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Towards an inclusive and Sustainable Model of Globalization

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Rethinking international economic paradigms and making them work for Latin America

The last two years have brought about seismic shifts in international economic law as a result of pressing concerns in national security, climate change, inequality, and labor standards. The Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) and the CHIPS and Science Act, enacted by the United States in 2022, and European responses, such as the EU Green Industrial Plan and the Net Zero Industry Act (NZIA), have changed the rules of the game for developing countries, reviving ideas of industrial policy, and putting in question the neoliberal model of globalization.



The paradigm shift provides Latin American countries with an opening to reimagine economic models so that they deliver better results in terms of social inclusion and sustainability.

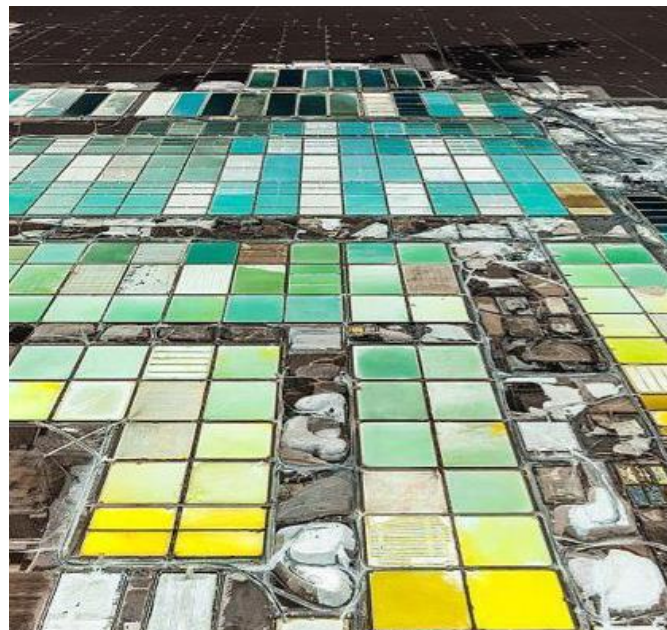
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Established with a grant from the Hewlett Foundation, the Latin American Political Economy and Globalization (LAPEG) is a new program that responds to the call for innovative thinking and action amid the crisis of the international economic order. Launched in August 2023 by the Center for the Advancement of the Rule of Law in the Americas (CAROLA) at Georgetown University Law Center and the Center for Law, Regulation, and a Sustainable Economics (CEDRES) at Universidad de Valparaíso, **LAPEG aims to serve as an incubator for imagining alternative models of globalization in the post-neoliberal world, bringing the voice of Latin America into global discussions on climate change and the future of international trade, foreign investment, and labor.**



Conference objectives

The **LAPEG 2024 Conference: Towards an Inclusive and Sustainable Model of Globalization on Friday, April 19, 2024** will gather scholars, policymakers, and other stakeholders working on innovative approaches to international trade and investment in Latin America. **We will discuss a concept paper and three policy briefs** on new ideas in international economic law and policy options for promoting Latin America's sustainable and inclusive development **as well as convene an interactive workshop to move from ideas into practice.**



Lithium fields in the Salar de Atacama, Chile © Tom Hegen



Toyota, Tacoma plant in Tijuana, Mexico © Toyota

A network of actors working towards transformative change

LAPEG aims to build a bridge between networks of scholars, policymakers and activists in the United States, Europe and Latin America, who are having similar conversations and working on innovative approaches to international trade and investment in Latin America. **The LAPEG conference will serve as a starting point for the development of a diverse, inclusive, and action-driven network, providing synergies to unlock transformative action in the region and help shape the trade, investment, labor, and environmental global rules.**

SCHEDULE

Room 2001, Eric E. Hotung International Law Building Georgetown Law Campus 550 First Street NW, Washington, D.C. 2001

8:00 - 8:45 am

Breakfast and Registration

8:45 - 9:00 am

Introductory Remarks

Nicolás Perrone, Director of CEDRES
Álvaro Santos, Director of CAROLA

Session 1: Recent Developments in International Economic Law and Opportunities for Latin America

Moderator:

María Belén Paoletta, LAPEG Research Associate

9:00 - 10:45 am

Nicolás Perrone, Director of CEDRES
Álvaro Santos, Director of CAROLA

Commentators:

Enrique Dussel Peters, Professor, Graduate School of Economics, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM)

Benedict Kingsbury, Vice Dean and Murry and Ida Becker Professor of Law, NYU School of Law

Verónica Robert, Director of the Master's in Economic Development at the Interdisciplinary School of Advanced Social Studies, Universidad Nacional de San Martín (UNSAM)

10:45 - 11:00 am

Coffee Break

Session 2: Rethinking Critical Minerals, Digital Trade, and Labor Policies

Moderator:

