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EDUCATION

The University of Notre Dame South Bend, USA
PhD. Student in Peace Studies and Political Science 2019-Present

The University of Notre Dame South Bend, USA
Master of Arts in Political Science May 2022
GPA: 3.982/4

Universidad Nacional de Colombia Bogotá, Colombia
Master of Arts in Law September 2014
GPA: 4.8/5.0.
Class Rank: 1/35

Universidad Cooperativa de Colombia Ibagué, Colombia
Bachelor of Laws March 2012
GPA: 4.69/5.0.
Class Rank: 1.

TEACHING AND RESEARCH INTERESTS

Rural-poor mobilization for land reform, economic redistribution in civil war political settlements, transitional justice, and constitution-making.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Conference Travel Grant 2022
Kellogg Institute for International Studies – The University of Notre Dame

Graduate School Professional Development Award 2022
Graduate School – The University of Notre Dame

Summer Research Award 2022
Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies – The University of Notre Dame

Summer Research Award 2021
Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies – The University of Notre Dame

Summer Research Award 2020
Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies – The University of Notre Dame

Darby Fellowship 2019-2020
Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies – The University of Notre Dame

University Presidential Fellowship 2019-2024
The University of Notre Dame

Graduate Studies in the USA – Grantee 2018

Fulbright and Colombian Institute for the Advancement of Science, Technology and Innovation (Colciencias)

Teaching assistantship for Master of Legal Studies 2013-2014
Universidad Nacional de Colombia

Recognition as one of the best Law students according to the Exam of Quality of Superior Education 2011
Ministry of National Education, Colombia

PUBLICATIONS

Books

La Constitución del Campesinado. Luchas por Reconocimiento y Redistribución en el Campo Jurídico (with Ana Jimena Bautista-Revelo, Ana María Malagón-Pérez, and Rodrigo Uprimny-Yepes) [The Constitution of the Peasantry. Struggles for Recognition and Redistribution in the Legal Field] Bogotá: Center for the Study of Justice, Law, and Society. Digital ISBN 978-958-5597-52-5. Printed ISBN 978-958-5597-51-8. Available at <https://www.dejusticia.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/10/La-constitucion-del-campesinado.pdf> 2021

¿Corregir o distribuir para transformar?: Una concepción de justicia para la política pública de restitución de tierras en Colombia (with C.A. Santamaría-Chavarro and D.J. Blanco-Cortina). [Correcting or distributing to transform? A conception of justice for the Colombian Land Restitution Program] Bogotá: Universidad Nacional de Colombia. Digital ISBN 978-958-775-988-4. Printed ISBN 978-958-775-987-7. 2017

Constitución, Democracia y Derechos. Textos escogidos de Juan Fernando Jaramillo Pérez (with R. Uprimny-Yepes, M. García-Villegas, A.A. Rodríguez-Villabona). [Constitution, Democracy and Rights. Selected texts from Juan Fernando Jaramillo Pérez]. Digital ISBN 978-958-59496-0-7. Printed ISBN 978-958-59192-9-7. Available at https://www.dejusticia.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/fi_name_recurso_828.pdf 2016

Chapters in books

“¡La tierra pa’l que la trabaja! ¿Y quién la trabaja? Los derechos a la tierra y al territorio de pueblos indígenas, afrocolombianos y campesinos” (with D. Gómez-Mazo) [All land to the tiller! And who is the tiller? The rights to land and territory of indigenous peoples, Afro-Colombians, and *Campesinos* (peasants)] in Roa-Roa, Jorge Ernesto and Sierra-Camargo, Jimena. *Manual de Derechos Fundamentales* [Handbook on Fundamental Rights]. Bogotá: Tirant Lo Blanch. 2022

“Legitimizing and Enshrining Peace Commitments: Inclusivity and Constitution-building in the Colombian Peace Process” (with Rodrigo Uprimny-Yepes) in Fabra-Zamora, Jorge Luis, Molina-Ochoa, Andrés, and Doubleday, Nancy. *The Colombian Peace Agreement. A Multidisciplinary Assessment*. New York: Routledge. 2021

