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May 4-8, 2015
La Habana, Cuba

‘Geociencias 2015’: 4th Cuban Conference of the Earth Sciences; 12th Cuban Conference of Informatics for the Geo-Sciences; 11th Cuban Conference of Geology; 8th Cuban Conference of Geophysics; 6th Cuban Conference of Mining; 5th Cuban Conference of Petroleum and Gas

Cuban Society of Geology
Website http://www.cubacienciasdelatierra.com
Contact geociencias@mnhnc.inf.cu

May 5-7, 2015
St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago

Caribbean Forum on Post-2015 Development in the Caribbean: “New Pathways to Strengthen Resilience and Underpin Sustainable Development in the Caribbean”

United Nations Development Program; SALISES UWI-St. Augustine
Contact hmic.tt@undp.org

May 12-16, 2015
St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago

Commemorative Conference: “The Indian Diaspora: Identities, Trajectories and Transnationalities”

UWI-St. Augustine
Webpage https://sta.uwi.edu/news/notices/notice.asp?id=2369
Contact ttindiandiasporaconference@sta.uwi.edu

May 13-15, 2015
Montego Bay, Jamaica

Conference on Technical Vocational Education and Training (TVET): “Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Education in TVET: Imperative to National and Regional Development”

School of Education, UWI-Mona; Univ. of Technology; HEART Trust/NTA; Caribbean Association of National Training Agencies (CANTA); UNESCO-Kingston Office
Website http://www.soeconferences.com/TVET
Contact sonia.roberts@uwimona.edu.jm or nickodaworghs@uwimona.edu.jm

May 17-21, 2015
Nassau, The Bahamas

47th Annual ACH Conference

Association of Caribbean Historians (ACH)
Website http://www.associationofcaribbeanhistorians.org
Contact Michelle Craig McDonald at achsecretary@gmail.com

May 17-22, 2015
Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago

20th Caribbean Geological Conference

Geological Society of Trinidad and Tobago (GSTT); UWI Seismic Research Centre
Webpage http://sta.uwi.edu/news/ecalendar/event.asp?id=2222
Contact gstt@tstt.net.tt
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May 18-20, 2015
Santiago, Cuba
7th International Conference on Integrated Management of Coastal Zones ‘CARICOSTAS 2015’:
“Integration for the Management of Risks in Coastal Zones”
*Center of Multidisciplinary Studies of Coastal Zones, Univ. de Oriente*
Contact [caricostas@cemzoc.uo.edu.cu](mailto:caricostas@cemzoc.uo.edu.cu) or [ofelia@csh.uo.edu.cu](mailto:ofelia@csh.uo.edu.cu)

May 18-22, 2015
La Habana, Cuba
5th International Colloquium: “Cultural Diversity in the Caribbean”
*Casa de las Américas*
Contact Yolanda Wood at [seccaribe@casa.cult.cu](mailto:seccaribe@casa.cult.cu)

May 20-22, 2015
La Habana, Cuba
8th International Colloquium on Research of African-derived Religions
*Cuban Institute of Anthropology*
Contact [coloquioican8@ican.cu](mailto:coloquioican8@ican.cu) or [ican@ceniai.inf.cu](mailto:ican@ceniai.inf.cu)

May 21-25, 2015
San Juan, Puerto Rico
65th Annual Conference of ICA: “Communication across the Life Span”
*International Communication Association (ICA)*
Website [https://www.icahdq.org](https://www.icahdq.org)
Contact Amy Jordan at [ajordan@asc.upenn.edu](mailto:ajordan@asc.upenn.edu) or Michael L. Haley at [mhaley@icahdq.org](mailto:mhaley@icahdq.org)

May 25-28, 2015
La Habana, Cuba
8th International Conference for Renewable Energy, Energy Saving and Energy Education ‘CIER 2015’
*Centro for the Study of Renewable Energy Technology (CETER); CubaSolar; INEL*
Website [http://www.ciercuba.com](http://www.ciercuba.com)
Contact Tania Carbonell Morales at [taniac@ceter.cujae.edu.cu](mailto:taniac@ceter.cujae.edu.cu) or [cier@ceter.cujae.edu.cu](mailto:cier@ceter.cujae.edu.cu)

