



Ordre du jour – Agenda

30 mai 15h00 à 17h00 – May 30th 3:00pm to 5:00pm

Address: Fauteux Hall, 57 Louis-Pasteur Private, Ottawa, ON K1N 6N5 Room: 202
Propositions pour un nouveau dialogue continental dans le domaine de la justice
Proposals for a new hemispheric dialogue in the field of justice

Times	Description	Speakers
3:00 - 3:05pm	Welcome speech Mot de Bienvenu	Dean Sylvestre
3:05 - 3:15pm	The platform La plateforme Justice et démocratie dans les Amériques	Dr. Pierre Gilles Bélanger
3:15 - 3:20pm	<i>The Seminar's objective and agenda</i> Le séminaire : <i>Son objectif et le déroulement</i>	Dr. Joao Velloso
3:20 - 3:35pm	Presentation from guest speaker Présentation du conférencier invité	Máximo Sozzo
3:35 - 3:50pm	Présentation from guest speaker Présentation de la conférencière invitée	Veronica Martinez
3:50 - 4:10pm	Comments from experts (in person) Commentaires des experts (en personne)	- Markus Gottsbacher et/and Adrian Di Giovanni, <i>Senior program specialists in Latina America at the IRDC</i> - Jennifer Khurana, <i>Présidente du tribunal canadien des droits de la personne/ Canadian Human Rights Tribunal President</i> - Dr. Marie-Christine Doran, <i>Full Professor of Comparative Politics at the School of Political Studies at the University of Ottawa</i> - Nataly Ponce*, <i>Présidente du CEJA/President of CEJA. (*zoom)</i> - Dr. Bernard Duhaime, <i>Département des sciences juridiques, Université du Québec à Montréal (UQAM)</i>
4:10 - 4:30pm	Comment from members of the platform (online) Commentaires des membres de la plateforme (en ligne)	
4:30 - 4:55pm	Questions and answers Questions et réponses	<i>Ouvert à tous</i> <i>Open to everyone</i>
4:55 - 5:00pm	Closing remarks Mot de clôture	Dr. Pierre Gilles Bélanger

Membres des différents pays:

Argentine: *Minister Luis Eduardo Susmann* comme représentant de H.E. Josefina Martínez Gramuglia

Pérou: *Minister Counselor Juan Pablo Guerrero* comme représentant de l'ambassade.

Mexique: *Alfonso Vera*, conseiller juridique à l'ambassade (Legal Affairs Counselor at Mexican Embassy in Canada) -

Colombie: *Ambassadeur Morales López*

Chili: *Mrs. Andrea Droppelmann*, Counsellor and Deputy Head of Mission

Panama: *Salvador Sanchez, Iina Vega, Jorge Giannareas*

Brésil: *Ambassador Pedro Henrique Lopes Borio, or Caio Grottone Teixeira da Mota (Head of the Political Section)*



Dr. Máximo Sozzo is a Professor of Sociology and Criminology and Director of the Crime and Society Program of the National University of Litoral – NUL (Santa Fe, Argentina). He is coauthor of *Southern Criminology* (Routledge, 2019) and co-editor of *The Palgrave Handbook of Criminology and the Global South* (Palgrave, 2018) and *The Political Economy of Punishment Today* (Routledge, 2018). He has published widely on punishment and prison studies in Spanish, Italian, Portuguese, English and Mandarin, including 18 books and 100 chapters and essays in scientific journals. He was visiting Scotland as a MacCormick Fellow at Edinburgh Law School (January – March 2023) and will be a visiting scholar at the University of Ottawa and Carleton University in May 2023.



