

Agenda

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Forum of the Inter-American Human Rights System

Washington, D.C., United States
December 4 – 5, 2017
OAS Headquarters

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2017

9:30 - 10:30am

Hall of the Americas
17th and Constitution Ave.

CONFERENCE OPENING

The Future of Human Rights in the Americas

Panelists:

- Luis Almagro, Secretary General, OAS
- Francisco Jose Eguiguren, IACHR President
- Roberto Figueiredo Caldas, Inter-American Court of Human Rights President
- Ambassador Ana Rosa Valdivieso, Permanent Representative of Peru to the OAS

10:30am - 12:30pm

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PANEL

Balance, Challenges and Main Advances in the Inter-American Human Rights System

Moderator:

- Jean Michel Arrighi, Secretary for Legal Affairs of the OAS

Panelists:

- Margarete May Macaulay, IACHR First Vice President
- Esmeralda Arosemena de Troitiño, IACHR Second Vice President
- Eduardo Ferrer Mac-Gregor Poisot, Inter-American Court of Human Rights Vice President
- Patricio Pazmiño, Inter-Judge of American Court of Human Rights

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<p>2:00 - 4:00pm</p>	<p>ROUNDTABLE</p> <p>Gender, Health and Discrimination: Challenges and Needs of Populations in Situations of Vulnerability</p> <p>Padilha Vidal Room 1889 F Street – TL level</p>	<p>EXPERT CONSULTATION</p> <p>Corruption and Human Rights</p> <p><i>Part 1: By invitation only</i></p> <p>Guerrero Room, 17th and Constitution Ave.</p>	<p>ROUNDTABLE</p> <p>New Paradigms on Drugs and Human Rights in the Americas</p> <p><i>Part 1</i></p> <p>Simón Bolívar Room 17th and Constitution Ave.</p>	<p>ROUNDTABLE</p> <p>Right of Refugees and Stateless Persons in the Americas: Laws Analysis of Nationality Laws, the International Refugee Law and the IAHR Standards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation of the Report "Born in the Americas: Promise and practice of nationality laws in Brazil, Chile and Colombia" • Presentation of the "Technical sheets on the Inter-American System for the Protection of Human Rights and the Protection of Persons of Interest to the UNHCR" <p>Hall of the Americas 17th and Constitution Ave.</p>	<p>ROUNDTABLE</p> <p>Disappeared People in America: Presentation of the "Missing Persons Project" of the International Red Cross</p> <p>804 Room 1889 F Street – 8th Floor</p>	<p>ROUNDTABLE</p> <p>Access to Information and Transparency related to Extractive Activities and Affection of the Rights of Environment Defenders</p> <p>Room Rubén Darío 1889 F Street – 8th Floor</p>
<p>4:00 - 6:00pm</p>	<p>ROUNDTABLE</p> <p>Defenders of Human Rights in the Central American North Triangle: Risks and Challenges</p> <p>Padilha Vidal Room 1889 F Street – TL level</p>	<p>ROUNDTABLE</p> <p>Corruption and Human Rights</p> <p><i>Part 2: event open to the public</i></p> <p>Hall of the Americas 17th and Constitution Ave.</p>	<p>ROUNDTABLE</p> <p>New Paradigms on Drugs and Human Rights in the Americas</p> <p><i>Part 2</i></p> <p>Launch of the Report on Reduction of the Use of Preventive Prison</p> <p>Simón Bolívar Room 17th and Constitution Ave.</p>	<p>ROUNDTABLE</p> <p>Sexual and Reproductive Rights from an Economic, Social, Cultural and Environmental Rights Approach</p> <p>Rubén Darío Room 1889 F Street – 8th Floor</p>	<p>ROUNDTABLE</p> <p>Advances and Setbacks in the Protection of the Rights of LGBTI Persons in the Americas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Situation of LGBTI Children and Adolescents • Economic, Social, Cultural and Environmental Rights • Situation of Discrimination and Violence against LGBTI People <p>Guerrero Room 17th and Constitution Ave.</p>	<p>ROUNDTABLE</p> <p>Symbolic Repair: a Contribution from Art and Memory Studies</p> <p>804 Room 1889 F Street – 8th Floor</p>

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2017

9:00 - 10.30am

Hall of the Americas

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PANEL 1

The Effectiveness of the Inter-American System: Experiences with National Legislation for Compliance with Decisions and Recommendations

Moderator:

- Pablo Saavedra, Executive Secretary of I.A Court of HR.

Panelists:

- Héctor Arce Zaconeta, Minister of Justice and institutional Transparency of the Plurinational State of Bolivia
- Andre de Carvalho Ramos, Secretary of Human Rights and Advocacy of the General Attorney of the Republic of Brazil
- Ambassador Andrés González, Permanent Representative of Colombia to the OAS
- Eugenia Gutiérrez Ruiz, Director Legal Department of the Ministry of Foreign Relations of Costa Rica
- Damian Miguel Loreti, Board of Directors of the Center for Legal and Social Studies (CELS)
- Carlos Ayala, Executive Committee of the International Commission of Jurists
- Alejandro Malambo, Coordinator of international litigation of the Colombian Commission of Jurists
- Katya Salazar, Executive Director of the Due Process of Law Foundation (DPLF)

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PANEL 2

The Effectiveness of the Inter-American System: Experiences with Official Institutional Systems and Mechanisms for Compliance with Decisions and Recommendations

Moderator:

- Paulo Abrão, Executive Secretary of the IACHR

Panelists:

- Ambassador Juan José Arcuri, Permanent Representative to the OAS of Argentina
- Beatriz Contreras Reyes, Chief of the Inter-American System of Human rights of the Department of Foreign Relations of Chile
- Lucero de Fatima Hinojosa, Secretary of Government of Mexico
- Salvador Sánchez, Deputy Minister of the Presidency of Panama
- Ambassador Federico A. González, Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs of Paraguay
- Viviana Krsticevic, Executive Director of the Center For Justice and International Law (CEJIL)
- Carlos Correa, Director of *Espacio Publico*
- Liliana Gamboa, Advocacy Officer of Open Society Justice Initiative

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<p>2:00 - 4:00pm</p>	<p>WORKSHOP</p> <p>The Implementation of Decisions and Friendly Settlements before the IAHR Bodies</p> <p><i>Part 1</i></p> <p>Hall of the Americas 17th and Constitution Ave.</p>	<p>CONSULTATION</p> <p>Joint Action Mechanism Between IACHR and OHCHR to Protect Human Rights Defenders</p> <p>Simón Bolívar Room 17th and Constitution Ave.</p>	<p>PRESENTATION AND OPEN CONSULTATION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ESCERSR strategic agenda • Business and Human Rights in the Region <p>Rubén Darío Room 1889 F Street – 8th Floor</p>	<p>CONVERSATORIO</p> <p>Challenges for the Universalization of the IASHR in the Caribbean</p> <p>804 Room 1889 F Street – 8th Floor</p>	<p>GQUAL ROUNDTABLE</p> <p>Achieving a Geographical; Legal and Gender Balance in the Representation of the Organs Of the Inter-American Human Rights System</p> <p><i>GQUAL Campaign</i></p> <p>Padilha Vidal Room 1889 F Street – TL level</p>
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