May 25-29, 2015
New Orleans, Louisiana, USA
*Caribbean Studies Association (CSA)*
Website [http://www.caribbeanstudiesassociation.org](http://www.caribbeanstudiesassociation.org)
Contact Karen Flynn or Keithley Woolward at [program.chair@caribbeanstudiesassociation.org](mailto:program.chair@caribbeanstudiesassociation.org)

May 27-29, 2015
Cave Hill, Barbados
International Symposium: “Translating Creolization”
*Department of Language, Linguistics and Literature, UWI-Cave Hill*
Contact ian.craig@cavehill.uwi.edu or desrine.bogle@cavehill.uwi.edu
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May 27-29, 2015
Mona, Jamaica
HRD Graduate Programmes 20th Anniversary Conference: “Raising the Profile of Human Resource Development: Promoting Organisational Transformation”
*Human Resource Development Graduate Programmes Unit, UWI-Mona*
Webpage [http://myspot.mona.uwi.edu/marcom/ecalendar/events/5516](http://myspot.mona.uwi.edu/marcom/ecalendar/events/5516)
Contact olivene.thomas@uwimona.edu.jm

May 27-30, 2015
San Juan, Puerto Rico
33rd International Congress of LASA: “Precariousness, Exclusions, Emergence”
*Latin American Studies Association (LASA)*
Website [http://lasa.international.pitt.edu/eng/congress/index.asp](http://lasa.international.pitt.edu/eng/congress/index.asp)
Contact lasacong@pitt.edu

May 28-29, 2015
Mona, Jamaica
25th Nursing and Midwifery Research Conference: “Providing Evidence for People-Centered Care”
*School of Nursing, Faculty of Medical Sciences, UWI-Mona*
Webpage [http://www.mona.uwi.edu/nursing/content/research-conference-2015-flyer](http://www.mona.uwi.edu/nursing/content/research-conference-2015-flyer)
Contact janeil.brown02@uwimona.edu.jm

May 31 - June 2, 2015
Montego Bay, Jamaica
35th Annual Caribbean Insurance Conference
*Insurance Association of the Caribbean; LIMRA; LOMA*
Website [http://iac-caribbean.com/about-cic](http://iac-caribbean.com/about-cic)
Contact info@iac-caribbean.com

June 1-4, 2015
Cave Hill, Barbados
2015 Biennial Conference of the UWI Schools of Education: “Transforming Education: New Frameworks and Alliances”
*The Schools of Education of the three physical campuses of The University of the West Indies (UWI)*
Contact marcia.downes@cavehill.uwi.edu or stacey.blackman@cavehill.uwi.edu

June 7-11, 2015
Paramaribo, Suriname
45th Annual ACURIL Conference: “Collaborative Continuing Education”
*Association of Caribbean University, Research and Institutional Libraries (ACURIL)*
Website [http://acuril.uprrp.edu](http://acuril.uprrp.edu)
Contact Stella Pollack-Leeflang at pollacklettys@live.com

June 9-11, 2015
Caracas, Venezuela
15th UCB History Conference: “Two-hundred Years since the Letter from Jamaica [by Simon Bolivar]”
*Hermann González Oropeza Institute of Historical Research; Center for Research and Education in the Humanities, Andres Bello Catholic Univ. (UCAB)*
Contact Tomás Straka at tstraka@ucab.edu.ve or Agustín Moreno Molina at agmoreno@ucab.edu.ve
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June 10-12, 2015
Castries, St. Lucia
5th Annual Caribbean Urban Forum ‘CUF5’: “Island System Planning”
Faculty of Engineering, UWI St. Augustine; Caribbean Network for Urban and Land Management (CNULM) et al.
Website http://bluespacecaribbean.com/cuf/cuf5
Contact cufinslu2015@gmail.com or info@bluespacecaribbean.com