“Colombia’s Fuerza Pública (Security Forces) in the Special Jurisdiction for Peace: Special Treatment or Preferential Treatment?” (with C. Santamaría and R. Uprimny-Yepes), in Mileham, P. (Ed.), *Jus Post Bellum. Restraint, Stabilisation and Peace*. Leiden: Brill | Nijhoff 2020

“¿Es la JEP nuestra justicia para la paz?” (With R. Uprimny-Yepes) [“Is the JEP our justice for peace?”], in Vargas, A. (Ed.), *Rutas y retos de la implementación del Acuerdo con las FARC* [Paths and challenges to the implementation of the Agreement with the FARC]. Bogotá: Universidad Nacional de Colombia. 2018

“Domando la incertidumbre. El control constitucional de actos legislativos en tiempos de transición” (with R. Uprimny-Yepes and H. Martínez-Carrillo) [Taming uncertainty: constitutional control of amendments in transition from war to negotiated peace], in Umaña, C. (Ed.), *La justicia al encuentro de la paz en contextos de transición. Reflexiones actuales para desafíos colombianos* [Justice at the dawn of peace in transitional contexts. Current reflections on Colombian challenges], Bogotá: Universidad Externado de Colombia. ISBN printer 9789587729542. 2018

Peer-Review Journal Article

Pacigerancia: Legal status of peace agreements under international law (with R. Uprimny-Yepes), *Latin American Review*, 3, pp. 48-77 2019

Colombia en 2018: entre el fracaso de la paz y el inicio de la política programática (with M.P. Saffon-Sanín). [Colombia in 2018: between the failure of peace and the beginning of programmatic politics], *Revista de Ciencia Política*, 39, 2. 2019

Test y metodologías de los tribunales constitucionales frente a los derechos de los indígenas sobre la tierra: el caso de Colombia y Estados Unidos (with C.A. Santamaría-Chavarro). [Test and methodologies of constitutional courts relating to indigenous land rights: Colombia and U.S.A cases], *Pensamiento Jurídico*, 44, Facultad de Derecho, Ciencias Políticas y Sociales, Universidad Nacional de Colombia, 2016, pp. 229-258. ISSN digital 2357-6170. ISSN printer 0122-1108. Available at <https://revistas.unal.edu.co/index.php/peju/article/view/6095> 2016

Other

International Humanitarian Law: The Guiding Light for Designing and Implementing Peace Agreements (with Jason Quinn and Josefina Echavarría). *Peace Agreements Matrix Policy Brief Series*. South Bend, IN: The Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies doi.org/10.7274/nk322b9257h 2022

El poder de ser nombrado: la movilización campesina por su reconocimiento como sujeto político y de derechos [The power to be named: *campesino* mobilization for their recognition as political subjects and rightholders] (with A.J. Bautista-Revelo and R. Uprimny-Yepes), *Revista semillas*, 73/74, pp. 25-30 2019

Guía político-pedagógica sobre la incorporación de la temática de libertad de expresión y de acceso a la información pública en la formación de operadores judiciales en América Latina (C. Boterno-Marino, Research Senior and D. Güiza, Research Assistant)[Political-pedagogical guide to incorporating themes of freedom of expression and access to public information into judicial operator training in Latin America] Montevideo: United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization. Available at: <http://unesdoc.unesco.org/images/0024/002437/243750s.pdf> 2016

La Declaración de las Naciones Unidas sobre los Derechos de los Pueblos Indígenas. Un análisis para los pueblos indígenas colombianos (with D. Carrillo González). [United Nations Declaration on Rights of Indigenous people. An analysis for Colombian Indigenous Communities]. Bogotá: Organización Nacional Indígena de Colombia-ONIC, 2013. ISBN: 978-958-8430-18-8

WORK IN PROGRESS:

Book chapter. “Justicia transicional sin transición: del caso colombiano al mexicano” (with R. Uprimny) [Transitional justice without transition: from the Colombian to the Mexican case] in *Verdad, Memoria y Violencia en Contextos de Violencia Criminal* [Truth, Memory and Violence in Criminal Violence Contexts]. Ciudad de México: El Colegio de México y Fondo de Cultura Económica (forthcoming 2022).

