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## EDUCATION

PhD Candidate, Global Governance and Human Security,  
Department of Conflict Resolution, Human Security and Global  
Governance  
John W. Mc. Cormack Graduate School of Policy and Global Studies  
University of Massachusetts Boston, United States  
Dissertation Title: *The Gender of Peace: Law, Discourse, and Power in Colombia*.  
Committee: Dr. J.Samuel Barkin (advisor), Dr. Elora Chowdhury, Dr. Andrés Henao-Castro,  
Dr. Amy Ross (external member)  
Date of Candidacy: December 8, 2017.

Master of Arts in Geography, May 2015,  
Department of Geography,  
University of Georgia, Athens, GA., United States  
Thesis title: *Transitional Justice in the ongoing armed conflict in Colombia*  
Committee: Dr. Amy Ross (advisor), Dr. Fausto Sarmiento, Dr. Joshua Barkan.

Bachelor in Laws, May 2009,  
School of Law Universidad Jorge Tadeo Lozano, Bogotá, Colombia  
Thesis title: *Posibilidades de reconciliación nacional a través de la Ley de Justicia y Paz: una revisión desde la técnica legislativa* (Possibilities of Reconciliation Derived From the Justice and Peace Law: a Review From the Legislative Technique)  
Advisors: Dr. Danny Marrero and Mr. Carlos Gómez  
*Meritorious thesis*

## AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

*Doctoral Dissertation Research Grant 2018*, University of Massachusetts Boston, August 2018, **Grant**, \$1000 USD  
*Digital Humanities Summer Institute/ Social Science Research Council Scholarship & Travel Bursary 2018*, for the course “Queer Digital Humanities: Intersections, Interrogations, Iterations” University of Victoria, Victoria British Columbia, Canada, June 11<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>, **Scholarship** \$800 USD and **Travel Grant** \$1500 USD.  
*Professional Development Grant*, Graduate Student Assembly, University of Massachusetts Boston, Fall 2017, **Travel Grant** \$400 USD  
*Conference Funding*, Department of Conflict Resolution, Human Security and Global Governance, McCormack Graduate School of Policy and Global Studies, University of Massachusetts Boston, Fall, 2017, **Travel Grant**, \$500 USD  
*Visiting Fellow*, Latin American Research Centre, University of Calgary, December 2017-September 2018, **Ad-Honorem Visiting Fellow Position**  
*UMB-SSRC Transdisciplinary Dissertation Proposal Development Program awardee 2017*, University of Massachusetts Boston- Social Sciences Research Council, May-September, **Fellowship** \$5,000 USD

*Cristina Turner Award*, 2016 Middle Atlantic Council of Latin American Studies MACLAS Conference, Philadelphia PA, USA, March 4-5, **Academic Prize**, \$200 USD

Regents waiver for master's studies, Academic Year 2014-2015, based upon academic performance and financial need, June 2014, **University Bursary**,

*Colfuturo Scholarship-loan* for pursuing the MA in Geography, University of Georgia, USA, July 2012

*Honor Scholarship Jorge Tadeo Lozano*, full scholarship for five years of tuition and fees. Bogotá Colombia, Jan.2003- May 2009, **University Scholarship**, \$5'000,000 COP (\$1,700 USD) per semester, 10 semesters (\$17,000 USD)

*Jorge Tadeo Lozano Award*,. This honor is awarded to students that maintained the highest Grade Point Average (GPA) along the entire program, Bogotá Colombia, May 2009, **Academic Prize**, \$600,000 COP (\$200 USD)

*Meritorious thesis award*, Thesis title: *Posibilidades de reconciliación nacional a través de la Ley de Justicia y Paz: una revisión desde la técnica legislativa* (Possibilities of Reconciliation Derived From the Justice and Peace Law: a Review From Legislative Technique). Bogotá, Colombia, **University Award**, Feb 2009.

## EMPLOYMENT

Sessional Instructor, DEST 393 *Theories and Applications of Development*, Department of Anthropology and Archaeology, Development Studies program, University of Calgary, Winter 2019

Research Assistant, Dr. Pascal Lupien, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC)-funded research project, *Indigenous Civil Society, Power and Information and Communication Technologies*, University of Alberta, Canada, September 2018-July 2019

Individualized Study Tutor (GOVN/POLI301 *Governance, the Public Sector and Corporate Power*), BPA-Governance, Law and Management program, Centre for Social Sciences, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Athabasca University, Alberta (Canada), June 1, 2018- present

Alternative Individualized Study Tutor (GOVN308/HSRV363 *Non-profit and Voluntary Sector Governance*), BPA-Governance, Law and Management program, Centre for Social Sciences, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Athabasca University, Alberta (Canada), September 17-December 13, 2018.

Alternative Individualized Study Tutor (GOVN/POLI/HSRV400 *Governance and Leadership*), BPA-Governance, Law and Management program, Centre for Social Sciences, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Athabasca University, Alberta (Canada), September 17-December 13, 2018.