Ana Isabel Abad, LAPEG Research Associate

José Miguel Ahumada, Assistant Professor, Institute of International Studies, Universidad de Chile

Dorotea López Giral, Professor and Director of International Studies, Universidad de Chile

Marília Maciel, Head of Digital Commerce and Internet Policy, Diplo Foundation

Fabio Morosini, Associate Professor, Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul

Daniel Rangel, Research Director, Rethink Trade Program, Americas Economic Liberties Project

Commentators:

Mauricio León, Chief, Non-Renewable Resources Unit, Natural Resources Division, Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC)

Neha Mishra, Assistant Professor in International Law, Geneva Graduate Institute

Sandra Polaski, Non-Resident Senior Fellow, Global Economic Governance, Global Development Policy Center, Boston University

11:00 am 1:00 pm



SCHEDULE

The Sarah and Bernard Gewirz Student Center G12, Georgetown Law Campus 600 New Jersey Ave NW, Washington, DC 20001

1:00 - 2:30 pm

Lunch

Keynote Address:

Ambassador Lisa Kubiske, U.S. Senior Official for the Americas Partnership for Economic Prosperity (APEP), U.S. Department of State

Session 3: Bringing the Local into Latin America's Trade Policy Discussions

Moderator:

Nicolás Perrone, Director of CEDRES

2:45 - 4:15 pm

Altagracia Gómez, Chair of the Board, Grupo PEO

Alexis Daniel Romero Ramos, President, Consejo de Pueblos Atacameños

Jazmín Romero Epiayu, Feminist and conservationist Wayuu activist

Soraya Stella Caro Vargas, Vice Minister for Business Development, Colombian Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism

4:15 - 4:30 pm

Coffee Break

Session 4: How Does an Inclusive and Sustainable Model of Globalization Look for Latin America?

Moderator:

Álvaro Santos, Director of CAROLA

4:30 - 6:00 pm

Ana María Ibañez, Vice President for Sectors and Knowledge, Inter-American Development Bank

Jennifer Harris, Director Economic and Society Initiative, Hewlett Foundation

José Antonio Ocampo, Professor at School of International and Public Affairs, Columbia University

Cristina Reis, Undersecretary for Sustainable Economic Development, Secretariat of Economic Policies, Brazilian Ministry of Finance

6:00 - 7:00 pm

Closing Remarks and Reception

Álvaro Santos, Director of CAROLA

Nicolás Perrone, Director of CEDRES

7:30 - 9:00 pm

Dinner with Participants

Location: Art and Soul Restaurant, YOTEL
415 New Jersey Ave NW, Washington, DC 20001

Conference Speakers (in Alphabetical Order)



José Miguel Ahumada

Assistant Professor, Institute of International Studies, Universidad de Chile

José Miguel Ahumada is an Assistant Professor at the Institute of International Studies of the University of Chile. Between March 2022 and March 2023, he served as Undersecretary of International Economic Relations of his country, under the government of Gabriel Boric. His work focuses on international political economy and economic development.



Soraya Stella Caro Vargas

Vice Minister of Entrepreneurial Development, Minister of Commerce, Industry and Tourism

Vice Minister Vargas is a lawyer from Universidad Externado de Colombia, with an International Master degree in Economic Law from the University of Bologna and a Doctorate in Political Science from Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU). She has worked as a professor at Universidad Externado de Colombia and was the director of the National Office for the Bolivar Program for Technological Integration, Regional Cooperation, and Competitiveness, a program by the IDB. She has served as an advisor to the Ministry of Economic Development and, most recently, as an advisor to the Superior Council of Foreign Trade. She has participated in and published books and scientific articles, including "Attracting Foreign Investment from Emerging Countries: The Case of India and Colombia," and "Globalization for All".



Enrique Dussel Peters

Professor at Graduate School of Economics, Universidad Autónoma de México (UNAM)

Enrique Dussel Peters has a Ph.D. in Economics at the University of Notre Dame (1996). Professor at the Graduate School of Economics, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM) since 1993. Coordinator of the Center for Chinese-Mexican Studies (Cechimex) of the School of Economics at UNAM and of the Academic Network of Latin America and the Caribbean on China (Red ALC-China). Member of Sistema Nacional de Investigadores (level 3). Author of chapters and books on political economy, industrial organization, development, processes of segments of global value chains and the socioeconomic Latin America and Caribbean-China relationship in Spanish, German, English, Chinese, and Portuguese.