Book chapter. Generando cumplimiento: La implementación del derecho internacional humanitario en el acuerdo de paz Colombia [The Construction of Compliance: The Implementation of International Humanitarian Law in the Colombian Peace Agreement] (with Jason M. Quinn and Josefina Echavarría) in *Conflicto armado no internacional y Derecho Internacional Humanitario: Reflexiones sobre el caso colombiano* [non-international armed conflict and International Humanitarian Law: Reflections the Colombian case] Bogotá: Universidad Externado de Colombia (forthcoming, 2022).

Co-authored paper. “Perpetual Transitions: Constitutions, Transitional Justice Mechanisms, and Peace Agreements” (with Ilana Rothkopf).

Co-authored paper. “‘Which Oppression?’ Narratives of National Progress and Popular Organizing in 1970s Colombia” (with Laura García-Montoya and Arturo Chang).

Co-authored paper. “Entering the Political Arena: Redistributive Demands and Social Mobilization in Post-agreement Colombia” (with Laura García-Montoya and María Paula Saffon).

Book chapter. La Asamblea Nacional Constituyente como escenario de negociación de paz [The National Constituent Assembly as a peace negotiation scenario] (with Ana Sánchez Ramírez).

Co-authored paper. “Campesinos (peasants) count! Campesino movements and the politics of recognition and redistribution in Colombia” (with Sergio Coronado and Ana Jimena Bautista).

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

The University of Notre Dame, South Bend (USA) 2019-

- Doctoral Research Associate – Notre Dame Violence and Transitional Justice Lab
Director and principal investigator – Guillermo Trejo
- Research assistant at the sub-cluster Courts, Rule of Law, Transitional Justice, and Constitutional Best Practices
Director - Laurie Nathan.

Universidad Nacional de Colombia, Bogotá (Colombia) 2017-2019
Researcher

- Study interactions between The Colombian peace process and international law
- Assess adverse possession over wastelands from an interdisciplinary perspective

Center for the Study of Law, Justice and Society (Dejusticia), Bogotá, Colombia 2015-2019
Researcher in Economic Justice and Transitional Justice areas

- Research on economic, social and cultural rights, especially peasantry rights.
- Follow-up to the peace process between the Colombian government and the guerrillas

Universidad Nacional de Colombia, Bogotá, Colombia 2015-2016
Carried out the project Correct or distribute to transform? A conception of justice for the Colombian Land Restitution Program

Center for the Study of Law, Justice and Society (Dejusticia), Bogotá, Colombia 2014-2015
Research Assistant in Human Rights Strategic Litigation area

- Drafted legal actions to file before the Constitutional Court (medical attention to survivors of sexual assault, the right to housing of victims of enforced disappearance, changing gender on official identification documents for trans people, the Colombian Land Restitution Program)
- Searched on constitutional and human rights law

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

The University of Notre Dame

Teaching Assistant 2022 (Spring)
Peace and the Global Economy (senior seminar)
Professor Caroline Hughes

Teaching Assistant 2020 (Spring)
Introduction to Peace Studies (undergraduate level)
Professor Angela J. Lederach

Universidad Nacional de Colombia

Lecturer 2019 (Spring)
Research Seminar II and Peace Processes and Transitional Justice in Comparative Perspective

Lecturer 2018 (Fall)
Research Seminar I

Lecturer 2018 (Spring)
Research Seminar I and Peace Processes and Transitional Justice in Comparative Perspective

Lecturer 2017 (Fall)
Research Seminars I and II

Lecturer 2017 (Spring)
Research Seminar I and Legal Research I

Lecturer 2016 (Fall)
Legal Research II and Constitutional Interpretation

Lecturer 2016 (Spring)
Legal Research II and Constitutionalism in Latin America

Lecturer 2015 (Fall)
Legal Research I and II, Constitutionalism in Latin America and Constitutional Theory