Research Assistant, Dr. Roberta Rice, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC)-funded research project, *Indigenous Activism and the New Extractivism in Global Perspective*. Department of Political Science, University of Calgary, Canada, June 15-August 15, 2018.

Research Assistant, Dr. Jeffrey Pugh, Department of Conflict Resolution, Human Security and Global Governance, John W. Mc Cormack Graduate School of Policy and Global Studies University of Massachusetts Boston, USA, September 2015-May 2018

Teaching Assistant, WGS/ANTH295, *Introduction to Human Rights*, Dr. Amy Den Ouden, Women's and Gender Studies department, College of Liberal Arts, University of Massachusetts Boston, USA (Spring 2017)

Teaching Assistant, WGS110, *Gender in Global Context*, Dr. Elora Chowdhury, Women's and Gender Studies department, College of Liberal Arts, University of Massachusetts Boston, USA (Fall 2016)

Teaching Assistant, GEOG 1101, *Introduction to Human Geography*, Dr. Graham Pickren, Geography Department, University of Georgia, Spring 2014, Athens GA USA.

Teaching Assistant, GEOG 1101, *Introduction to Human Geography*, Dr. Richard Milligan, Geography Department, University of Georgia Spring 2014, Athens GA, USA.

Field Coordinator. Attention, Humanitarian Assistance and Reparation Program, MAARIV, (*Modelo de Asistencia, Atención y Reparación Integral*), Unidad para la Atención y Reparación de Víctimas, Government of Colombia. February 2013- July 2013, Bogota, Colombia

Research Assistant in the project “Facticity and *Acción de Tutela*: empirical study of formulation and effects of *Tutela* in Colombia from 1992 to 2011”. Universidad Jorge Tadeo Lozano, School of Law, February 2012- July 2012, Bogotá, Colombia

Research Assistant for the International Observatory on the Disarmament, Demobilization and Reintegration –DDR- Process and the Implementation of Justice and Peace Law, Toledo International Centre for Peace (CITpax)-Universidad Jorge Tadeo Lozano. February 2010- February 2011, Bogotá Colombia

Coordinator, Online Course: “Dogmatic and process issues applied to Justice and Peace”. School of Studies, Criminal Investigation and Forensic Sciences, National Prosecutor Office and Universidad Jorge Tadeo Lozano, July- August 2010, Bogotá, Colombia

Teaching Assistant, Constitutional Law course, Prf. Andrés Molano-Rojas, Universidad Jorge Tadeo Lozano, August 2004- May 2009, Bogotá, Colombia

## PUBLICATIONS

- Rincón, A., Sánchez, C., and Pugh J. (2019) Transnational governance, international organizations, and national and local peace processes: The case of the UN and ICC in Colombia. In: Kulnazarova, Aigul and Vesselin Popovski (Eds) *The Palgrave Handbook of Global Approaches to Peace*, Palgrave Macmillan, Chapter 27, pp.561-584
- Rincón, A., (2018) On The Human Right To Peace In Times Of Contemporary Colonial Power, In: Chowdhury, Elora Halim and Srikanth, Rajini (eds.) *Human Rights: Interdisciplinary Approaches*, Oxfordshire: Routledge, Chapter 17, pp. 285-296
- Kew, D., Russell-Einhorn, M., & Rincon Villegas, Adriana, (2018) Rise of the Global Human Rights Regime: Challenging Power with Humanity, In: Chowdhury, Elora Halim and Srikanth, Rajini (eds.) *Human Rights: Interdisciplinary Approaches*, Oxfordshire: Routledge, Chapter 2, pp.35-49.
- Burnett, C., & Rincón, A., (2017) Human Security and Gender Development: A Comparative Analysis of Internal Displacement in Colombia and Palestine. *Refugee Review* 3 (1) 137-149.
- Rincón, A. & Ross, A. (2016), Justicia transicional y ley: el caso colombiano [Transitional Justice and Law: the Colombian case]. In Bernd Marquardt (Ed.). *Paz a través del Derecho y de la Constitución* [Peace through Law and the Constitution], *Anuario IV*, Serie Constitucionalismo Científico (625-643) Bogotá, Colombia: Editorial Ibañez and Grupo Constitucionalismo Comparado.
- Fuentes, E. H., Suárez, B. E. & Rincón Villegas, A. (2014) Facticidad y acción de tutela: presentación preliminar de un estudio empírico de la formulación y efectos de la acción de tutela en el marco colombiano, entre los años 1992-2011 [Facticity and Tutela, preliminary results of an empirical study about application and consequences of the Tutela judicial mechanism in Colombia 1992-2011] *Civilizar* journal, 14 (27) 41-64.
- Fuentes, E. H., Suárez, B.E. & Rincón Villegas, A. (2012) Facticidad y Constitución: la doctrina del Estado de Cosas Inconstitucional en América Latina. [Facticity and Constitution: the Inconstitutional State of Affairs doctrine in Latin America]. Athenas, Revista de Direito, Política e Filosofia [Athenas, Journal of Law, Politics, and Philosophy], 1(2) 49-75
- Rincón Villegas, A. & Freire-Kane, A. (2012), Lost in transition: the legal pathway for demobilization in Colombia, *Revista Análisis Internacional* [International Analysis Journal] 5 (1) 177-195
- Rincón Villegas, A. (2011) Teoría de la paz democrática: entre la Paz perpetua y el Fundamentalismo liberal. [Democratic Peace Theory: Between liberal fundamentalism and the *Pax Perpetua*], In Observatorio de Construcción de Paz, Estado y ciudadanía para la paz: Serie de Documentos para la Paz [State

and Citizenship for Peace: Documents for peace] (55-74) Bogotá Colombia: Editorial Universidad Jorge Tadeo Lozano.

