyrs of the Liberation, u.d.

Mujer Salvadoreña En Lucha de Liberacion, u.d.

National Week of Solidarity with the People of Nicaragua, Self-Determination for the People of Nicaragua, (2) u.d.

Nicaragua, u.d.

Nicaragua-Patria Libre o Morir, 1979

Noticias de Guatemala, III Aniversario, u.d.

¡Presente! "Comandante Ana Maria" Melida Anaya Montes, 1983

Sandino ayer, Sandino hoy... ¡Sandino Siempre!, u.d.

Support El Frente Sandinista FSLN, u.d.

Wanted, Nicaragua's Hangman Anastasio Somoza D, u.d.

We'll break their chains and set them free, Literacy is Liberation, u.d.

Women in Arms, Mujeres en Armas, u.d.

Voices of Justice and Solidarity for Guatemala, 1989

Y Tu, Pequeña Nica..., u.d.

**Box 11**

19 de enero, Once años de impulsar la Guerra Popular  
Revolucionaria, 1983

Antonio Turok, Nicaragua, 1984

Carlos Fonseca Amador, 1976

Centroamerica ha dicho: ¡BASTA!, u.d.

El Salvador, El Pueblo Vencera, u.d.

El Salvador Vencera!, u.d.

Jornada contra la penetracion imperialista en las universidades,  
u.d.

UES, La Lucha por Un Presupuesto Justo, 1988

Nicaragua, 1979 1989 Diez años de cooperación con la Solidaridad  
Internacional, 1989

No Vietnam in El Salvador, 1981

References, u.d.

Solidaridad Internacional con Nicaragua, u.d.

The Assassination of Archbishop Oscar Arnulfo Romero of El  
Salvador, 1984

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### **Subseries b: Oversized posters, 1988**

F.S.L.N. Sandino, u.d.

Nora, Guerrillera...Embajadora de la paz y la vida, Heroína de la  
patria, 1988

Stop U.S. intervention in El Salvador, u.d.