June 10-12, 2015
Barranquilla, Colombia
2nd International Conference on Reading and Writing in Global Society
Universidad del Norte
Contact congresoloye@uninorte.edu.co or decastro@uninorte.edu.co

June 10-13, 2015
Black Rock, Tobago, Trinidad and Tobago
18th Annual CTLPA Conference: “Collaborating, Networking, Creating and Committed to Higher Education in the Caribbean”
Caribbean Tertiary Level Personnel Association (CTLPA)
Website http://www.myctlpa.org
Contact ctlpahq@gmail.com

June 11-12, 2015
Paris, France
Conference: “Exploring Change in Cuba: Invention, Innovation, Renewal, Renovation and New Integrations—Towards an Understanding of the Process in Europe”
School for Advanced Studies in the Social Sciences (EHESS) et al.
Contact conf.cubaparis2015@gmail.com

June 16-18, 2015
La Habana, Cuba
8th Annual Design Congress ‘FORMA 2015’: “Meaningful Design” [creative industries]
Higher Institute of Design (ISDI), Cuba
Website http://www.formahabana.com
Contact forma@isdi.co.cu

June 18-21, 2015
Riviera Maya, Quintana Roo, Mexico
12th Annual Meeting of CPA: “Shifting the Geography of Reason XII—Technologies of Liberation”
Caribbean Philosophical Association (CPA)
Website http://www.caribbeanphilosophicalassociation.org or http://caribphil.org
Contact caribphil@gmail.com or Lewis Gordon at lewgord@gmail.com

June 19-23, 2015
Charles Town, Portland, Jamaica
7th International Maroon Convention: “Maroons, Indigenous Peoples, and Indigeneity”
Charles Town Maroon Community
Webpage http://call-for-papers.sas.upenn.edu/node/61596
Contact charlestownmaroonconference@gmail.com or fbotkin@towson.edu
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June 24-26, 2015
St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago
Regional Higher Education Conference: “Institutionalising Best Practice in Higher Education”
Quality Assurance Unit and Centres for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, UWI
Contact bestpractices@sta.uwi.edu or alysha.deonanan@sta.uwi.edu

June 25-26, 2015
Nassau, The Bahamas
10th International Conference on e-Learning ‘ICEL 2015’
College of the Bahamas; Academic Conferences and Publishing International Ltd. (ACPIL) (UK)
Contact dan.remenyi@academic-publishing.org or charl@academic-conferences.org

June 25-27, 2015
Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago
33rd Annual ICAC Conference
Institute of Chartered Accountants of the Caribbean (ICAC); Institute of Chartered Accountants of Trinidad and Tobago (ICATT)
Website http://icatt.org/system or http://www.icac.org.jm
Contact icatt@tstt.net.tt

June 25-27, 2015
La Habana, Cuba
1st International Colloquium of Historians: “Present Challenges for Historiography: Cuba and America in the World”
The Union of Historians of Cuba (UNHIC)
Contact José Márquez Fariñas at historiadores@cubarte.cult.cu

June 29-July 2, 2015
Christ Church, Barbados
30th CARALL AGM: “Train the Trainer: Reflecting, Re-energising and Re-tooling for the Future”
Caribbean Association of Law Libraries (CARALL)
Contact thomas.borkowski@harneys.com

July 1-3, 2015
Birmingham, England, UK
39th Annual SCS Conference
Society for Caribbean Studies (SCS)
Website http://www.caribbeanstudies.org.uk
Contact Anyaa Anim-Addo at societyforcaribbeanstudies@gmail.com

July 3-5, 2015
Wollongong, New South Wales, Australia
11th Biennial Conference of AACS: “Land & Water”
Australian Association for Caribbean Studies (AACS); Wollongong University
Contact Anne Collett at acolett@uow.edu.au
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**July 6-10, 2015**
**True Blue, Grenada**
*Association of Caribbean Social Work Educators (ACSWE); UWI-Open Campus*
Website [http://caribbeansocialwork.org](http://caribbeansocialwork.org) or [http://www.cswe.org](http://www.cswe.org)
Contact acswe2014@gmail.com