Rincón Villegas, A. (2010) Del cese al fuego a la paz sostenible: desafíos contemporáneos de la Justicia Transicional [From Cease-fire to Sustainable Peace: current challenges for the Transitional Justice.] *Revista Análisis Internacional* [International Analysis Journal], 2 (1) 129-146

Rincón Villegas, A. (2009) Creating reconciliation scenarios: challenges to the Law of Justice and Peace. *Defense and Security Studies Journal* 4 8 (25-28), Center of Strategic Studies on National Security and Defense, CEESEDEN. Escuela Superior de Guerra, Bogotá Colombia.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

On the Human Right to Peace in Times of Contemporary Colonial Power, *Latin America Research Centre Graduate Student Symposium*, April 19, 2018 Calgary AB, Canada

Peace as a Human Right: The Colombian Case, *International Studies Association, ISA Annual Convention*, April 4-7, 2018 San Francisco CA, USA.

Problematizing Transitional Justice and Post-Conflict: The Case of Colombia, *The Canadian Association for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, CALACS Conference*, June 1-3, 2016, Calgary AB, Canada,

*Cycles of Violence in Colombia: Transitional Justice and Law*, Middle Atlantic Council of Latin American Studies MACLAS Conference, March 4-5, 2016, Philadelphia PA, USA.

*Transitional justice: the case of "post-conflict" Colombia*, American Association of Geographers AAG meeting, April 21-25th 2015, Chicago IL, USA)

*Transitional Justice and law in Colombia*, Southeastern Division of the American Association of Geographers SEDAAG meeting, November 23-25th 2014, Athens GA, USA

*Transitional Justice in ongoing conflicts: the case of Colombia*, *Tenth Biennial Graduate Student Conference*, "Conflict Studies and Global Governance: The New Generation of Ideas" hosted by the Department of Conflict Resolution, Human Security and Global Governance at the University of Massachusetts, Boston, October 31-November 1st 2014, Boston MA, USA.

## **GUEST LECTURES**

"Gender Oppression and Resistance in Latin America", Calgary Association of Lifelong Learners, Calgary AB, Canada, April 10, 2018.

"Proceso de paz, seguridad humana y Justicia Transicional: aproximaciones teóricas", Grupo de Estudios Estratégicos, Programa de Ciudadanía y Territorios para el Diálogo Social y la Paz, Secretaría de Planeación, Municipio de Ibagué, Tolima, Colombia, August, 2016.

"Post-conflict and Transitional justice in Colombia" Universidad del Bosque, School of Law and Political Science, October 2015. Bogotá, Colombia.

"Transitional Justice in Colombia", GEOG 3640 *The Geography of Human Rights*, Dr. Graham Pickren, September 2013. Athens GA, USA.

## **EDITORIAL TEAM MEMBERSHIPS**

Universidad Jorge Tadeo Lozano, *Anuario Justicia y Razón* journal, School of Law, 2016, Bogotá Colombia.

## **EDUCATION: OTHER**

*Instructional Skills Workshop*, hosted by the Haskayne School of Business at University of Calgary, Calgary AB Canada, April 25-26 and May 3- 4, 2018.

*Summer Intensive English Program*, University of Georgia, Department of Academic Enhancement, Athens Georgia, USA, July-August 2011

*Interpretation, Argumentation and Judicial Decision*, Forum, September 2 2010, University Jorge Tadeo Lozano, Bogotá Colombia

*International Criminal Law applied to the special Justice and Peace Process*. Seminar, May 2010. School of Studies, Criminal Investigation and Forensic Sciences (National Prosecutor Office) and Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ), Bogotá Colombia.

*Contemporary challenges of International Humanitarian Law*, Course, Feb-May 2010. University Jorge Tadeo Lozano, Bogotá Colombia.

*European History, XIX-XX centuries*. Course. Feb-May 2007. Universidad Nacional, Bogotá Colombia.

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

International Studies Association (ISA)

Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA)

## **FORMER PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Canadian Association for Latin American and Caribbean Studies (CALACS)

Middle Atlantic Council for Latin American Studies (MACLAS)

American Association of Geographers (AAG)

Southeastern Division of the American Association of Geographers (SEDAAG)

*Grupo Constitucionalismo Comparado*, School of Law, Universidad Nacional de Colombia.