World Affairs Council of Pittsburgh

Brazil's Leap from the BRICS to Economic and Political Turmoil

Evening Reception

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Once considered a key emerging market in the global economy, Brazil is now making international headlines with cases of corruption and scandal. The country currently faces a political and economic crisis, and possible impeachment of President Dilma Rousseff, who has been forced to step down as the investigation proceedings begin.

Join us for a timely update on the current economic and political situation, and what this all means for Brazil's future.

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This event is held in partnership with the Center for Latin American Studies at the University of Pittsburgh

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Event Details

Wednesday, June 22, 2016

5:30—6:00 PM Networking Reception
6:00—7:30 PM Lecture and Q&A Discussion

Bar Marco
2216 Penn Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Members: $25

Non-Members: $30

Registration is required.
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Light appetizers will be served.

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