**July 6-10, 2015**
**La Habana, Cuba**
**10th Conference on Environment and Development: “For an Equitable, Prosperous and Peaceful Future”**
*The Environmental Agency of the Ministry of Science, Technology and Environment*
Website [http://www.cubambiente.com](http://www.cubambiente.com)
Contact Gisela Alonso Domínguez at convencion@ama.cu

**July 8-10, 2015**
**San José, Costa Rica**
**CALACS 2015: “Critical Pan-Americanisms — Solidarities, Resistances, Territories”**
*Canadian Association of Latin American and Caribbean Studies (CALACS); Faculty of Social Sciences, Univ. of Costa Rica; Latin American Social Sciences Institute (FLACSO)*
Contact congress@can-latam.org

**July 9-11, 2015**
**St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago**
**14th Annual ACHEA Conference**
*Association of Caribbean Higher Education Administrators (ACHEA)*
Website [http://sta.uwi.edu/ACHEA](http://sta.uwi.edu/ACHEA)
Contact achea@sta.uwi.edu

**July 13-16, 2015**
**Liverpool, England, UK**
**Conference: “Trans-Atlantic Dialogues on Cultural Heritage: Heritage, Tourism and Traditions”**
*Ironbridge International Institute for Cultural Heritage (IIICH); Univ. of Birmingham; Collaborative for Cultural Heritage Management and Policy (CHAMP), Univ. of Illinois*
Weblog [https://transatlanticdialogues.wordpress.com](https://transatlanticdialogues.wordpress.com)
Contact Mike Robinson at ironbridge@contacts.bham.ac.uk

**July 15-17, 2015**
**Tenerife, Canary Islands, Spain**
**16th International Congress of Hispanic Literatures (CILH)**
Website [http://www.lhup.edu/CILH](http://www.lhup.edu/CILH)
Contact Enrique Herrera at eherrera@lhup.edu

**July 19-25, 2015**
**Maho Reef, St. Maarten**
**26th Congress of Caribbean Archaeology**
*International Association for Caribbean Archaeology (IACA)*
Contact Jay B. Haviser at jhaviser@hotmail.com
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July 22-25, 2015
Ibarra and La Concepción, Ecuador
International Symposium on Black Women in Latin America and the Caribbean: “Listen to My Voice and Convey My Feelings”
Association of American Studies of the Province of Asturias, Spain; Carchi chapter of the National Coordinating Body of Black Women, Ecuador
Website http://aeapa.es/mujeres
Contact simposiomujeres@aeapa.es

July 29 - August 1, 2014
Miami, Florida, USA
25th Annual Meeting of ASCE
Association for the Study of the Cuban Economy (ASCE)
Website: http://www.ascecuba.org
Contact Jorge Pérez López at asce@ascecuba.org

August 9-14, 2015
St. Croix, US Virgin Islands
31st West Indies Agricultural Economic Conference: “Mitigating Climate Change Effects to Ensure Food Security”
Caribbean Agricultural Economic Society (CAES); UWI; Univ. of the Virgin Islands
Website http://www.caestt.com
Contact info@caestt.com or caesconference@gmail.com

September 6-8, 2015
St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago
Conference: “Seepersad & Sons: Naipaulian Creative Synergies”
Friends of Mr. Biswas; Dept. of Literary, Cultural and Communication Studies, UWI-St. Augustine
Webpage http://call-for-papers.sas.upenn.edu/node/60678
Contact threenaipaulconference@gmail.com or jvijaymaharaj@gmail.com

September 7-9, 2015
La Habana, Cuba
International Colloquium: “Integration in Latin America and the Caribbean: Historical Alternatives and Present Perspectives, 200 Years since the Letter from Jamaica by Simón Bolívar”
Cuban section of the Association of Latin American and Caribbean Historians (ADHILAC); Bolivarian Chair of the Univ. of Havana, Cuba
Contact Sergio Guerra Vilaboy, serguev@ach.ohc.cu or info@adhilac.com.ar

