



**The Department of Ethnic Studies in Conjunction with
the Department of Sociology and the Social Issues
Conference Invites you to:**

The 7th Annual Dr. Eugene M. Labovitz Lecture

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Executive Secretary -Treasurer
Los Angeles County Federation of Labor, AFL-CIO



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**Who Should Be Ashamed When It Comes to
Undocumented Immigrants?**

Wednesday, October 7th, 2009

6:00pm-9:00pm

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María Elena Durazo was elected in May 2006, to serve as Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the Los Angeles County Federation of Labor, which represents over 800,000 workers through its 300+ affiliated unions. Currently, she serves as Chair of the Los Angeles Alliance for a New Economy, Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa's appointee to the Los Angeles Economy and Jobs Committee, Board of Directors for LA Inc., the Los Angeles Convention and Visitors Bureau and the California League of Conservation Voters. She recently served as Vice Chair to the 2008 Democratic National Convention Committee and as a National Co-Chair for President Barrack Obama's Presidential Campaign. She is a graduate of St. Mary's College in Moraga and earned a law degree from the People's College of Law in 1985.

The Labovitz Lecture Series honors Eugene Labovitz, Professor Emeritus of Sociology, faculty co-founder of Ethnic Studies and a guiding spirit of the United Front Multicultural Center at the University of San Diego. This annual lecture honors Dr. Labovitz' contributions by bringing speakers to the University of San Diego campus who as practitioners, theorists, and social action researchers, contribute to the mission, goals, and values of Ethnic Studies.

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