Altagracia Gómez

Chair of the Board, Grupo PEO

Altagracia chairs the board in Promotora Empresarial de Occidente, one of the most important industrial and financial conglomerates in the country. Ms. Gómez participates in over ten, universities, companies, NGOs and patronages advisory boards. She stands out as the youngest person on the list of the 100 most important business people in Mexico and one of the top three most powerful business women in the country. Bloomberg has recognized Altagracia as one of the most influential people in Latin America. She has been awarded 3 times the National Agribusiness Award in Mexico and has received the Global Race Award granted by Harvard University. She is currently Regional Economic Development and Nearshoring Advisor for Mexico's ruling party presidential candidate and continues to focus her investments in sectors that catalyze sustainable development.

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Jennifer Harris

Director, Economy and Society Initiative, William & Flora Hewlett Foundation

Jennifer Harris is the founding director of the Economy & Society Initiative at the William & Flora Hewlett Foundation, and the co-founder and co-chair of BuildUS. From January 2021 to March 2023, she served as Special Assistant to the President and Senior Director for International Economics on the National Security Council and National Economic Council at the White House. Her portfolio spanned a range of economic, national security, and decarbonization policy areas, including U.S. economic policy toward China; the first-ever Global Minimum Tax agreement; clean energy supply chains; the Global Arrangement on Sustainable Steel; the Partnership for Global Infrastructure, and a number of critical minerals and green industrial policy efforts. Earlier in her career, Ms. Harris was a Senior Fellow at the Brookings Institution, a Senior Fellow at the Council on Foreign Relations, and a member of the policy planning staff at the U.S. Department of State. She is the co-author of *War By Other Means: Geoeconomics and Statecraft* (Harvard/Belknap 2016). She holds a J.D. from Yale Law School and an M.Phil from Oxford, where she was a Truman and Rhodes scholar.



Ana María Ibanez

Vice President for Sectors and Knowledge, Inter-American Development Bank

Ana María Ibanez Londoño currently holds the position of Vice President for Sectors and Knowledge at the Inter-American Development Bank. Her career includes serving as a Professor at the Universidad de los Andes in Bogotá, specializing in migration, rural development, and conflict research. She also held roles as Dean of the School of Economics and Director of the Research Center. Ana María has contributed to various boards, including Grupo Éxito, BBVA-Colombia, Fundación Éxito, and Fundación Saldarriaga Concha. She also served on the Advisory Committee of the United Nations' PeaceBuilding Fund and the World Bank's Commission on Poverty. She earned her Ph.D. and Master's in Agricultural and Resource Economics from the University of Maryland, with an undergraduate degree in Economics from the Universidad de los Andes in Bogotá, Colombia.



Benedict Kingsbury

Vice Dean and Murry and Ida Becker Professor of Law, NYU School of Law

Benedict Kingsbury is Vice Dean and Murry and Ida Becker Professor of Law at New York University School of Law. He has served as Director of the Institute for International Law and Justice since its founding in 2002, and has jointly led its projects on Global Administrative Law, Indicators as a Technology of Global Governance, and Megaregional Agreements as regulation (Megareg). His current work focuses on physical, digital, and informational infrastructure (Infraereg); global data/tech law (including digital sequence data, and generative AI); and planetary and space law. He was joint Editor in Chief of the *American Journal of International Law* 2013-18. After completing his LL.B. at the University of Canterbury in New Zealand, Professor Kingsbury was a Rhodes Scholar at Balliol College, Oxford, and graduated from the M.Phil in International Relations and D.Phil in Law at Oxford, where he subsequently taught.



Ambassador Lisa Kubiske

U.S. Senior Official for the American Partnership for Economic Prosperity, U.S. Department of State

Ambassador Lisa Kubiske is the U.S. Department of State's senior official for the Americas Partnership for Economic Prosperity (APEP), a presidential initiative announced at the 2022 Summit of the Americas. Before this role, she spent over 30 years at the Department of State, the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative (USTR), and the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Ambassador Kubiske served as Ambassador to Honduras; Deputy Chief of Mission and Chargé in Brazil; Deputy Chief of Mission in the Dominican Republic; and in various assignments in Mexico and China. In Washington DC, Ambassador Kubiske served in diverse roles including as Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for International Finance and Development. At USTR, she was an investment treaty negotiator. Ambassador Kubiske received the Department of State's highest award for earthquake relief in Mexico. She has a Master of Science in Foreign Service from Georgetown University and a Bachelor of Arts degree from Brandeis University.

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Mauricio León

Chief, Non-Renewable Resources Unit, Natural Resources Division

Chief of the Non-Renewable Resources Unit in the Natural Resources Division of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC). Economist (Central University of Ecuador), Master's in Economics (Latin American Faculty of Social Sciences), Doctorate in Social Sciences (University of Salamanca). He was Vice Minister of the Ministries of Coordination of Economic Policy, Coordination of Social Development, and Economic and Social Inclusion of the Ecuadorian government between 2007 and 2013. He has been a consultant for international organizations and a university lecturer for undergraduate and postgraduate programs at several universities in Ecuador.