September 8-10, 2015
San José, Costa Rica
International Colloquium: “Between Literature and Medicine: Transatlantic Narratives of Disease”
Wilhelm and Alexander Von Humboldt Chair, Univ. of Costa Rica
Webpage https://rediscablog.wordpress.com/2015/04/05/coloquio-internacional-entre-literatura-y-medicina-narrativas-transatlanticas-de-la-enfermedad
Contact coloquio.literatura.medicina@gmail.com or Karen Poe Lang at k.poe.lang@gmail.com
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September 9-11, 2015
Barranquilla, Colombia
Contemporary Caribbean Visual Cultures Conference: “Envisioning the Futures of Emancipation and the Emancipation of Futures”
Univ. del Atlántico; Univ. of Birmingham; Univ. de Lisboa
Contact caribbeanvisualcultureconf@gmail.com

September 17-19, 2015
Arlington, Texas, USA
16th Annual Graduate Student Conference on Transatlantic History
Transatlantic Student Organization, Univ. of Texas
Webpage http://transatlantic-history.org/16th-annual-conference-on-transatlantic-history
Contact christopher.malmberg@mavs.uta.edu

September 30 – October 2, 2015
Kingston, Jamaica
Caribbean Youth Development Conference 2015: “Youth Post 2015—Directions for Sustainable Development in the Caribbean”
SALISES UWI-Mona
Webpage https://salises50youth.wordpress.com/cydc-2015
Contact terriann.gilbertroberts@uwimona.edu.jm

October 1-3, 2015
Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Conference: “The Pan-Guyanese Highway: Cayenne-Georgetown-Paramaribo”
The 3-G Network; Univ. of Amsterdam
Contact kathleen.gyssels@uantwerpen.be or M.H.G.vanKempen@uva.nl

October 1-3, 2015
San Juan, Puerto Rico
33rd Annual West Indian Literature Conference: “Reflections on West Indian Literatures and Cultures”
Faculty of Humanities, Univ. of Puerto Rico at Río Piedras
Webpage http://www.westindianconference2015.org
Contact submissions@westindianconference2015.org or mirerza.gonzalez1@upr.edu

October 7-9, 2015
Frigate Bay, St. Kitts and Nevis
12th Annual Conference of CANQATE: “Quality Assurance and Socioeconomic Development in a Global Environment: Regional and International Perspectives”
Caribbean Area Network for Quality Assurance in Tertiary Education (CANQATE); St. Kitts and Nevis Accreditation Board; Ministry of Education
Website http://www.canqate.org

October 8-10, 2015
Montreal, Quebec, Canada
Symposium: “Canada-Quebec-Caribbean: Trans-American Connections”
Canadian Pole of the Institute of the Americas; Centre for International Studies and Research, Univ. of Montreal; Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Univ. of Montreal
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October 8-10, 2015  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin, USA  
25th Annual Congress of AILCFH: “Equality, Difference, Inclusion”  
*International Association of Hispanic Women’s Literature and Culture (AILCFH); Marquette Univ.*  
Contact ailcfh25@gmail.com

October 13-15, 2015  
La Habana, Cuba  
*Institute of Cuban History*  
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October 14-17, 2015  
Hannover, Germany  
Conference: “Reshaping (G)local Dynamics of the Caribbean: Relations and Disconnections”  
*Society for Caribbean Research (SoCaRe)*  
Website [http://www.caribbeanresearch.net/en/content/international-interdisciplinary-socare-conference-call-papers](http://www.caribbeanresearch.net/en/content/international-interdisciplinary-socare-conference-call-papers)  
Contact Anja Bandau at bandau@romanistik.phil.uni-hannover.de

October 14-17, 2015  
Kingston, Jamaica  
3rd Biennial Rex Nettleford Arts Conference: “Growing the Arts: Breaking Boundaries”  
*Edna Manley College of the Visual and Performing Arts; National Gallery of Jamaica*  
Website [http://www.emcartsconference.org](http://www.emcartsconference.org)  
Contact Keino Senior or Simone Harris at emcartsconference@emc.edu.jm

