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### **EDUCATION**

Degree	Institution	Date conferred
Juris Science Doctor (J.S.D.)	Stanford University	2007
Juris Science Master (J.S.M.)	Stanford University	2002
Specialist in Civ. Proced.	Univ. Católica Andrés Bello	1996
LL.B. (Abogado) (cum laude)	Univ. Católica Andrés Bello	1993

#### ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

#### Title Institution Year(s) of appointment Professor of Law Florida Int'l. University 2018-present Associate Professor of Law 2010-2014(tenure)-2018 Florida Int'l. University 2007-2010 Assistant Professor of Law Florida Int'l. University 2012 Visiting Professor of Law University of Iowa Visiting Professor of Law **INIDEM Business Law School** 2012-present Teaching Fellow and Lecturer Stanford University 2005-2007 2011, 2017 Visiting Professor of Law Universidad Surcolombiana 2009-present Visiting Professor of Law Universidad Sergio Arboleda Universidad Metropolitana 2005 Visiting Professor of Law Univ. Católica del Táchira 2001-2002 Visiting Professor of Law Univ. Católica Andrés Bello 1996-1997 Visiting Professor of Law Assistant Professor of Law Universidad C. de Venezuela 1995-2018

#### Title

Associate Dean for Graduate Studies and Global Engagement Director, LL.M. program Director, Study Abroad program Coordinator, Int'l Legal Projects

### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS Institution

# Florida Int'l. University

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# Year(s) of appointment

2015-present 2015-present 2017, 2018, 2019 2010-present

# Organization

M. Gómez & Cía, LL.P. Gómez Díaz & Asociados

# **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Title** Principal Associate **Dates** 1997-present 1993-1997

#### Books

 RECONSTRUCTING BIG LAW, D. Hensler, P. Hanlon, M. Selvin, M. Gómez, D. Hussey-Freeland (Elgar, forthcoming)

**RECENT PUBLICATIONS** 

- 2. UNCITRAL MODEL LAW ON INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION: A COMMENTARY, I. Bantekas, P. Ortolani, S. Ali, M. Gómez, and M. Polkinghorne (Cambridge U. Press, 2020)
- 3. MANUEL A. GÓMEZ & ROGELIO PÉREZ-PERDOMO, BIG LAW IN LATIN AMERICA AND SPAIN: GLOBALIZATION AND ADJUSTMENTS IN THE PROVISION OF HIGH END CORPORATE LEGAL SERVICE (Palgrave-MacMillan, 2017)
- 4. ROGELIO PÉREZ-PERDOMO & MANUEL A. GÓMEZ, LEGAL AND POLITICAL CULTURE IN REVOLUTIONARY VENEZUELA 1999-2013 (Universidad Metropolitana Press, 2015)
- 5. LAWRENCE M. FRIEDMAN, ROGELIO PEREZ-PERDOMO & MANUEL A. GÓMEZ, LAW IN MANY SOCIETIES: A READER (Stanford University Press, 2011)