Dorotea López Giral

Professor and Director of International Studies, Universidad de Chile

Professor and Director of International Studies, Economist, University of Chile. PhD in Social Sciences, University of Chile; Master in Economics, University of Cambridge; Bachelor of Economics, Autonomous Technological Institute of Mexico. She worked in the Central Bank of Mexico, and at the Foreign Affairs Ministry of Chile. Her research is in international economics and trade policy.



Marilia Maciel

Head of Digital Commerce and Internet Policy, DiploFoundation

Marília Maciel is Head of Digital Commerce and Internet Policy at DiploFoundation, where she leads research on the Digital Economy, Digital Trade, and Economic Security. Her PhD thesis focused on the securitization of information and communication technologies and services in the context of Sino-American relations.



Neha Mishra

Assistant Professor in the International Law Department of the Geneva Graduate Institute

Neha Mishra is currently an Assistant Professor in the International Law department of the Geneva Graduate Institute. She researches international legal issues in the digital economy, focusing on international economic law, data flows and digital trade, and the interface of trade law and emerging digital technologies. She is qualified as a lawyer in India and UK, and previously worked with law firms and technology companies in the UK, India, and Singapore. She holds undergraduate and postgraduate degrees in law and public policy and a PhD in law from Melbourne Law School.

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Fabio Morosini

Associate Professor at the Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul School of Law

Fabio Morosini is an Associate Professor at the Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul School of Law, where he directs the Center for Law, Globalization and Development. He is also a research fellow at the National Council of Scientific and Technological Development. Professor Morosini holds a PhD and an LLM from the University of Texas at Austin and a master's degree, with honors, from the University of Paris 1/ Paris' Institute of Political Sciences. Upon completion of his PhD, he was a post-doctoral fellow at the World Trade Organization. He currently serves in the Advisory Board of Texas International Law Journal, the Editorial Boards of the Journal of International Economic Law, and of Law and Geoeconomics, and the Advisory Councils of the Independent International Legal Advocates and of the Indian Journal of International Economic Law. His recent edited and co-edited books include *Reconceptualizing International Investment Law from the Global South* (CUP, 2018), *Regulação do Comércio e Investimento Estrangeiro* (Saraiva, 2017), *Direito Internacional: Abordagens Críticas* (Almedina, 2020), and *Direito das Relações Econômicas Brasil-China* (2022). IN 2023, Professor Morosini was designated by the Government of Brazil as a Member of the Consultative Committee of the UNIDROIT Project on International Investment Contracts.



Jose Antonio Ocampo

Professor of Professional Practice in International and Public Affairs, Columbia University

José Antonio Ocampo is a Professor at the School of International and Public Affairs at Columbia University. Ocampo has served in a number of positions in the United Nations and the Government of Colombia, most notably as United Nations Under-Secretary General for Economic and Social Affairs; Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC); Minister of Finance and Public Credit on two occasions; Chairman and member of the Board of Banco del República (Central Bank of Colombia); Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development; Director of the National Planning Department (Minister of Planning); and Executive Director of Fedesarrollo. Ocampo has published extensively on macroeconomic theory and policy, international financial issues, economic and social development, international trade, and Colombian and Latin American economic history. Ocampo received his BA in economics and sociology from the University of Notre Dame in 1972 and his PhD in economics from Yale University in 1976.



Sandra Polaski

Non-resident Senior Fellow, Global Economic Governance Initiative at the Boston University Global Development Policy Center

Sandra Polaski has been a policy maker, negotiator, expert and advocate on policies covering trade, labor and income distribution at national and international levels. She served as the Deputy Director-General for Policy of the International Labor Organization (ILO) and was its Sherpa to the G20. Earlier she headed the US Department of Labor's International Labor Affairs Bureau. Before that she directed the Trade, Equity and Development Program at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. She is currently a senior research scholar with Boston University's Global Development Policy Center and is a member of the Independent Mexico Labor Expert Board. She has published widely on trade, labor and social policy topics.



Daniel Rangel

Research Director, Rethink Trade Program, Americas Economic Liberties Project

Daniel Rangel Jurado is the Research Director of the Rethink Trade program at the American Economic Liberties Project. Daniel has drafted and led the advocacy of several stakeholder petitions to activate the Rapid Response Mechanism of the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement.

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Cristina Reis

Undersecretary for Sustainable Economic Development, Secretariat of Economic Policies, Brazilian Ministry of Finance

Licensed professor of Economics at the Federal University of ABC, master and doctorate degrees in Economics from the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro. She has several publications in the areas of Development and International Economy, working mainly with global value chains, public investment, production structure, international trade and sustainability. She actually leads the formulation of sustainable finance policies, such as the regulation of carbon markets and the sustainable taxonomy in Brazil.