October 15-17, 2015  
Richmond, Virginia, USA  
4th Conference on Ethnicity, Race, and Indigenous Peoples (ERIP) in Latin America and the Caribbean  
*ERIP; Virginia Commonwealth University; Latin American and Caribbean Ethnic Studies Journal*  
Website [http://erip.vcu.edu](http://erip.vcu.edu)  
Contact ERIP2015@vcu.edu

October 16-18, 2015  
La Habana, Cuba  
International Meeting for Interfaith Dialogue and World Peace  
*Cuban Interreligious Platform*  
Website [http://www.interreligiosocuba.com](http://www.interreligiosocuba.com)  
Contact Enrique Alemán Gutiérrez at quiscuaba@cubarte.cult.cu

October 21-24, 2015  
Montreal, Quebec, Canada  
*Haitian Studies Association (HSA)*  
Website [http://www.umb.edu/haitianstudies/conference](http://www.umb.edu/haitianstudies/conference)  
Contact marc.prou@umb.edu or hsa@umb.edu
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October 2015 [exact dates to be announced]
Mona, Jamaica
Social History Project, Dept. of History and Archaeology, UWI-Mona
Webpage http://www.mona.uwi.edu/history/call-papers-morant-bay-rebellion
Contact shpmona@gmail.com or matthewjordansmith@gmail.com

October 2015 [exact dates to be announced]
Port-au-Prince, Haiti
Colloquium: “Transnational Hispaniola III: Theories into Practices”
Faculty of Ethnology, State Univ. of Haiti
Contact Kiran Jayaram at transnationalhisp@joli@gmail.com

November 4-6, 2015
Schoelcher, Martinique
International Conference: “What is Postcolonial Thought?”
Université de les Antilles et de la Guyane-Schoelcher
Webpage http://univ-ag.academia.edu/RodolpheSolbiac
Contact Rodolphe.Solbiac@martinique.univ-ag.fr, alexandre.alaric@wanadoo.fr, dominiqueaurilia@hotmail.com, or olivier.pulvar@hotmail.fr

November 4-6, 2015
Kingston, Jamaica
Caribbean Child Development Centre; UNICEF; et al.
Contact Krystal Lawrence at childconferenceresearch@gmail.com

November 4-8, 2015
St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago
3rd AHEC Congress: “History of Investment in the Caribbean”
Caribbean Economic History Association (AHEC); UWI-St. Augustine
Weblog http://ahec.uji.es/es/ahec/noticias/2014/11/24/iii-congreso-internacional-de-la-ahec-1
Contact jose.piqueras@uji.es, jvcon@mora.edu.mx, ccwik@sta.uwi.edu or ahecaribe@gmail.com

November 5-6, 2015
Nassau, The Bahamas
2015 CRCA Conference on Compliance, Financial Services and Anti-Money Laundering
Caribbean Regional Compliance Association (CRCA)
Website http://www.crcaconference.com
Contact Ulrich De la Paz at contact@accur.info or the conference managers at information@springstreet.ca

November 25-27, 2015
La Habana, Cuba
9th International Conference ‘Linguistics 2015’
‘José Antonio Portuondo Valdor’ Institute of Literature and Linguistics
Website http://www.ill.cu
Contact Lidia Santana González at gigi@ill.cu
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November 30 - December 4, 2015  
Nassau, The Bahamas  
9th Caribbean Conference on Comprehensive Disaster Management: “The Road to Resilience—CDM Checkpoint 2015”  
Caribbean Disaster Emergency Management Agency (CDEMA)  
Website http://www.cdema.org  
Contact stacy.harris@cdema.org

December 2-4, 2015  
Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago  
25th Annual CAA Conference: “Risk, Recovery and Real Growth”  
Caribbean Actuarial Association (CAA)  
Contact Lisa Wade at president@caa.com.bb

January 25-28, 2016  
La Habana, Cuba  
2nd International Conference “With All and for the Good of All”  
UNESCO’s José Martí Project of International Solidarity et al.  
Website http://www.porebiendetodos.com  
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