



Universidad del Este

# Jesús T. Piñero Collection

## Carta Informativa

December 2012



"A window on the past to understand the present"

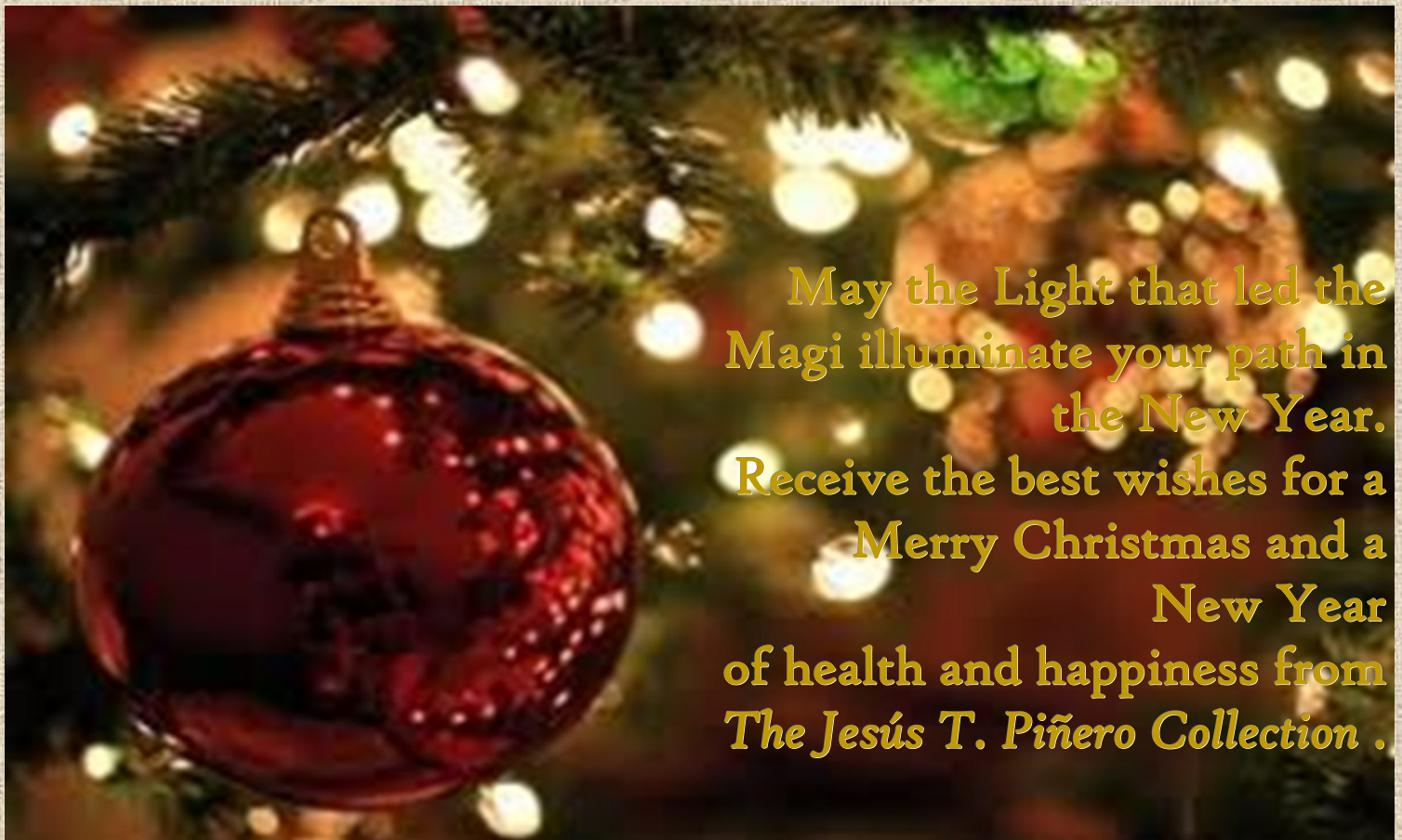
### A Message from the Past that Speaks to the Present

At the present time Puerto Rico faces enormous challenges. We are all aware of this. As we end a year marked by debates, discussions and controversies and as we enter a new year full of uncertainties, we offer here excerpts from the Inaugural Address of Governor Piñero (September 1946) as an invitation to reflect on our present and future.