Verónica Martínez-Solares is a member of the board of directors of the International Organization for Victim Assistance; of the Foundation for the Study of Security and Governance, A.C. from Mexico; representative of the International Board on Prevention of the Deutscher Präventionstag and permanent member of the Wolfson College of the University of Cambridge. She has a bachelor's degree in law and management and public Administration, and a master's degree in Victimology, as well as specialties in public policy and gender. Her professional areas of research are access to justice, victims' rights, citizen security, violence prevention, human rights, gender studies and mixed migratory movements. She has collaborated with various international organizations such as UN Habitat, UNODC, UNDP, UNESCO, UNHCR, IOM, USAID, IDRC, ICPC, EuroSociaAL, EFUS, the World Bank, the International Development Bank, among others. She is currently a visiting professor at the Ortega y GassetGregorio Marañón Institute in Mexico. She coordinated and participated in research and published articles, book chapters, books and international reports in more than 20 countries.



Markus Gottsbacher holds a Master's and PhD in Political Science from the University of Vienna, specializing in socio-environmental issues and indigenous rights. He has more than 27 years of experience in projects related to access to justice, crime prevention, as well as violence reduction and peacebuilding in Latin America and the Caribbean. He has worked with various programs, funds and specialized agencies of the United Nations, among which are: UNODC, ILO, UNESCO, UNDP, UNAIDS, and UNWOMEN and with civil society and multilateral organizations, such as the International Development Law Organization (IDLO). He has been a professor of postgraduate courses in Political Science at the Mexican Autonomous National University (UNAM), and researcher/professor at Instituto Mora also in Mexico, where he coordinated the Master's Program in International Cooperation for Development. He is Adjunct Research Professor at the Institute of Political Economy at Carleton University in Ottawa, Canada. He has participated in publications for the United Nations University, Siglo XXI, UNAM, IDRC, Universidad Javeriana, CLACSO, Instituto Mora, Universidad Iberoamericana, CONACYT, Routledge and Oxford University Press. Currently he is Senior Program Officer with the Democratic and Inclusive Governance Program of the International Development Research Center (IDRC), Canada, being in charge of projects on climate justice, civic space, forced displacement, and digital governance, mainly in Latin America.



Adrian Di Giovanni recently took on the role of Team Leader for Democratic and Inclusive Governance at Canada's International Development Research Centre (IDRC). In his prior role at IDRC, since 2011, he spearheaded a stream of research on law and development, focusing on public law, human rights and legal empowerment. Past roles have included Counsel for the Department of Justice Canada's Human Rights Law Section, and the World Bank's Legal Vice-Presidency. Adrian holds an LLM in international law from New York University and a JD from the University of Toronto. He is a part-time professor at Carleton University's Norman Paterson School of International Affairs and has worked previously in Uganda and Tanzania.



Jennifer Khurana is the Chairperson of the Canadian Human Rights Tribunal (CHRT). She is a bilingual lawyer and experienced decision-maker with a background in social justice, human rights, and international law. Ms. Khurana was previously the Vice-Chairperson of the CHRT. She has also served as a Vice-Chairperson at the Social Security Tribunal of Canada and at the Human Rights Tribunal of Ontario, and as a Member of the Ontario Social Benefits Tribunal. Internationally, Ms. Khurana was the Director of International Humanitarian Law at the American Red Cross in Washington, D.C., and from 2003-2009 served as legal advisor in Chambers and as External Relations Advisor to the President of the International Criminal Court in the Hague. Jennifer was the Chairperson of the Council of Canadian Administrative Tribunals (CCAT) from 2019 to 2022 and continues to serve on CCAT's executive committee as Past Chair. She is also a member of the Board of Directors of the Centre for Plain Language.



