



Invitation

Brazil's "Emergence" on the Global Scene - opportunities and challenges for Danish universities

AAU Seminar March 2. 2011 12.00-15.40: Fibigerstræde 3, Room 35.

This afternoon meeting of scholars, business and the Brazilian Embassy aims at presenting and discussing views on the characteristics and significance of Brazil's recent economic and social development successes and its growing influence on global governance as well as its role in Latin America.

A second aim is to debate cooperation possibilities between universities, industry and the Brazilian Embassy.

After the thematic program AAU representatives, Danish Industry and the Brazilian Embassy will have a dialogue on future collaboration and joint initiatives.

Program

12.00-12.55	Lunch
13.00-13.05	Welcome
13.05-13.35:	Presentation and debate: Brazil's View on the developing New Global Order and its present and future role in Global Governance? <i>Brazil's Ambassador in Denmark, Gonçalo Mello Mourão</i>
13.35-14.05:	Presentation and debate: Brazil's Global Role and International Politics. <i>Associate Professor, Political Science AU, Jørgen Dige Pedersen</i>
14.05-14.30:	Break Coffee/Tea and cake
14.30-15.00:	Presentation and debate: Danish Industry and Danish Business in Brazil/Latin America in the context of Brazil's/Latin America's recent development success. <i>Our Man in Brazil (OMIB), Danish Industry, Per Lerdrup-Olsen</i>
15.00-15.30:	Presentation and debate Brazil's Role in Latin America. <i>Associate Professor, Department of Culture and Global Studies AAU, Steen Fryba Christensen</i>
15.30-15.40:	Presentation Latin American Center at AAU. <i>Dean of Humanities, AAU, Lone Dirckinck-Holmfeldt</i>

15.40-16.00: Debate Cooperation between Universities, Industry, Brazilian Embassy.

16.10-16.50 Closed meeting between Danish Industry, Brazilian Embassy, Aalborg University

Planning group at AAU:

SIS (Sprog og Internationale Studier), DIR (Development and International Relations), Latin American Centre.

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Yours sincerely

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