The Conference of Latin Americanist Geographers (CLAG) in conjunction with the Latin American Specialty Group (LASG) of the Association of American Geographers (AAG) seek a newsletter editor.

We produce two newsletters annually (spring and fall). Publication dates are flexible, however, the spring newsletter is usually produced after the AAG annual meeting. Knowledge of Microsoft Publisher is useful, however, other programs can be employed based on the editor’s preference.

The editor’s main duties include soliciting and recording recent activities of CLAG and LASG members. This includes recent publications, recent honors, recent graduates, academic employment opportunities related to Latin American geography, and other pertinent member information such as field courses. Newsletters also provide information and updates concerning upcoming CLAG meetings. But there is also considerable freedom for the editor to add new features to the newsletter. For examples of past newsletters, see <http://clagscholar.org/publications/newsletter/>.

This position will afford the editor a unique opportunity to interact with Latin Americanist geographers and make an important contribution to the CLAG and LASG communities. Young scholars or advanced graduate students in particular will benefit from the interaction provided by this opportunity and are strongly encouraged to apply. The position would be for two years, renewable.

To apply please submit a brief application letter describing your interest in the position and any relevant experience you may have. Please submit this material as a single pdf file to Michael Steinberg, CLAG publication committee chair, at mksteinberg@as.ua.edu with “CLAG newsletter” in the subject line. A review of applications will begin September 15, 2014, until the position is filled.