#### Articles

- 1. After One Hundred Years of Solitude: The Re-Encounter of International Labor Protection and Arbitration, 13/2020 Revista Derecho Social y Empresa (peer reviewed)
- 2. All Bark and No Bite? Contemporary Consumer Redress in Latin America, 30(1) Stellenbosch Law Review 61 (2019) (peer reviewed)
- 3. "Pran" Justice: Social Order and Dispute Processing Inside a Venezuelan Prison, 8(2) IRVINE LAW REVIEW 183 (2018)
- 4. Like South American Way: Regional integration under ALBA and UNASUR and international dispute resolution, 58(4) Hungarian Journal of Legal Studies — Acta Jurídica Hungárica 449 (2017) (peer reviewed)
- 5. More Risk, Better Regulation: A View from the World of Transnational Litigation, 8 EUROPEAN JOURNAL OF RISK REGULATION 95 (2017)
- 6. Outside but Within: The normative dimension of the underworld in the television series "Breaking Bad" and "Better Call Saul", 1(3) JOURNAL OF THE OXFORD CENTRE FOR SOCIO-LEGAL STUDIES (2016) (peer reviewed)
- No Limite: A Representação do Direito e da Ordem Social Não-oficiais na Série de Televisão Breaking Bad, in LAW AND POPULAR CULTURE (Pedro Fortes, ed.) (Fundação Getulio Vargas: São Paulo, 2015) volume 12 of FGV Law School Series (Cadernos FGV Direito Rio) (peer reviewed)
- 8. Katia Fach Gómez & Manuel A. Gómez, *How can the battle be averted? An Introduction*, Conflict Resolution Quarterly (2016) (Also, Special Co-Editor) (peer reviewed)
- 9. Manuel A. Gómez & J.C. Gómez, A view from the sky: A general overview about civil litigation in the United States of America with reference to the relief in small and simple matters, 4 ERASMUS LAW REVIEW 225 (2015) (peer reviewed)
- 10. Manuel A. Gómez, A sour battle in Lago Agrio and beyond: The metamorphosis of transnational litigation and the protection of collective rights in Ecuador, 46 UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI INTER-AMERICAN LAW REVIEW 153 (2015)
- 11. Manuel A. Gómez, *The Tower of David: Social Order in the Vertical Slum*, 10 FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY LAW REVIEW 215 (2014)
- 12. Marc Galanter & Manuel A. Gómez, *Waiting for Mendeleev: The Tangle of Indigenous Law*, 10 FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY LAW REVIEW 1 (2014)
- 13. Manuel A. Gómez, Crowd funded justice: On the potential benefits and challenges of crowd funding as a litigation financing tool, 49 UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO LAW REVIEW 307 (2014)
- 14. Manuel A. Gómez, Precious Resolution: The Use of Intra-Community Arbitration by Jain Diamond Merchants, 2 BELGIAN REVIEW OF ARBITRATION, B-ARBITRA (2013) (Peer reviewed)
- 15. Manuel A. Gómez, The Global Chase: Seeking the Recognition and Enforcement of the Lago Agrio Judgment Outside of Ecuador, 1 STAN. J. COMPLEX LIT. 101 (2013) (Peer Reviewed)
- 16. Manuel A. Gómez, Order in the Desert: Law Abiding Behavior at Burning Man, J. DISP. RES. (2013)
- 17. Manuel A. Gómez, Malleable Law: The (mis)use of legal tools in the pursuit of a political agenda, 19 ILSA J. Int'l & Comp. L. (2013)
- 18. Manuel A. Gómez, Will the Birds Stay South? The Rise of Class Actions and Other Forms of Group Litigation Across Latin America, 43 Univ. Miami Inter- American L. Rev. 3 (2012)
- 19. Manuel A. Gómez, Knowledge and social networks in the construction of elite lawyers in Venezuela, XXXVI/2009/3 SOCIOLOGIA DEL DIRITTO (2010) Reprinted as Greasing the Squeaky Wheel of Justice: Lawyers, Social Networks and Dispute Processing in THE ROLE OF LAWYERS IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF STATES (Yves Dezalay & Bryant Garth, Routledge, 2011)

