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**Workplace Mobbing in Academe:
Lessons from a Mexican University**

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This lecture forms part of the course, SOC 372, Good and Evil in Social Relations. For further information, contact the instructor, Kenneth Westhues (ext 33660 or kwesthue@uwaterloo.ca).
