This special meeting will feature panel presentations and discussion focusing on Intra-Latino/a identity. The recent appointment of “wise Latina” Sonia Sotomayor to the U.S. Supreme Court provides a timely way to introduce the subject of Intra-Latino/a dialogue. Each of our experiences as a Latino/a differs, whether our roots are in Sonora, Puerto Rico, Argentina, East LA, or elsewhere. What brings us together? What is the nexus that creates any kind of shared identity? How do our commonalities and differences inform and enrich our work?

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Please join us to explore these important questions and how they apply to you or others.

Speakers will be Luis Fraga, Associate Vice Provost for Faculty Advancement; and Carolyn Pinedo-Turnovsky, Visiting Assistant Professor, American Ethnic Studies.

First time LFSUW attendees are eligible for door prizes! Please contact Tina Aguilar (aguilar@u.washington.edu or 3-2562) if you are able to attend.