

Criminal Violence in Mexico and the Caribbean Basin

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This course will review the history of violence in the Caribbean Basin and its devastating legacy of drug wars, human trafficking and organized criminal violence across the region. It will present a range of theoretical approaches to the problem of structural violence and outline policies advanced to counter it. The purpose of the course is to stimulate thinking and discussion about the multifaceted problem of structural violence.