

# How to cross the street in Belo Horizonte and Other Tales from the Heart of Brazil

Brett Johnson  
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**APRIL**

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12:00 to 1:00

Iowa City Public Library . Meeting Room A



There is not one Brazil, but rather thousands of Brazils found amid the country's many intersections of politics, geography, demographics, and history. From those thousands, Brazilians and foreigners alike have struggled for nearly 200 years to characterize the identity of this great nation. During this presentation, Brett Johnson will show the audience his Brazil, or at least the one one-thousandth of Brazil I came to know as a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar in Belo Horizonte.

An Iowa City native, he graduated with a degree in religious studies from UI in 2006. For ten months in 2008, he lived and studied in Belo Horizonte, Brazil, representing Iowa City through a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholarship. Johnson is a former student employee at International Programs, in both the Office for Study Abroad and Outreach. He is excited to be on the other side of the podium for one of IP's finest community programs.

Free and Open to the Public. Refreshments will be served!

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