



40th Anniversary of the entry into force of the American Convention on Human Rights and the creation of the Inter-American Court of Human Rights.

Successes and challenges in regional human rights systems

Venue: National Theatre of Costa Rica

Date: July 18, 2018

08:30 – 8:55

Register

Inauguration

09:00 - 10:50

Eduardo Ferrer Mac-Gregor, President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights

Margarette May Macaulay, President, Inter-American Commission on Human Rights

Sylvain Oré, President, African Court on Human and Peoples' Rights

Guido Raimondi, President, European Court of Human Rights

Thomas Buergenthal, Honorary President, Inter-American Institute of Human Rights

Carlos Alvarado Quesada, President of the Republic of Costa Rica

10:50 - 11:00

Break

40 years of the American Convention: from the interpretation of norms to social change.

11:00 - 13:00

Moderator: Eduardo Ferrer Mac-Gregor, President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights

Pedro Nikken, Ex-President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights



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(1983-1984)

Thomas Buergenthal, Ex-President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights (1985-1986)

Rafael Nieto Navia, Ex-President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights (1987-1988; 1993-1994)

Hernán Salgado Pesantes, Ex-President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights (1997-1999)

Sergio García Ramírez, Ex-President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights (2004-2007)

Cecilia Medina Quiroga, Ex-President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights (2008-2009)

Diego García-Sayán, Ex-President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights (2010-2013)

Humberto Sierra Porto, Ex-President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights (2014-2015)

13:00 - 14:30

Break





The Inter-American Court of Human Rights and challenges for the enforcement of the human rights of women in the region.

Moderator: Elizabeth Odio Benito, Judge, Inter-American Court of Human Rights

14:30 - 16:00

Carmen Moreno, Executive Secretary, Inter-American Commission of Women

Margarette May Macaulay, President, Inter-American Commission on Human Rights

Sonia Picado Sotela, President, Inter-American Institute of Human Rights

Rigoberta Menchú, Nobel Peace Prize (1992)

Cecilia Medina Quiroga, Ex-President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights

Mónica Pinto, Professor, University of Buenos Aires

16:00 - 16:10

Break

Global contemporary challenges to the regional human rights protection systems.

Moderator: Eduardo Vio Grossi, Vice-President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights

16:10 - 18:00

Manfred Nowak, Professor, University of Vienna

Felipe González Morales, UN Special Rapporteur on the human



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rights of migrants

Michelo Hansungule, Professor, University of Pretoria

Tujilane Rose Chizumila, Judge, African Court on Human and Peoples' Rights

Ganna Yudkivska, Judge, European Court of Human Rights

Eugenio Raúl Zaffaroni, Judge, Inter-American Court of Human Rights

18:00

End of the day





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Venue: Inter – American Court of Human Rights

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Jurisprudential Dialogue. The interaction of the Inter-American Court of Human Rights and national high courts.

Moderator: Eduardo Ferrer Mac-Gregor, President Inter – American Court of Human Rights

9:00 - 11:00

Carmen Lúcia Antunes Rocha, President, Supreme Federal Court, Brazil

Dina Josefina Ochoa Escribá, President, Constitutional Court of Guatemala

Haroldo Osvaldo Brito Cruz, President, Supreme Court of Chile

Arturo Zaldívar Lelo de Larrea, Minister, Supreme Court of Justice, Mexico

José Fernando Reyes Cuartas, Minister, Constitutional Court of Colombia

Laurence Burgorgue-Larsen, Judge, Ex-President, Constitutional Court of Andorra





11:00 - 11:15 Break

Protecting human rights: the voice of victims.

Moderator: Patricio Pazmiño, Judge, Inter – American Court of Human Rights

11:15 - 13:00
 Patricia Gualinga, , Case of Kichwa Indigenous People of Sarayaku v. Ecuador
 Karen Atala, Case of Atala Riffo and daughters v. Chile
 Lucrecia Molina Theissen, Case of Molina Theissen v. Guatemala
 Irma Monreal, , Case of González et al. (“Campo Algodonero”) v. Mexico
 Macarena Gelman, Case of Gelman v. Uruguay

Premiere of the 40 Years of the Inter-American Court Documentary. Prize awarded at the 4th Edition of the International Human Rights Film Festival. Rule of Law Program Latin America - Konrad Adenauer Foundation.

13:00 - 14:30 Break





Actors, strategies and litigation before the Inter-American Court of Human Rights: different perspectives (session 1).

Moderator: Manuel Ventura Robles, Ex-Vice-President, Inter-American Court of Human Rights

14:30 - 16:20

Luis Raúl González Pérez, President, National Commission of Human Rights, Mexico

Andrés Mahnke, General Coordinator, Inter-American Association of Public Defenders

Mariela Morales Antoniazzi, Senior Research Fellow responsible for Latin America, Max Planck Institute

Juana Inés Acosta, Director of Professors and Research, Faculty of Law and Political Sciences, University of La Sabana

Katya Salazar, Executive Director, Due Process of Law Foundation

José Thompson J., Executive Director, Inter-American Institute of Human Rights

Actors, strategies and litigation before the Inter-American Court of Human Rights: different perspectives (session 2).

Moderator: Humberto Antonio Sierra Porto, Judge, Inter – American Court of Human Rights

Esmeralda Arosemena de Troitiño, First Vice-President, Inter-American Commission on Human Rights

Marie - Christine Fuchs, Program Director, Konrad Adenauer Foundation



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Viviana Krsticevic, Executive Director, Center for Justice and International Law
Javier Salgado, Director of International Litigation in matters relating to Human Rights, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship, Argentina
Douglass Cassel, Professor, University of Notre Dame
Carlos Ayala Corao, Vice-President, International Commission of Jurists
Armin von Bogdandy, Director, Max Planck Institute

18:20 - 18:30

Break

18:30 - 18:45

Closing remarks

