

## UNAM Signs Accord with UC MEXUS

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Representatives from the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM) visited UC MEXUS October 8-12, 1982, to sign an accord for the establishment of the *International Journal of Mexican Studies (IJMS)* as well as to develop a number of activities with the nine UC campuses. UNAM's Secretary General **Raúl Béjar Navarro** and **Roberto Moreno de los Arcos**, director of the Instituto de Investigaciones Históricas, met with **James W. Wilkie** and with **Jaime E. Rodríguez** (Dean of UCI Graduate Studies) in Los Angeles. The accord was signed by Béjar, Moreno, Rodríguez, and Wilkie at a reception held on October 11 at the Wilkie home in honor of the occasion.



Raúl Béjar Navarro

The accord provided for financial support for the journal to come from UNAM, UC MEXUS, PROFMEX (The Consortium of U.S. Research Programs for Mexico), UCLA, and UCI. UCI has been designated the campus where the *IJMS* will begin publication. Rodríguez and **Colin M. MacLachlan** (UCI and UCLA) will co-edit the new journal and **Frank Cancian** (Anthropology, UCI) will be associate editor. The international advisory board for the *IJMS* will be made up of distinguished Mexicanists who will also represent UC MEXUS, UNAM, and PROFMEX. MacLachlan and Rodríguez serve as ex-officio members of the PROFMEX Board of Directors and Rodríguez is a member of the UC MEXUS Executive Committee.

Béjar and Wilkie also signed an agreement between UNAM and the University of California to continue the on-going operations of the Mexico City Study Center of the University of California Education Abroad Program at UNAM's Centro de Enseñanza para Extranjeros.



Roberto Moreno de los Arcos