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UNDERSTANDING MILITARY COUPS: CAUSES, SUCCESS FACTORS, AND CASE STUDIES

In this presentation, Dr. Diego Esparza will delve into the intriguing questions of why and when militaries launch coup d'états, as well as the factors contributing to their success. Utilizing a multidisciplinary approach, Dr. Esparza will analyze the institutional, social, and strategic dynamics underlying military coups. Through the examination of historical case studies, including the 1992 Venezuelan Coup failure and the successful Portuguese Carnation Revolution of 1974, attendees will gain insights into the challenges faced by coup plotters and the complex nature of regime change. Join us for a thought-provoking exploration of military coups and their impact on political landscapes.

TIME Monday, Mar. 11, 2024

12:00PM-1:30PM

LOCATION SSC 121 **ZOOM DETAILS**

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