- 20. Marta Vides, Manuel A. Gómez & Luis F. Pérez-Hurtado, *The American Way: Los abogados latinoamericanos como estudiantes de maestría en los Estados Unidos de América*, 130 Boletín Mexicano de Derecho Comparado (2011) (Peer Reviewed)
- 21. Manuel A. Gomez, Recent developments in Collective Litigation in Latin America: A regional report. (December 2008) http://globalclassactions.stanford.edu/taxonomy/term/59
- 22. Manuel A. Gómez & Rogelio Pérez-Perdomo, Innovaciones en la Educación Jurídica de América Latina, Derecho y Democracia II, 15 Cuadernos Unimetanos (2008) (symposium editor, proceedings from conference on Innovations in Legal Education in Latin America)
- 23. Manuel A. Gómez, All In The Family: The Influence of Social Networks on Dispute Processing, 36 GA. J. INT'L. & COMP. L. 291 (2008)
- 24. Manuel A. Gomez, *Class Actions, Group Litigation and other Aggregate Procedures in Latin America: A general overview* (December 2007), available at <a href="http://globalclassactions.stanford.edu/taxonomy/term/59">http://globalclassactions.stanford.edu/taxonomy/term/59</a>
- 25. Manuel A. Gómez, *Latin American Laws and the Status of Women, in* THE OXFORD ENCYCLOPEDIA OF WOMEN HISTORY (Oxford U. Press 2007)
- Manuel A. Gómez & Rogelio Pérez-Perdomo, Alternative Justices in Venezuela, 7 REFORMA JUDICIAL 161-190 (UNAM, México 2006)
- 27. Manuel A. Gómez, Like Migratory Birds: Latin American Claimants in U.S. Courts and the Ford-Firestone Rollover Litigation, 11 SW. J. L. & TRADE AM. 281 (2005)
- Manuel A. Gómez, The Venezuelan Legal Regime of Crimes Commited Under Voluntary Intoxication (Algunas Notas sobre la Responsabilidad Penal por la Comisión de Delitos en Estado de Intoxicación Voluntaria en Venezuela), 15 DERECHO PENAL CONTEMPORÁNEO 83-107 (Legislec: Bogotá 2005)
- 29. Manuel A. Gómez & Rogelio Pérez-Perdomo, Alternative Dispute Processing Mechanisms in Venezuela (Los Mecanismos Alternativos para el Manejo de Conflictos en Venezuela) (Jornadas Domínguez Escobar: Barquisimeto, Venezuela, 2005)
- 30. Manuel A. Gómez, *The Venezuelan Business Lawyers (Los Abogados de Negocios en Venezuela)*. 125 REVISTA DE LA FACULTAD DE DERECHO DE LA U.C.V. (2003) (Peer Reviewed)
- Manuel A. Gómez, The Legal Regime of the Conciliatory Power of Venezuelan Judges from 1836 to the present (La función conciliatoria de los Jueces y su regulación en la Legislación Venezolana, desde 1836 hasta el presente), ÁMBITO JURÍDICO (Legislec: Caracas 2001)
- Manuel A. Gómez & Marisol Santana, The formula for the calculation of labor and Social Security contribution. (*Factor de cálculo para determinar las contribuciones laborales y de Seguridad Social.*) in 36 ÁMBITO JURÍDICO (Legislec: Caracas 2000)
- Manuel A. Gómez & Marisol Santana, The legal regime of mandatory lay-offs (*El subsistema de Paro Forzoso*).
  38 ÁMBITO JURÍDICO (Legislec: Caracas 2000)
- Manuel A. Gómez & Marisol Santana, Minimum Wages and Decision 892 (Fijación del salario mínimo y el Decreto 892) 36 ÁMBITO JURÍDICO (Legislec: Caracas 2000)
- Manuel A. Gómez, Notes on Preferential Acquisition Rights (Notas sobre los derechos de adquisición preferente), 33-34-35 ÁMBITO JURÍDICO (Legislec: Caracas 2000)
- 36. Manuel A. Gómez, Some Notes about the Legal Regime of Accidental Death Presumptions (*Notas en torno a la presunción de muerte por accidente.*) 29 ÁMBITO JURÍDICO (Legislec: Caracas 2000)
- 37. Manuel A. Gómez, Merger by Takeover: The Most Relevant Aspects (*La fusión por absorción: Sus aspectos más relevantes.*) 26 ÁMBITO JURÍDICO (Legislec: Caracas 1999)
- Manuel A. Gómez, Audiovisuals as Evidentiary Material (Consideraciones sobre el Audiovisual como Medio de Prueba.) 24 ÁMBITO JURÍDICO (Legislec: Caracas 1999)
- Manuel A. Gómez, Can videogames and other graphic projections be used as audiovisual evidence? (¿Son Pruebas Audiovisuales los juegos de video y otras proyecciones graficas?) 9 REVISTA DE DERECHO PROBATORIO (Editorial Alva, Caracas, 1997)