Veronica Robert

Director of the Master's in Economic Development at the Interdisciplinary School of Advanced Social Studies at UNSAM

Verónica Robert holds a Ph.D. in Economics from the University of Buenos Aires. Currently, she works as an independent researcher at CONICET, teaches undergraduate and graduate courses at the National University of San Martín (UNSAM), and serves as the director of the Master's in Economic Development at the Interdisciplinary School of Advanced Social Studies at UNSAM. She previously served as the Undersecretary of Development Strategy at the Secretariat of Strategic Affairs of the Nation, focusing on the theme of energy transition and its challenges in terms of productive development. She specializes in the economics of innovation and technological change. Her recent publications address ecological and digital transitions and their impacts on value chains, as well as the productive structures of peripheral economies. She has consulted for international organizations such as ECLAC, IDB, and ILO. She is the author of numerous publications on topics including technological change and economic development, science, technology, and innovation policy, and industrial policy. She received the Faculty of Economic Sciences Award and the Raúl Prebisch Award for her doctoral work.



Jazmin Romero Epiayu

Feminist and conservationist Wayuu activist

Jazmin Romero Epiayu, a Wayuu activist and conservationist, fights for the rights of Wayuu women, defending water and collective interests. She champions resistance rooted in Wayuu tradition against neoliberal privatization. Born in La Guajira, Colombia, she embodies her ancestral wisdom, leading with clarity and resilience. Throughout her years, she has devoted her entire existence to defending the rights of women and girls, and advocating for the sovereignty of her people, especially regarding the environment and intellectual property. Jasmine's leadership symbolizes a commitment to cultural preservation and environmental protection. Through her advocacy, she confronts injustice, inspiring hope and empowerment among her people. She emphasizes the importance of indigenous struggles in shaping equitable economic development. Her Wayuu identity grounds her in spirituality and ancestral knowledge, guiding her in the fight for justice and dignity. Jasmine's resilience and determination make her a formidable force for change, embodying the spirit of resistance and the legacy of her ancestors.



Alexis Daniel Romero Ramos

President, Council of Atacameños Peoples

An indigenous of the Atacameña Lickanantai ethnicity, he was born in Atacama La Grande, where his ancestors have inhabited for eleven thousand years. It is a family heritage to work the land and care for their animals. Since childhood, the connection with the territory has implied a strong bond with his Lickana and its constant protection, as well as maintaining its customs, traditions, and ancestral wisdom. In the path of his leadership, he has clung to the hope of recovering the lands, waters, and freedom of his people. He is the president of the Atacameña community of Solor and today also of the Council of Atacameño Peoples.

Roundtable participants (in Alphabetical Order)

- **Rodrigo Aguilar Benignos**, Senior Advisor, APCO Worldwide
- **Henry Baldelomar**, Commercial Counselor Embassy of Bolivia in the United States
- **Cindy Buffart**, Commercial Counselor, Embassy of Panama in the United States
- **Sarah Casson**, Economic Officer in the Bureau of Western Hemisphere Affairs, US. State Department
- **Juan Manuel Cortelletti**, Head of Economic and Commercial Section, Embassy of Argentina in the United States
- **Aude Darnal**, Reimagining U.S. Grand Strategy Project, Project Manager Stimson Center
- **Sebastián Espinoza**, Consultant of the IADB Sanctions Committee
- **Isabel Estevez**, Deputy Director Industrial Policy Trade, Roosevelt Institute
- **Margarita Fajardo**, Professor, Sarah Lawrence University
- **Luis Godoy**, Associate Director, Economy and Justice, Open Society Foundations
- **Amir Lebdioui**, Associate Professor of the Political Economy of Development, Oxford University
- **Franklin Morales**, Deputy Chief of Mission, Embassy of Panama in the United States
- **Sebastián Ortiz Montaner**, Economic and Trade Counselor, Embassy of Paraguay in the United States
- **Mario Schapiro**, Professor of Law at Fundação Getulio Vargas Law School
- **Greg Shaffer**, Scott K Ginsburg Professor of International Law, Georgetown University
- **William Turton**, Commercial Minister, Embassy of Guatemala in the United States
- **Hannah Tyler**, Program Officer for Foreign and Security Policies, Friederich Ebert Stiftung
- **Manuela Valencia**, Trade Counselor, Embassy of Colombia in the United States
- **Andres Valenciano**, Director of the United Nations Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC) in Washington D.C.
- **Jorge Vélez**, Economic Counselor, Embassy of Colombia in the United States

