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HOLGUIN, Cuba, Oct 27 (acn) The 12th Edition of the Congress of Ibero-American Thinkers concluded on Friday in Holguin with a tribute to the 95th anniversary of the birth of Cuban researcher Antonio Nunez Jimenez and 30 years of the beginning of the expedition from the Amazon to the Caribbean on Canoe.

PhD Angel Grana, Vice President of the Antonio Nunez Jimenez Foundation of Nature and Man explained the journey that began in March 1987 and extended until June 28th of 1988.

Grana said that the historic and cultural event constituted an important step of unity for the peoples of Latin America and was carried out in a tour that contemplated the totality of the prehistoric tribes in the Amazon River basin.

Speleologists, archeologists, historians, geology specialists and professionals in other fields of science were among the members of the expedition with the participation of specialists from Brazil, Ecuador, Venezuela, Dominicans, Puerto Ricans and Cubans, he said.

Memories of the world, he said the category given by UNESCO to the photography, audiovisual materials, testimonies and historiography documents collected as part of the experience.

He recalled among another of his premise, according to Nunez Jimenez, demonstrate the intellectual capacity of the Latino Scientists to give birth to investigations without the support of developed nations.

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The Ibero-American Congress on Thinkers, main space of the Ibero-American Culture Festival which began last Wednesday with the presentation of over 170 conferences related with the study of the genre, artistic processed and cultural industries as a strategy for local development.

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