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### UCLA Study Finds Latinos Remain Underrepresented in the Smithsonian Institution

In partnership with the UCLA Latino Politics and Policy Initiative, the UCLA Chicano Studies Research Center conducted the first analysis of the Smithsonian's progress in addressing the recommendations of the landmark 1994 report *Willful Neglect: The Smithsonian Institution and U.S. Latinos*.

Below is a link to an update to that evaluation analyzing new data released by the Smithsonian. We also include links to the original report, released September 10, as well as the Smithsonian response and statement, and an article published September 25 in the *Washington Post*.

#### LINKS:

***Invisible No More: Update on Latino Representation***

Sonja Diaz, Daisy Vera, and Gabriela Solis, September 25, 2018

***Invisible No More: An Evaluation of the Smithsonian Institution and Latino Representation (original report)***

Daisy Vera, Chon A. Noriega, Sonja Diaz, and Matt Barreto, September 10, 2018

**"Smithsonian Ten-Point Response:**

**UCLA Evaluation of Latino Representation at the Institution"**

Smithsonian Newsdesk, September 12, 2018

**"Smithsonian Statement on Representation"**

Smithsonian Newsdesk, September 10, 2018

**"The Smithsonian can do more and should do more,' says advocate for a Latino museum"**

*The Washington Post*, September 25, 2018

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