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The Author as Plagiarist--The Case of Machado de Assis
A Colloquium

on the occasion of the launching of Portuguese Literary & Cultural Studies 13/14

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1:30-2:00 Opening Ceremony

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Presentation of Portuguese Literary & Cultural Studies 13/14
Dr. Georgette Dorn, Head of Hispanic Division, Library of Congress
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over
2:00 - 3:15  **Session I**
Moderator: João Cezar de Castro Rocha, Universidade do Estado do Rio de Janeiro

“Machado de Assis' Americanas”
José Luís Jobim, Universidade Federal Fluminense & Universidade do Estado do Rio de Janeiro

“Machado, Reader of Eça”
João Camilo dos Santos, University of California, Santa Barbara

“The Counselor's Dreams”
Pedro Meira Monteiro, Princeton University

3:15 - 3:30  **Coffee Break**

3:30 - 4:45  **Session II**
Moderator: Victor J. Mendes, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth

“Machado de Assis, Our Contemporary”
João Almino, Consul of Brazil in Miami

“A Keen Look at Nineteenth-Century Brazil”
Maria Aparecida Ferreira de Andrade Salgueiro, Universidade do Estado do Rio de Janeiro

“The Beautiful Form of Sadness”
Hans Ulrich Gumbrecht, Stanford University

5:30-7:30  **Reception hosted by the Embassy of Brazil**
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