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Alvaro Santos

Professor of Law; Anne Fleming Research Professor, CAROLA Director

Alvaro Santos is a Professor of Law and Faculty Director of the Center for the Advancement of the Rule of Law in the Americas (CAROLA) at Georgetown Law. He teaches and writes in the areas of international trade, economic development, transnational labor law, and drug policy. In 2018, he served as Deputy Chief Negotiator of the USMCA Agreement for the newly elected government of Mexico. Professor Santos is co-editor of the books *World Trade and Investment Law Reimagined: A Progressive Agenda for an Inclusive Globalization* (2019), *Law and the New Developmental State: The Brazilian Experience in Latin America* (2013), and *The New Law and Economic Development: A Critical Appraisal* (2006). He regularly teaches at Georgetown's Global Trade Academy and Harvard's Institute for Global Law and Policy (IGLP). He has also taught at the University of Texas, Tufts University, Melbourne Law School, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE), and the University of Turin. He received an LL.B. with high honors from Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM) and an LLM and SJD from Harvard Law School.



Nicolás Perrone

Professor of Economic Law, CEDRES Director

Nicolás M Perrone is Professor of Economic Law and Director of the Center for Law, Regulation and Sustainable Economics, Universidad de Valparaíso (Chile). His main research interests are in sustainable development and international economic law, particularly in international investment law and policy. He has been a Visiting Professor at the Universitat Pompeu Fabra, University of Arizona, Universidad Nacional de San Martín, the International University College of Turin and the University of Eastern Piedmont, a faculty member of the Institute for Global Law and Policy (Harvard Law School) and a visiting lecturer at Xi'an Jiaotong School of law. Nicolás is the author of *Investment Treaties and the Legal Imagination: How foreign investors play by their own rules*, published by Oxford University Press in 2021. He has worked and consulted for the governments of Argentina, Chile, Ecuador, the OECD, UNCTAD, APEC, South Centre, the International Institute for Environment and Development, Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, and the Fairtrade Foundation.



María Belén Paoletta

LAPEG Research Associate

María Belén Paoletta is a Research Associate at the Latin American Political Economy and Globalization Program from Georgetown University Law Center. Her expertise involves providing legal consulting and policy advisory services to International Organizations and Sovereign States, focusing on matters of Public International Law, International Trade, and Comparative Law. Belén is one of the youngest Public International Law Adjunct Professors at the University of Buenos Aires Law School and the Argentine University of Enterprise. She also leads a research project on International Law's "Greatest Hits and Hidden Gems" and regularly edits and co-authors the Argentine Council for International Relations' *Bulletin of International Law*. Belén graduated summa cum laude from the University of Buenos Aires Law School and is a recipient of numerous academic honors and distinctions from both public and private institutions.



Ana Isabel Abad

LAPEG Research Associate

Ana Abad is a Research Associate at LAPEG, where she conducts research on international economic law developments and implications for Latin America. Ana recently graduated with a Master of Public Administration from the London School of Economics and collaborates on research projects with the Associate Dean of the LSE School of Public Policy. She was previously Latin America Associate at consulting firm Eurasia Group advising clients on issues related to fiscal policy, economic growth and other political economy-related issues impacting corporate and financial clients. Ana has also worked in issues related to economic development in the south of Mexico working with Mayan communities to enhance education and health opportunities.

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Enrique Boone Barrera

CAROLA Program Director

Enrique Boone Barrera is the Program Director at CAROLA. He plays a crucial role in shaping the direction of the center, actively supporting the development and implementation of its strategic objectives. His primary area of research focuses on international investment law and public policy. He conducted postdoctoral research at the Centre for International Governance Innovation, exploring the consequences of investor-state arbitration on developing nations. This project saw him co-organizing three regional workshops, engaging public officials from Southeast Asia, Latin America, and Africa. Besides his research contributions to academic journals, books, and blogs, Enrique has actively taken part in numerous conferences, workshops, and consultations related to international economic law. He has taught in the areas of international law, global governance, and public policy. Enrique holds a Bachelor of Laws from the Tecnológico de Monterrey, an LL.M. from Queen's University, and a D.C.L. from McGill University.

Logistics

Directions to Georgetown Law Campus

550 First St NW & 600 New Jersey Avenue NW

The first two sessions will take place at Room 2001 in the Eric E. Hotung International Law Building, while the lunch and the third and fourth sessions will take place at Room G12 in the Gerwiz Student Center. There will be signs and staff available to direct you to the conference.

The venue is a 5-minute walk from the Hyatt Regency Washington on Capitol Hill

The venue is accessible via Judiciary Square on the Red Line, (0.2 miles, 5-minute walk)

You can also get to the venue by Uber or taxi.

Travel and hotels

Reservations have been secured and finalized at the Hyatt Regency Washington on Capitol Hill (400 New Jersey Avenue, NW). Breakfast on Friday April 19th will take place at the conference.