*'We are all aware of the magnitude of the difficulties which characterize our economic life, but our will and determination to face them are equally great. Their solution will depend largely upon our faith, solidarity and unwavering determination continually to improve the patterns and practices of our Government. At no time must we forget that we are an essentially poor people. Our mass poverty calls for the highest sense of responsibility in our public servants. Government does not exist to solve private problems, but rather to confront and solve collective problems. ...*

*Politics must not ever be a degrading and shameful calling. It is, on the contrary, the art which permits us to contribute proudly to the constant improvement of our country. The goal which Puerto Rico seeks is above party considerations. It must be, above all else, the labor of Puerto Rico's conscience, Puerto Rico's ability, and Puerto Rico's faith and hope. ...*

*Let the attitude of every man and women in Puerto Rico respond to this ever vigilant conscience, this spirit of common solidarity and this lofty mission of democracy and justice!*



May the Light that led the  
Magi illuminate your path in  
the New Year.  
Receive the best wishes for a  
Merry Christmas and a  
New Year  
of health and happiness from  
The Jesús T. Piñero Collection .

# Books

The following are the titles of a few of the publications that have entered the Piñero Collection during the past weeks:

Olivero Barreto, Fernando. *La lucha contra el dopaje en el deporte: Código Mundial Antidopaje y su vigencia en Puerto Rico*. Republica Dominicana: Editorial Deportiva, 2011.

Pérez, Ibrahim. *Los Héroes del tiempo: Baloncesto en Puerto Rico 1898-1950*. San Juan: Editorial Deportiva CAIN: 2011.

Uriarte Gonzalez, Carlos. *De Londres a Londres: Juegos Olímpicos una mirada desde Puerto Rico 1948-2012*. San Juan: Editorial Deportiva CAIN, 2012.



**KEEP IN CONTACT WITH  
US WITH YOUR ANDROID**

Recently, Mr. Rafael Vázquez Vila of the Office of Computer Services and Telecommunications of the UNE created an App for the Piñero Collection that is available for users of Androids. This app will give users access to news, publications and resources at the Collection. We invite our readers to take advantage of this new tool and express our gratitude to Rafael who continues to be a valuable resource for our community.

## Casa de la Cultura Nilita Vientós Gastón

55 Cordero Street  
Ocean Park, Santurce



## French and Spanish Film Fest

**Wednesday, December 5**

*Betty* (1992)

Claude Chabrol

**Wednesday, December 19**

*Calabuch* (1956)

L. García Berlanga

7:00 p.m.

Entrance free of cost. (Program subject to change.)

## Piñero House Museum



**Highway. #3,**

**Km. 15.4**

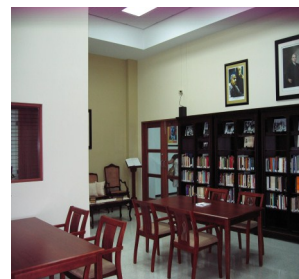
**Canóvanas**

**787-876-0562**



**Visits:**

**Tuesday thru Saturday  
8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**



**Piñero  
Reading Room  
Hours:**

**Monday through  
Friday  
7:00 am to 5:00 p.m.**

For more information about the  
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## ***Presentación del libro *Castrismo y socialismo: Crítica a los fundamentos del socialismo del siglo XXI*, de la autoría de Jaime Benson***

Presentación a cargo de:

**Dr. Manuel S. Almeida**

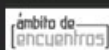
Catedrático Auxiliar, Escuela de Ciencias Sociales y Humanas, Universidad del Este (SUAGM)

El autor, Dr. Jaime Benson, Catedrático del Depto. De Economía de la UPR-RP, estará presente para reaccionar y compartir con el público.

**martes, 4 de diciembre de 2012, 11:30 a.m.**

Demo-Kitchen, ISHCA, Universidad del Este, Carolina

Auspicia: Sala Jesús T. Piñero, la Esc. de Ciencias Sociales y Humanas, y la revista



## **Collaboration**



As part of the collaboration that exists between the Piñero Collection and the Piñero House Museum in Canóvanas, on November 25th a workshop was held in the Piñero Reading Room for the employees of the Museum. The activity, led by Mrs. Mayra Ferran, Vice Chancellor for External Resources of the UNE, was dedicated to the topic of the search for funds through the use of proposals to government agencies and private institutions. At the Collection we hope to continue and to strengthen this collaboration during the coming year.

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Jaime Partsch  
Leticia Delgado***

## ***Thank you . . .***

Our sincere gratitude to the following collaborators who recently donated books and documents to the Piñero Collection:

*Dr. Manuel Almeida*

*Mr. Jorge J. Pérez*

*Dr. Jaime Rodríguez Cancel*

The Collection receives donations of books, photographs and documents related to the areas of interest included in the work of the Collection.

