What can literature and poetry, music and film, theater and the visual arts, tell us about revolution and social change in contemporary Latin America? This course will focus on testimonial narratives, short stories and novels, music, poetry and theater to learn about Latin Americans’ efforts to achieve social justice and equality for all since the 1960’s. Topics covered include indigenous and Afro-Latin Americans’ movements for rights and justice, the role of the mass media in Latin American society, the fight against poverty; the efforts of Latin American women and LGBT communities to achieve equality, and the contemporary revolutionary efforts of indigenous sectors and other Latin Americans today.