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Tuesday, April 2, 2019 | 8:30 AM | FIU Downtown on Brickell | Room FDBS 1010 | 1101 Brickell Avenue, Miami

On March 4, 2019, the Trump administration announced that it would allow U.S. citizens to sue some 200 Cuban companies using expropriated properties on the island. This decision was based on Title III of the Helms-Burton Act, approved in 1996 by Congress and signed into law by President Bill Clinton. What are the broader legal and economic implications of this measure? How will it affect the U.S. embargo of Cuba, foreign investment on the island, and U.S. relations with other countries?

Please join us for a timely forum with scholars, legal experts, and business leaders to discuss recent developments with the Helms-Burton Act, the U.S. embargo of Cuba, and the right to sue for expropriated properties. The following participants have been confirmed for this forum:

- **Dr. Michael J. Bustamante**, Department of History, Florida International University
- **Fernando A. Capablanca**, Cuban Banking Study Group
- **Camila Fernández**, Shutts & Bowen, LLP
- **Dr. Manuel Lasaga**, Department of Finance, Florida International University
- **Rick Puente**, Jones Day
- **Aymee D. Valdivia**, Holland & Knight LLP

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To confirm your attendance and for more information, please call (305) 348-1991 or write cri@fiu.edu