Call for Papers. Twelfth Annual Eastern Caribbean Island Cultures Conference: "The Islands in Between": Language, Literature and Culture of the Eastern Caribbean, November 5-7, 2009. Roseau - Dominica

(Arrival: November 4; Departure: November 8)

Co-organized by University of Puerto Rico at Río Piedras University of the West Indies at Cave Hill, Barbados University of the West Indies Open Campus - Dominica

Suggested topics include:

- Eastern Caribbean Drama, Poetry and Fiction
- Special Panels on Language, Literature, Culture and Education in Dominica
- Language and Culture, Language and Identity in the Eastern Caribbean
- Creole Linguistics
- Art and Popular Culture of the Eastern Caribbean
- Eastern Caribbean Carnivals and Other Performance Traditions
- Amerindian History and Cultural Studies
- Culture and Politics, Culture and Economics in the Eastern Caribbean
- Other Topics Related to Eastern Caribbean Cultures

Deadline for Abstracts: no later than 15 August 2009; Notification: 1 September 2009

Space may be limited and priority will be given to abstracts received by 8 August 2009

Papers should conform to the allotted twenty minutes of presentation time. Proposals should include: a one-page abstract (maximum 250 words), the author's name, postal and e-mail address (if available), and home institution (if applicable), and a brief biography (50 words or less).

Send submissions or inquiries to:

Puerto Rico Conference Organizing Committee (Mervyn C. Alleyne, Elena Lawton, Dannabang Kuwabong): islandsconference@gmail.com .(Please submit your proposal within the text of the e-mail and not as an attachment)

or mail to:

Eastern Caribbean Island Cultures Conference, c/o Department of English, P.O. Box 23356, UPR Station, San Juan, PR 00931-3356, Puerto Rico / USA.

Information regarding the conference available on the Islands In Between Web Page at:

http://humanidades.uprrp.edu/ingles/students/resources/islandsinbetween.htm