Check-in: Thursday April 18th 04:00 pm (you can leave luggage at the lobby if you arrive earlier)

Check out: Saturday April 20th 11:00 am

Phone number: +1 202-737-1234

How to get to the Hyatt Regency

From Washington Dulles (IAD):

You can pre-book a ride from/to Washington Dulles through SuperShuttle.

By Metro, you can take the Silver line to Metro Center to connect to the Red line to Judiciary Square.

Uber and Taxis are available at the Airport.

From Washington Reagan (DCA):

By Metro, you can take the Yellow line to Chinatown/Gallery Place to connect to the Red line to Judiciary Square.

Uber and Taxis are available at the Airport.

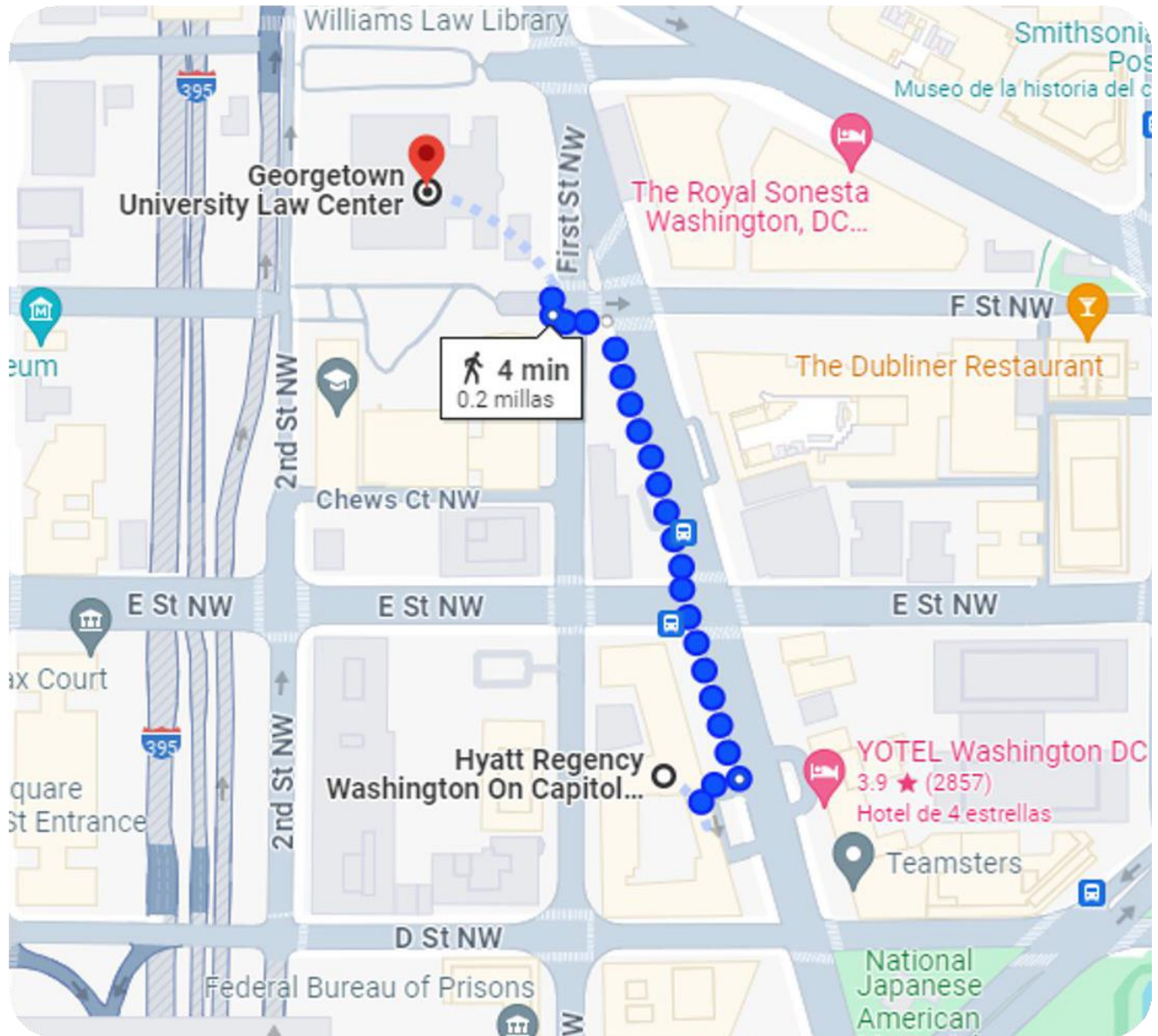
From Union Station:

Union Station is 0.5 miles from the Hyatt Regency (10-minute walk)

