

# Southern California Planning Congress

## *Protecting Historic Suburbs*

### An Evening with Professor Denise Lawrence-Zuniga

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In her new book, *Protecting Suburban America: Gentrification, Advocacy, and the Historic Imaginary*, Professor Denise Lawrence-Zuniga bridges anthropology, architecture, planning, and urban studies to examine preservation and restoration practices in five California cities where affluent homeowners are renovating older twentieth-century neighborhoods once suffering from decline. Dr. Lawrence's unique approach combines a study of historic preservation with ethnographic fieldwork to shed light on issues of heritage, preservation, gentrification, class, ethnicity, and contested values in suburbia that have worldwide implications.

#### Guest Speaker:

**Denise Lawrence-Zuniga, PhD.,**

Professor of Architecture and a sociocultural anthropologist at the College of Environmental Design, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona



#### Event Information and Registration:

**Wednesday, September 14, 2016:** Meet and Greet at 6:30 p.m., Dinner at 7:00 p.m.

**Taix French Restaurant:** 1911 West Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90026

**Cost:** \$40 general public, \$30 members, \$25 for students with ID

**Registration:** Available thru Friday, September 9th at [socialplanningcongress.com](http://socialplanningcongress.com)



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