



Manuel ROSA

Historian

MANUEL ROSA is a Luso-American historian born in Pico Island, Azores, who moved to USA in 1973. In 1976 he received the Boston Globe's Art Merit Award and Lockheed Martin's Lightning Award in 2002.

In 1991 Mr. Rosa began a scientific investigation of the life of the discoverer of America and was the only Portuguese historian involved with the DNA studies of Columbus' bones that took place at the University of Granada in Spain.

A top expert on Columbus' life, Mr. Rosa has been invited to lecture at universities and organizations worldwide. He has advised UNESCO and the Haitian government in matters related to Columbus shipwreck and his research has been featured in TV Documentaries and other media, including Polish TTV, BBC Radio, WNPR and the cover of Newsweek Magazine in Poland.

In 2006 his first academic book, "O Mistério Colombo Revelado" (The Columbus Mystery Revealed) was published in Portugal.

Mr. Rosa's third book, "COLÓN. La Historia Nunca Contada" (COLUMBUS. The Untold Story) was published in Spain in 2010 and has also been published in Poland, Lithuania and Portugal.

Hailed as a paradigm changer in the 500-year-old story, "COLUMBUS. The Untold Story" is based in medical documents and has called into question everything that had been written about Columbus for 500 years.

"Another nutty conspiracy theory!" That's what I first supposed, "I now believe that Columbus guilty of huge fraud" - Prof. James T. McDonough, St. Joseph's University