Marie Christine Doran is a Full Professor of comparative politics in Latin America at the School of Political Studies, University of Ottawa. She is also a researcher in different international research platforms on violence and democracy in Europe and Latin America including International Panel on Exiting Violence, the Brazilian CAPES International Research Network on Conflict Management in Plural Public Spaces and the Chilean Research platform of Indigenous women in Araucanía: social, political and discursive trajectories. She has been Fellow at Harvard University's Center for the Study of World religions and Visiting professor in different universities of the world. She was auditioned as international expert before the Commission for Integral Reparation of Victims of Human Rights Violations during the Social Outbreak of the Subsecretariat of Human Rights, Ministry of Justice of Chile in 2023. Her work in compared politics is based on numerous field trips in different Latin American countries and focuses on political violence – including politico-sexual violence against women human rights defenders-, human rights, Indigenous and Afro-descendant rights and activism, democratic theory and democratization, post-conflict, impunity, criminalization, struggles for justice and memory, as well as religion and politics. Her published work includes numerous peer-reviewed articles in 4 languages and 3 books, including the forthcoming « Criminalizing Democracy: the Hidden Face of Violence in Latin America » to be published at Routledge. She is main researcher of the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada funded team on “Violence and Democracy: the Criminalization of Struggles for rights in Latin America” (2018-2025), and Director of the Observatory on Violence, Criminalization and Democracy, as well as a consultant on Latin American issues for *Global Affairs Canada*. She received the Academic Gold Medal of the Governor General of Canada for her PhD studies.



Nataly Ponce is the new Executive Director of CEJA (Justice Studies Center of the Americas). She is an Attorney with a master's degree in public policies and government, and Latin American studies. She is a Senior professional with twenty years of experience, has Expertise in human rights, gender, justice systems reforms, public management, anti-corruption, and public safety, as well as Professional experience in ten Latin-American countries, as researcher, consultant, project manager, advisor, and academic. She has held positions of high responsibility in public organizations, civil society and international institutions, educational institutions, and the private sector. She was vice minister for public safety and vice-minister for women's rights in Peru. She has been the leader of multidisciplinary teams and has financial management experience— postgraduate professor in strategic thinking at the Pontifical Catholic University of Peru. Between 2005-2010, she developed an outstanding career as an international fellow, researcher, coordinator of regional studies, and international consultant at the Justice Studies Center for the Americas (JSCA/ CEJA).



Bernard Duhaime is Full Professor of International Law at the Faculty of Law and Political Science of the University of Quebec in Montreal (UQAM, Montreal, Canada), where he teaches mainly international human rights law and specializes on the Inter-American System of Protection of Human Rights (2004-). He also served as a Member of the Working group on enforced or involuntary disappearances reporting to the United Nations Human Rights Council (2014-2021). Trained in Law at McGill University in Canada and at the University of Notre Dame in the United States, Mr. Duhaime contributes to the defense and promotion of human rights since 1996. He has worked or collaborated with several international and national human rights agencies, having taken part to multiple observation and training missions, and having produced several institutional reports. He regularly represents or assists victims and human rights defenders in several contentious cases before the Inter-American Human rights System, UN specialized agencies and mechanisms, the European Court of Human Rights, etc. Pr Duhaime is the author of more than sixty peer-reviewed publications and contributed to the following books: « Doctrine, Practice, and Advocacy in the Inter-American Human Rights System » (OUP, 2019), « Commentario alla prima parte della Convenzione americana dei diritti del l'uomo » (Ed. Scientifica de Napoli, 2017), « The State on Trial: Policing Protest » (UBCP, 2015), «International law between constitutionalization and fragmentation: the role of law in the postnational constellation» (OUP, 2014), «Defending the Human Rights of Migrants in the Americas: The Nadège Dorzema et al v Dominican Republic Case» (Special Edition RQDI, 2013), « Canada in the Americas: Making a Difference?» (Special Edition Int'l J, 2012); «Protecting Human Rights in the Americas: The Inter-American Institutions at 60» (Special Edition RQDI, 2011); Donner droit de cité aux droits économiques, sociaux et culturels (Yvon Blais, 2011), Human Rights Regimes in the Americas (UNUP, 2010), Le particularisme interaméricain des droits de l'homme (Pedonne, 2009), Governing the Americas: Regional Institutions at the Crossroads (Lynne Rienner, 2007). He also signs the yearly Digest of Inter-American Law in the Canadian Yearbook of International Law since 2013.



Topic: Another North, Another South

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