C-SPAN to cover panel on the Latino vote and the 2014 Elections

Three of the nation’s leading scholars on Latino voting patterns will participate in a panel discussion titled, *American Politics in the 21st Century: The Latino Vote and the 2014 Elections* on February 5, 2014 at the University of Notre Dame’s McKenna Hall Auditorium. The event is sponsored by Multicultural Student Programs and Services’ Building Bridges Lecture Series, the Institute for Latino Studies, and the Rooney Center for the Study of American Democracy. Notre Dame’s Christina Wolbrecht will moderate the three-person panel consisting of Michael Jones-Correa (Cornell), Valerie Martinez-Ebers (North Texas), and Ricardo Ramirez (Notre Dame).


Influence the Presidential Election,” “Political Protest, Ethnic Media and Latino Naturalization,” and “Latinos during the 2006 Immigration Protest Rallies.”

Christina Wolbrecht, PhD is the author of The Politics of Women's Rights: Parties, Positions, and Change (2000), which received the 2001 Leon D. Epstein Outstanding Book Award from the Political Organizations and Parties Section of the APSA, and co-editor (with Rodney E. Hero) of The Politics of Democratic Inclusion (2005) and (with Karen Beckwith and Lisa Baldez) of Political Women and American Democracy (2008). She is currently engaged in several collaborative projects: Using new ecological inference techniques to investigate women's voting behavior after suffrage, examining the impact of public policy debates on attitudes about homosexuality, and explaining the changing positions of the American political parties on education policy.

The event will be televised by C-SPAN as part of its February programming. It is free and open to the public.

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