“Not Legal, Not Leaving”
The Immigration Reform Quagmire from 1986 to 2016
Thursday, March 31, 2016
9:15 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
Cheng Library Auditorium

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Introduction

9:30-10:45 a.m.
Panel 1: Immigration Reform Since 1986
Rodolfo de la Garza, Professor, Department of Political Science, Columbia University
Lori Nessel, Professor of Law and Director of Seton Hall University School of Law’s Center for Social Justice
Karol Ruiz, board member of the Wind of the Spirit Immigrant Resource Center and immigration attorney at Diaspora Law
Moderator: Ryan Rebe, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, William Paterson University

11:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m.
Panel 2: State and Local Approaches to Immigrant Policy
Mara Sidney, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Rutgers University - Newark
Stephen Ruszczyk, Adjunct Professor, Department of Sociology and Latin American and Latino Studies, City College CUNY
Jackie Vimo, Director of Regional Advocacy, New York Immigration Coalition and PhD candidate, The New School
Marisol Conde-Hernandez, Marsha Wenk Public Interest Law Fellow at the Rutgers School of Law-Newark
Moderator: Arnold Lewis, Chair, Department of Political Science, William Paterson University

2:00-3:15 p.m.
Panel 3: Immigrant Political Activism
Alyshia Gálvez, Associate Professor, Director of the Jaime Lucero Mexican Studies Institute, Lehman College CUNY
Fanny Lauby, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, William Paterson University
Joelle Lingat, National Secretary General, Anakbayan-USA
Moderator: Richard Huizar, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, William Paterson University

3:15-3:30 p.m.
Concluding Remarks

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