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The Law & the Amazon: Challenges for a Sustainable Future | [Program](#)

Thursday, 17.10.2024

08:00–08:45

Check-in and coffee



08:45–09:15

Presentation of Max Planck Law and the Forum Latin America Initiative.

Thomas Duve (Director, Max Planck Institute for Legal History and Legal Theory) and Forum Latin America Team

09:15–09:45

Keynote lecture

Samara Pataxó (Tribunal Superior Eleitoral, Brasil, Universidade de Brasília)

09:45–11:45

PANEL I – NOVEL RESEARCH METHODOLOGIES IN AND FOR THE AMAZON

Chair: Bruno Lima (MPI for Legal History and Legal Theory)

Discussant: Bernardo Jurema (Research Institute for Sustainability, Potsdam)

Premises, Possibilities, and Propositions in Formulating an Original Legal Comparison Theory

Deo Campos Dutra (Universidade Católica de Brasília)

Guilherme Roman Borges (Universidade Católica de Brasília)

Consideraciones Generales para la Utilización de las Narrativas del Desarrollo Sostenible como Metodología en la Formulación de un Contrato Social y Ecológico para la Amazonía

Sebastián Preller (Universidad Autónoma de Chile / Universidad Pompeu Fabra)

Global Climate Change and Local Realities: Dynamics and Perceivance of International Conservation Agenda (via REDD+) in the State of Acre, Brazil

Artur Sgambatti Monteiro (Freie Universität Berlin)

Proving the Intangible in Pueblos Indígenas Tagaeri y Taromenane vs Ecuador

Nina Valerie Kolowratnik (Ghent University)

11:45–12:00

Coffee



12:00–13:30

PANEL II – THE “WAR ON” NARRATIVES AND CRIMINOLOGY STUDIES ON THE AMAZON

Chair: Linus Ensel (MPI for the Study of Crime, Security and Law)

Discussant: Jan-Michael Simon (MPI for the Study of Crime, Security and Law)

The Discourse of the Environmental Enemy: a Critique of Punitive Environmental Policy

Homero Chiaraba (Universidade Estadual de Santa Cruz)

Multiple Levels of Socioenvironmental Harm in the Amazon Rainforest: The Case of “Potassium War” in Autazes

Giulia Gianecchini (Universidade de São Paulo)

Eduardo Saad-Diniz (Universidade de São Paulo)

The Role of the Narco-frontier Imaginary in Illicit Crop Eradication Managed by Indigenous Communities in Cauca, Colombia

Guisela Camacho-Mejia (University of Oslo)

13:30–14:30



Lunch

14:30–16:00

PANEL III – SHAPING A LATIN AMERICAN SUSTAINABLE MARKET ECONOMY

Chair: Germán Johannsen (Humanet3 at CHM / MPI for Innovation and Competition)

Discussant: Bruna Maia (Université Panthéon-Assas Paris 2)

Conserving as Outliers: How some Small-scale Farmers Use Social Norms and Navigate State Laws to Protect the Forest in the Agricultural Frontiers of the Peruvian Amazon

Pablo Peña Alegria (University of Oxford)

Green Criminology and ESG: an Integrated Analysis of Environmental Crimes and Corporate Social Responsibility in Brazil

Raphael Boldt (Faculdade de Direito de Vitória)

Biopiracy in the Amazon: Using Social Network Analysis to Guide Anti-biopiracy Regulations in Latin America for Genetic Resources and Traditional Knowledge

Elnur Karimov (MPI for Innovation and Competition)

16:00–16:15



Coffee



16:15–17:45

PANEL IV – THE ROLE OF “NATURE” IN NEW AND OLD LEGAL PARADIGMS

Chair and Discussant: Annette Mehlhorn (MPI for Social Anthropology)

Commons in the New World: Conflicts Over Land Rights and Natural Resources in 18th Century Portuguese America

Sarah Limão Papa (University of Frankfurt)

Amazon of Rights

Luis Eslava (La Trobe University); Jenny García Ruales (MPI for Social Anthropology)

The Implementation of the Ecocentric Paradigm in Amazonian Jurisdictions: the Constitutionalization of Traditional Culture and the Rights of Nature in Bolivia and Ecuador

Maria Francesca Cavalcanti (University of Tilburg)

17:45–18:30

First day wrap-up

19:30–21:30

Dinner – Restaurant Gasthaus Zum Roten Bären (Oberlinden 12, 79098)

21:30–22:30

Reflections about the Forum and legal studies *in and on* Latin America

Friday, 18.10.2024

09:00–10:30

PANEL V – THE INTERPLAY OF SOCIAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTIONS AND ITS ACTORS

Chair: Jenny García Ruales (MPI for Social Anthropology)

Discussant: Samara Pataxó (Tribunal Superior Eleitoral, Brasil, U. de Brasília)

Indigenous Knowledge and Legal Worlds in Amazonian Jurisdictions: Pragmatic Truth and Symmetry of Knowledge in Court Decision

André Nunes Chaib (Maastricht University)

La ‘Consulta Inconsultada’: Reflexiones Críticas sobre el Referéndum del Yasuní en Ecuador

Julia Schwab (U. of Giessen); Rafael Yumbo (Federación de Comunas Unidas de Nacionalidad Kichwa de la Amazonía Ecuatoriana); Natalí Cáceres (U. Central del Ecuador)

The Convergence between Modern Slavery and Environmental Degradation in the Brazilian Amazon Rainforest: Exploring the Social-ecological Victimization Nexus

João Victor Gianecchini (Universidade de São Paulo)



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10:30–11:00



Coffee

11:00–13:00

PANEL VI – INTERNATIONAL LAW, HUMAN RIGHTS, AND CLIMATE CHANGE

Chair: Roberto Ramos Obando (MPI for Tax Law and Public Finance)

Discussant: Luis Eslava (La Trobe University)

Governing International Commons: Re-examining Environmental and Sovereignty Imaginaries in the Amazon

Roger Merino Acuña (Universidad del Pacífico)

Climate Emergency and the Protection of the Environment in Latin America: Transformative Innovations at the Inter-American System of Human Rights

Ignacio Perotti Pincioli (Universidad Europea de Madrid)

Multifaceted Investment Disputes in the Amazon: towards a Legal Standard of Review in International Law

Gustavo Prieto (FWO - Ghent University)

Legal Challenges in the Anthropocene

Carolina Bejarano Martínez (MPI for Comparative Public Law and International Law)

13:00–14:00



Lunch and group picture

14:00–15:30

PANEL VII – JUDICIALIZATION OF CLIMATE CONFLICTS

Chair: Roberto Ramos Obando (MPI for Tax Law and Public Finance)

Discussant: Juan Auz (University of Tilburg)

Genealogía de la Judicialización de la Lucha contra la Deforestación en Colombia

Juana Dávila; Mauricio Albarracín (Independent scholars)

Implementing Climate Remedies in the Amazon

Camila Bustos (Pace University New York)

Clausewitz in the Amazon

Carolina Stange Azevedo Moulin (Secretaria do Meio Ambiente do Estado de Goiás)

15:30–16:00

CLOSING REMARKS – So, what's next?

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