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UCLA Fowler Museum of Cultural History to present
¡CARNAVAL UCLA!
A WORLD TRIBUTE TO NEW ORLEANS
April 8, 2006 noon-5 pm

In conjunction with the exhibition ¡CARNAVAL!, the UCLA Fowler Museum of Cultural History is presenting a major festival of Carnival arts and culture from around the world. Following is the schedule of events and activities:

12-1 pm Art Workshops

Prep for the parade with these workshops:

- Create a noisemaker to use along the parade route.
- Create a headdress or hat at the hat-making station.

1-2:30 pm Campus Parade

March in our Carnival procession along with these performance troupes:

- **RätzClique**, a thirty-person fife-and-drum corps from Basel, Switzerland (pictured top, photo by Kristy May)
- **Stilt Walkers** who'll glide through the route from twenty feet in the air
- **LA Carnival on Tour**, a Caribbean-style group in glittering costumes (pictured middle, photo Norman Reneau)
- And many more

To march in the procession as a group, download a registration form at fowler.ucla.edu or call 310/825-9672. \$25 fee for non-UCLA groups registering to march in the parade. Individuals can march or watch for free. Participants of all ages are welcome!

2:30-5 pm Live Stage Performances

- **Ricardo Lemvo & Makina Loca**
Enjoy this vibrant synthesis of Latin-American *salsa* and African *soukous* (pictured below)
- **Los Angeles Carnival on Tour™**
Dancers in full regalia shake it to live Caribbean *calypso* and *soca* music



3 pm Guided Tour of ¡CARNAVAL! exhibition, meet in the Fowler lobby

ALL DAY

- **Open Galleries**
Enjoy spectacular costumes, masks, photographs, and videos of Carnival celebrations around the world, including a final gallery dedicated to New Orleans.
- **Face Painting**
- **Food Booths** featuring flavors from around the world, including New Orleans' specialties *beignets* and more
- **Raffle Prizes**
Including chances to win trips to Brazil and Switzerland

Festival admission, art activities, live performances, face painting, and gallery tours are free. Food will be available for purchase at food booths. The festival and procession are coordinated for the Fowler by Community Arts Resources. This event is made possible by support from Neutrogena Corporation, UCLArts, Swiss Roots (swissroots.org), Varig Brazilian Airlines and local media sponsors 89.9 KCRW and LA City Beat.

The Fowler Museum is open Wednesdays through Sundays, noon to 5 p.m., and on Thursdays, noon until 8 p.m. The museum is closed Mondays and Tuesdays. The Fowler Museum, part of UCLA's School of the Arts and Architecture, is located in the north part of the UCLA campus. Admission is free. Campus parking is available for \$8 in Lot 4.

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