#### **Book chapters**

- 1. Marc Galanter & Manuel A. Gómez, *Large Law Firms*, in LAWYERS IN SOCIETY, VOLUME 2 (Hilary Sommerlad, Richard Abel, Ole Hammerslev & Ulrike Schultz, eds.) (Hart Publishing, forthcoming)
- 2. Manuel A. Gómez, *The Chimera of Smart Contracts*, in ELGAR HANDBOOK ON INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL CONTRACTS (A. Hutchison & F. Myburgh, eds.) (Edward Elgar, forthcoming)
- 3. Manuel A. Gómez, *(In)fallible Smart Legal Contracts*, in LEGAL CHALLENGES IN THE NEW DIGITAL AGE (Ana Mercedes López Rodríguez, Michael D. Green, and María Lubomira Kubica, eds.) (Brill, forthcoming)
- Manuel A. Gómez, Latin American Lawyers: Between Democratization and Globalization, in LAWYERS IN SOCIETY, VOLUME 2 (Hilary Sommerlad, Richard Abel, Ole Hammerslev & Ulrike Schultz, eds.) (Hart Publishing, forthcoming)
- 5. Manuel A. Gómez, Stare Decisis y Jurisprudencia Vinculante ¿Dos Caras de Una Misma Moneda?, in REVISTA DOS TRIBUNAIS: PRECEDENTES NO PROCESSO DO TRABALHO (Ney Maranhão, Cesar Zucatti Pritsch, Fernanda Antunes Marque Junqueira e Flávio da Costa Higa, eds.) (Thomson Reuters, 2020)
- 6. VOLUME Manuel A. Gómez & Rogelio Pérez-Perdomo, *Venezuela: A Dispatch from the Abyss*, in LAWYERS IN SOCIETY, 1 (Hilary Sommerlad, Richard Abel, Ole Hammerslev & Ulrike Schultz, eds.) (Hart Publishing, 2020)
- 7. Manuel A. Gómez, *Legal professionals in Latin America at the dawn of the 21st century*, in HANDBOOK OF LAW AND SOCIETY IN LATIN AMERICA (Routledge, 2019)
- 8. Manuel A. Gómez, *Lawyering in a Transnational Context: Latin America*, in OXFORD HANDBOOK OF TRANSNATIONAL LAW (Oxford U. Press, forthcoming)
- Manuel A. Gómez, Innovaciones en la educación jurídica latinoamericana y políticas públicas en tiempos de globalización, in LA EDUCACIÓN LEGAL COMO POLÍTICA PÚBLICA EN AMÉRICA LATINA, Gorki Gonzales Mantilla (Ed.) 99-118 (Palestra Editores, 2018)
- 10. Manuel A. Gómez & R. Pérez-Perdomo, *A New Global Landscape*, in Reconstructing Big Law (Palgrave MacMillan, 2017)
- 11. Manuel A. Gomez, *Smoking Signals from the South: Tobacco Litigation in Brazil*, in CLASS ACTIONS IN CONTEXT: HOW ECONOMICS, POLITICS AND CULTURE SHAPE COLLECTIVE LITIGATION, Deborah R. Hensler, Christopher Hodges, and Ianika Tzankova, eds. (Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd., 2016)
- 12. MANUEL A. GÓMEZ, The manipulation of law through the social agenda: The case of two Bolivarian misiones, in LEGAL AND POLITICAL CULTURE IN REVOLUTIONARY VENEZUELA 1999-2013 (co-edited with Rogelio Pérez-Perdomo) (2015)
- 13. MANUEL A. GÓMEZ, *Developments of Latin American Legal Education in the Age of Globalization, in* INNOVATIONS IN LEGAL EDUCATION IN LATIN AMERICA, 2nd Ed. (co-edited with Rogelio Pérez-Perdomo)
- 14. Manuel A. Gómez, La dificil relación entre la anulación y el reconocimiento y ejecución del laudo arbitral internacional ("The difficult relationship between the annulment, and the recognition and enforcement of the international arbitral award"), in ARBITRAJE COMERCIAL INTERNACIONAL, Organization of American States (OAS, 2014)
- 15. Manuel A. Gómez, Collective Redress in Latin America: The regulation of class actions and other forms of aggregate and group litigation for the protection of consumer rights, IN L'ART. 140 BIS DEL CODICE DEL CONSUMO L'AZIONE DI CLASSE, a cura di Lorenzo Mezzasoma e Francesco Rizzo, Roma: Edizioni Scientifiche Italiane, 2011
- 16. Manuel A. Gómez, *Latin America: A Regional Report, in* FUNDING AND COSTS OF CIVIL LITIGATION (Christopher Hodges, Stefan Vogenauer and Magdalena Tulibacka, eds, Oxford: Hart 2011)
- 17. Manuel A. Gómez, *Political Activism and the Practice of Law in Venezuela, in* CULTURES OF LEGALITY: JUDICIALIZATION AND POLITICAL ACTIVISM IN LATIN AMERICA (J. Couso, A. Huneeus, and R. Sieder, eds) (Cambridge University Press, 2010)
- 18. Manuel A. Gómez, Greasing the Squeaky Wheel of Justice: Lawyers, Social Networks and Dispute Processing, in LAWYERS AND THE RULE OF LAW IN AN ERA OF GLOBALIZATION (Yves Dezalay & Bryant Garth, eds. Routledge, 2011) (Also published as Knowledge and social networks in the construction of elite lawyers in Venezuela, XXXVI/2009/3 SOCIOLOGIA DEL DIRITTO)

