

The Department of Sociology and Anthropology Presents:

***The Dominican Regime:
From Regional Pariah to Vanguard of the Reactionary Wave***

**Simon Rodriguez,
Independent Journalist and Researcher Living in the Dominican Republic**

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Zoom Event



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How has the Dominican Republic's project of apartheid directed against Dominicans of Haitian descent become a blueprint for the far right in the United States and beyond? What is driving, and who benefits from, attacks on Haitians in the Dominican Republic? How can we build and unite a movement for equal rights for all, from Santo Domingo to Staten Island? Dominican Republic-based journalist Simon Rodriguez as we grapple with these questions.



Simón Rodríguez is a freelance Venezuelan journalist, researcher, and editor based in the Dominican Republic who extensively documents human rights abuses, discrimination, and state violence against Haitian migrants and Dominicans of Haitian descent. He has written for international outlets such as the *North American Congress on Latin America* (NACLA), *Mondoweiss*, and *The New Arab*.

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