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Cover Image: Rodolfo Caballero, *Broken Dreams / Los sueños rotos*, 2009, mixed media on canvas, 39" x 47", Courtesy of the Artist

Inside Image: Juditha Hernández, *The Border/la frontera*, pasted on arches paper, 2009, 11" x 15", Courtesy of the Artist

Above Image: Ana Teresa Fernández, *Untitled III / Sin título III*, 2008, sculpture (broken glass, resin, hot glue), Courtesy of the Artist

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The National Museum of Mexican Art cordially invites you to join us for our

WOMEN OF JUAREZ

Rastros y Crónicas:

exhibition

Opening Reception October 16, 2009, 6-8 pm

Exhibition runs through February 14, 2010

The Rubín and Paula Torres Gallery and The Kraft Gallery

Since 1993, more than 500 women have been killed in Ciudad Juárez in the northern Mexican state of Chihuahua. For some time now, Mexican and Mexican American artists have been sensitive to the subject of Women of Juarez and have worked on diverse projects to share their perspective on this disturbing situation. The thought provoking pieces throughout the exhibition serve as a chronicle of the struggles of Mexican women and the grievous deaths in Ciudad Juárez. By generating awareness, the artwork supports the cause of the victims' families who search for justice and truth. The artists of *Rastros y Crónicas* compel the viewer to comprehend and sympathize with what the victims endured and what the living continue to face. In this way, our generation and future generations will not forget or ignore the loss of life in Ciudad Juárez.

¡NI UNA MÁS!

Desde 1993, más de 500 mujeres han sido asesinadas en Ciudad Juárez, Chihuahua, México. En esta exposición, artistas mexicanas y méxico-americanas se reúnen para dar una perspectiva personal de un asunto tan inquietante. No podemos permitir que nuestra generación o futuras generaciones ignoren u olviden la pérdida de tantas vidas en Ciudad Juárez.

Curated by
Dolores Mercado and Linda Xóchitl Tortolero

Adriana Yadira Gallego
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Pilar Acevedo
Rocío Caballero
Rosario Guajardo
Sandra Vista
Stephanie Manriquez
Susan Plum
Verónica Cardoso Nagel
Victoria Delgadillo

ARTISTS

Featuring participants
of the "Mujeres de Juárez
Quilt Workshop"

WOMEN OF JUAREZ

Mujeres de Juárez

Symposium Simposio BILINGUAL Free Gratis

Saturday, November 7, 2009 7 de noviembre, 2009
10 am – 2 pm Reservations required (312) 738.1503 ext 3950

The National Museum of Mexican Art in partnership with DePaul University's Women's Center will host a symposium that will critically analyze the femicide plaguing Ciudad Juárez. This symposium, free to the public, will examine the multiple causes that have led to the femicide in Juarez and the pervasive absence of real action to remedy it. The curators of *Rastros y Crónicas: Women of Juárez* will give a tour of the exhibition.

El National Museum of Mexican Art en colaboración con el Women's Center de la Universidad de DePaul, lo invitan al simposio en donde un grupo de panelistas analizará el femicidio en Ciudad Juárez, Chihuahua. Se examinará las múltiples causas que han llevado al femicidio en Juárez y la ausencia de acción para remediarlo. Como parte del programa, las curadoras de *Rastros y Crónicas: Women of Juárez* darán una visita guiada de la exposición. Gratis al público. Reservas (312) 738.1503 ext 3950

Panelists

Sergio González Rodríguez
Critic, narrator, essayist, screenwriter,
historian of literature and author of
"Huesos en el desierto".

Marisa Belausteguigoitia
Director of the University Program
on Gender Studies of the National
Autonomous University of Mexico
(UNAM).

Oscar Máynez Grijalva
Professor in Psychology and Law at
the Universidad Autónoma in Ciudad
Juárez, and Council President for the
refuge of women victims of extreme
violence – Sin Violencia, A.C.



Moderator

Lourdes Torres
Professor of Latin American and Latino Studies at DePaul University.