LOBERO ROOM, UCEN

2:00-4:30 PM

OUR FIRST GUEST SEMINAR
IN CELEBRATION
OF SPANISH AND LATIN AMERICAN LITERATURES
AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA

LUCÉ LOPEZ BARALT, UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO
“EL TAL DE SHAIBEDRAA”
EXPLORING UNEXPECTED NUANCES OF CERVANTES’ NAME AND ITS LINKS TO THE FRONTIERS BETWEEN CHRISTIANITY AND ISLAM

ARTURO ECHAVARRIA, UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO
“LA MISTICÁ JUDÍA EN TIEMPOS DE CRISIS: LA CABALA Y EL HASIDISMO EN ‘LA MUERTE Y LA BRUJULA’ DE JORGE LUIS BORGES”
A SHORT STORY REVEALS SURPRISING USES OF JEWISH MYSTIC TRADITIONS

Sponsored by the Department of Spanish and Portuguese
(Food and Beverages provided between lectures)

TWO OF THE MOST DISTINGUISHED PROFESSORS IN THE FIELDS OF HISPANIC AND LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES TODAY WILL SHARE BOTH THEIR ACADEMIC WORK AND AN INFORMAL CONVERSATION ABOUT THEIR OWN CREATIVE WRITING.