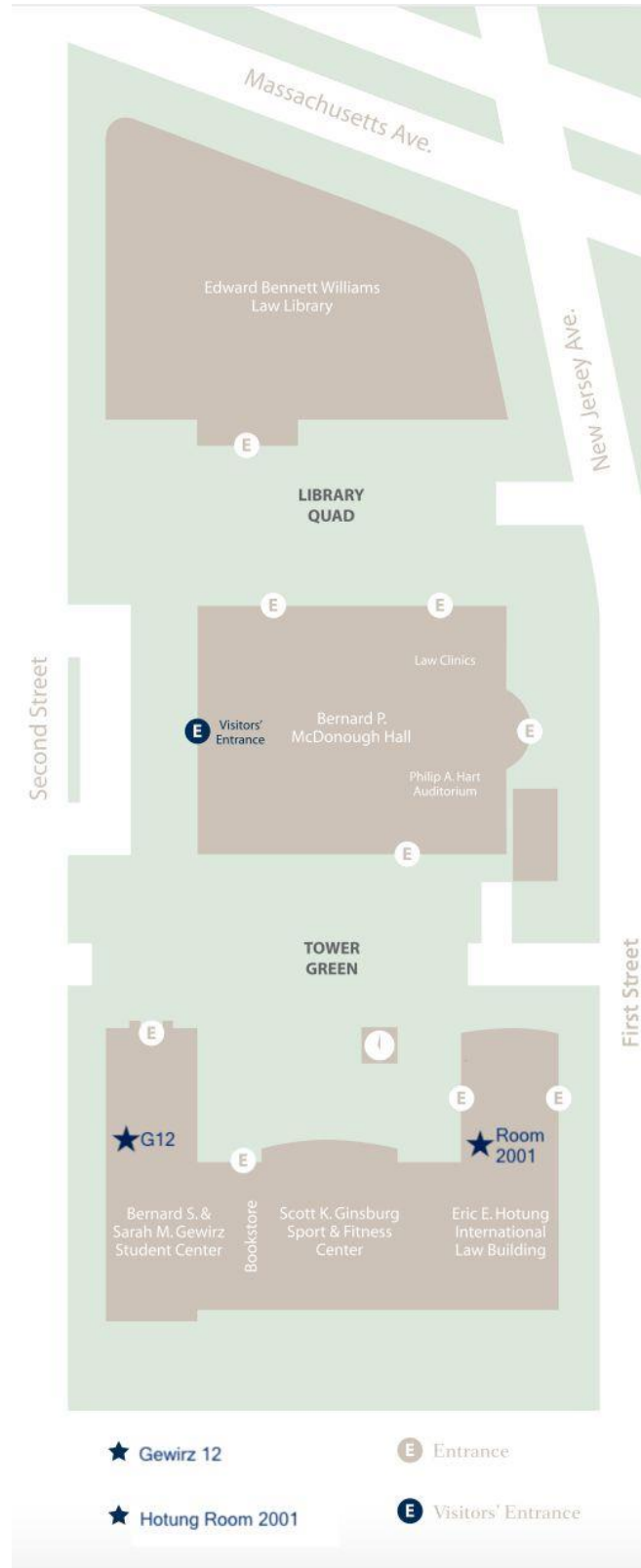
Uber and Taxis are available outside of the station

You will be able to obtain reimbursement for your transportation from/to the airport or train station by registering as a supplier with Georgetown University. Please make sure to keep the receipts.

Map from Hyatt Regency to Georgetown Law Center



Georgetown Law Center Map



Restaurants

Within walking distance of the Hyatt Regency on Capitol Hill (15-minute walk or less)

Bistro Bis

French Restaurant

15 E St NW, Washington DC, 20001

www.hotelgeorge.com/capitol-hill-restaurants/bistro-bis/

The Capital Grille

Steakhouse

601 Pennsylvania Ave NW, Washington, DC 20004

<https://www.thecapitalgrille.com/home>

Charlie Palmer Steak

Steakhouse

101 Constitution Ave. NW, Washington DC, 20001

<https://www.charliepalmersteak.com/location/washington-dc/>

China Chilcano by José Andrés

Peruvian

418 7th St NW, Washington, DC 20004

<https://www.chinachilcano.com/>

DAIKAYA

Japanese

705 6th St NW, Washington, DC 20001

<https://www.daikaya.com/>

The Dubliner Restaurant

Irish

4 F St NW, Washington DC, 20001

www.dublinerdc.com/

Fiola

Italian

Entrance on Indiana Ave, 601 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20004

<https://www.fioladc.com/>

Jaleo by José Andrés

Spanish

480 7th St NW, Washington, DC 20004

<https://www.jaleo.com/>

L'Ardente

Italian

200 Massachusetts Ave NW, Washington DC, 20001

Oyamel Cocina Mexicana

Mexican

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