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Ramón A. Gutierrez, a professor of history and ethnic studies at the University of California, San Diego, will lecture and participate in informal discussions at 10 U.S. colleges and universities over the academic year as a 1997-1998 Phi Beta Kappa Visiting Scholar.

An authority on Latin. American history, Colonial Mexico, and Chicano and American Indian history, Gutierrez's lecture topics include Beyond Black and White: New Models of Race in the United States; Space, Time, and the Chicano Experience; and Crucifixion, Slavery, and Death: The Indian Slave Experience in New Mexico.

Gutierrez will travel to Kansas State, Fairfield, and Bucknell Universities; the Universities of Notre Dame, New Hampshire, California at Santa Barbara, and Oregon; Augustana College (III.), City College of the City University of New York, and Wheaton College (Mass.). He will spend two days at each institution, meeting with students and faculty members in a variety of formal and informal sessions, including classroom discussions, seminars and the public lectures.

Gutierrez holds the UCSD Chancellor's Associates Chair in Ethnic Studies and is director of the university's Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity. He is the author of the award- winning book, When Jesus Came the Corn Mothers Went Away: Marriage, Sexuality and Power in New Mexico, 1600-1846.

The Phi Beta Kappa Visiting Scholar Program, sponsored by the Washington, D.C.-based Phi Beta Kappa Society, is designed to enhance the intellectual life on campus by encouraging the exchange of ideas between visiting scholars and the resident faculty and students.

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