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## **Colombian Studies Institute**

Cordially invite you to a colloquium with

### **Bela Henríquez**

Member

Hijos e hijas por la memoria y contra la impunidad

### **“Afro-Colombian Human Rights”**

**Monday, November 2, 2009 | 9:00 a.m.**

Modesto Maidique Campus

FIU Green Library, Room 220

Bela Henríquez is an Afro-Colombian activist from Santa Marta, Colombia. She is a member of Hijos e hijas por la memoria y contra la impunidad (Sons and Daughters for Memory and against Impunity). Hijos e hijas represents many young people whose parents have been casualties of the Colombian conflict. Ms. Henríquez is engaged in a number of efforts for peace and justice for Afro-Colombians. Part of her work focuses on Afro-Colombian and indigenous territories and ensuring that those who have been killed during the conflict in Santa Marta are not forgotten. Ms. Henríquez graduated with a degree in Biology from the Universidad Distrital in Bogota.

Event will be in Spanish

Event is free and open to the public

For more information and to RSVP call 305-348-2894

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