Lecturer	2015 (Spring)
Legal Research I and II, Constitutionalism in Latin America and Constitutional Theory	
Teaching Assistant	2013 (Fall)
Constitutional Theory	2014 (Spring and Fall)
Professors Rodrigo Uprimny and Andrés Abel Rodríguez	

CONFERENCES

Perpetual Transitions: Constitutions, Transitional Justice Mechanisms, and Peace Agreements at Global Meeting on Law and Society (Lisbon)	2022
Entering the Political Arena: Redistributive Demands and Social Mobilization in Post-accord Colombia at REPAL (Buenos Aires)	2022
“Which Oppression?’ Narratives of National Progress and Popular Organizing in 1970s Colombia” (with Laura García-Montoya and Arturo Chang) at Southwest Workshop on Mixed Methods Research, Northwestern University (Chicago)	2021
“La Asamblea Nacional Constituyente como escenario de negociación de paz” [The National Constituent Assembly as a peace negotiation scenario] (with Ana Sánchez Ramírez) at Treinta años de la Constitución de 1991: el ideal en medio de la tormenta, Universidad Nacional de Colombia	2021
“Movilización social y sistema político colombiano: crisis de representación, redistribución y represión” [Social mobilization and the Colombian political system: representation, redistribution, and represión crises] (with María Paula Saffon) at Congreso ICON-S Colombia, Universidad EAFIT	2021
“Estado de las luchas campesinas por el reconocimiento, la redistribución y la participación” [Peasant struggles for recognition, redistribution, and participation] at XVI Encuentro de la Jurisdicción Constitucional, Corte Constitucional de Colombia	2021
Third-Annual writing workshop on Critical Agrarian Studies and Scholar-Activism <i>The Journal of Peasant Studies</i>	2021
“Perpetual Transitions: Constitutions, Transitional Justice Mechanisms, and Peace Agreements” (with Ilana Rothkopf) at <i>ISA 2021 Conference</i>	2021
“Ulysses and the Constitutional Mast: Why Majority Parties are Willing to Constitutionalize Their Peace Agreement” (with Ilana Rothkopf and Laurie Nathan) at <i>Four Years of Peace Accord Implementation: International Comparative Experiences and the Colombian Case</i> . The Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies and Pontificia Universidad Javeriana	2020
<i>Transitional Justice and Sustainable Development Goals at 2019 Stockholm Forum on Peace and Development</i> , Stockholm International Peace Research Institute, Stockholm, Sweden.	2019
<i>Justicia transicional sin transición: del caso colombiano al mexicano</i> [Transitional justice without transition: from the Colombian to the Mexican case] at <i>Verdad, Memoria y Justicia en</i>	2018

contextos de violencia criminal [Truth, Memory and Violence in Criminal Violence Contexts], El Colegio de México, Ciudad de México.

Desapariciones en democracia. Desafíos conceptuales [Disappearances in democracy. Conceptual challenges] at *Desapariciones en las Postransiciones a la Democracia* [Disappearances in the Post-transitional Democracy], FLACSO México, University of Oxford, Human Rights Program – University of Minnesota, Instituto de Investigaciones Jurídicas - UNAM, Ciudad de México. 2018

Victim Participation in Informal Processes at *Victim Participation: Defining Goals, Impunity Watch*, The Hague, Netherlands. 2016

VOLUNTEER ACADEMIC SERVICE

Academic journal reviewer

Revista de Ciencia Política – RCP. Universidad Católica de Chile (one article). 2022

Political Behavior. The University of Notre Dame (one article). 2021

Latin American Research Review - LARR. University of Pittsburgh (one article). 2021

Revista Controversia. Centro de Investigación y Educación Popular – CINEP (two articles). 2021

International Journal of Transitional Justice. Oxford University Press (one article) 2018

SKILLS

Languages. Spanish: Native; English: Fluent; Portuguese: Intermediate.

Software. R, ArcGIS.