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# ILAIS SUMMER MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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**THE CATHOLIC  
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Institute for  
Latin American  
and Iberian Studies

# MEXICAN POLITICIANS VISIT CATHOLICU, VIEW 'PLAN DE IGUALA'

On May 25, a group of Mexican politicians led by Leticia Lopez, former congresswoman and incumbent mayor of Cordoba, visited Catholic University to see the Plan de Iguala, a rare document dated from 1822 that declares Mexican independence from Spain. Also known as the Plan of The Three Guarantees or Act of Independence, the Plan de Iguala arrived at the University Archives in 1957. The Provost Office, University Libraries Special Collections, Office of Global Strategies, and Institute for Latin American and Iberian Studies (ILAIS) co-hosted the event.



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Visit our website to learn more about this event:

[ilais.catholic.edu/news](https://ilais.catholic.edu/news)

# FACULTY POSITION OPENING

## *Columbus School of Law Tenure-Track Faculty, ILAIS*

Catholic Law seeks to fill one tenure-track faculty position to begin in Fall 2021 or Spring 2022. This position is for a qualified entry-level candidate interested in serving as a full member of the law school's faculty while also collaborating with, and making a distinctive contribution to, the University's Institute for Latin American and Iberian Studies (ILAIS).

### *What are the requirements?*

- J.D. or equivalent
- Superior academic credentials
- Competence to teach in any natural areas of fit with ILAIS
- Relevant professional experience

### *How do I apply?*

- Necessary materials: Letter of Interest, CV, Letter(s) of Recommendation, Sample Publications, Research Agenda, Personal Statement



To learn more about this opportunity, click the link below:  
<https://provost.catholic.edu/faculty-positions/index.html>



# COURSE ANNOUNCEMENT

*Application Deadline: July 11th, 2021*



## PORTUGUESE LANGUAGE PROGRAM

### EXPERIMENTING BEYOND

Our Regular Portuguese Course is free of charge and offered during the semester on three (03) different levels:

Basic



Intermediate



Advanced

Due to the pandemic scenario, classes are going to be held through Microsoft Teams.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021, at 11:45 pm (Brasilia Time Zone).**



The Pontifical Catholic University of Paraná (PUCPR), a partner university of ILAIS in Brazil, is offering a FREE Portuguese course to all Catholic University students! The program takes place from August 2nd-December 3rd.

Our CUA SOL Members enrolled last semester and had a great experience - visit the ILAIS website to learn more about this unique opportunity!

# ILAIS Team



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