# **Reports and monographs**

- 1. The Globalization of Mass Civil Litigation: Lessons from the Volkswagen "Clean Diesel" Case, with Deborah Hensler, Jasminka Kalajdzic, Peter Cashman, Axel Halfmeier, and Ianika Tzankova (2020)
- 2. Manuel A. Gómez & Gilberto Guerrero-Rocca, *ICCA Handbook Report for Venezuela*, in ICCA HANDBOOK ON COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION (ICCA, 2020)
- 3. Manuel A. Gómez, *Legal and Strategic Culture in Venezuela*, in STRATEGIC CULTURE: A MULTIFACETED CULTURAL APPROACH TO THE STUDY OF LATIN AMERICA, Florida International University Applied Research Center (2009)

#### **Book Reviews**

1. Manuel A. Gómez, Seeing the Forest and the Trees: A Review of Peter Binder's Analytical Commentary to the UNCITRAL Arbitration Rules of 2010, 2 BELGIAN REVIEW OF ARBITRATION, B-ARBITRA (2013)

#### PROFESSIONAL HONORS, PRIZES, FELLOWSHIPS

- 1. FIU Center for International Business Education and Research CIBER, 2013 Faculty Award (shared with Professor Carlos M. Parra, FIU College of Business)
- 2. Fellow, Stanford Center for the Legal Profession, Stanford Law School (2012-present)
- 3. Investigador Libre Asociado, Universidad Metropolitana (2012-present)
- 4. Florida International University Bhagwan Mahavir Junior Faculty Fellowship (2011)
- Research Excellence Diploma and appointment as Honorary Member of Grupo Nuevas Visiones del Derecho, Universidad Surcolombiana, Colombia (2011)
- 6. Law and Society Association, Dissertation Award for outstanding scholarship in a dissertation (2008)
- 7. Latin American Studies Association, Venezuelan Studies Section, Best Article (2007)
- 8. Richard S. Goldsmith Award for Best Paper in Dispute Resolution at Stanford University (2007)
- 9. Colegio de Abogados del Distrito Federal, Mención Honorífica
- 10. Ayacucho Graduate Fellow, Center for Latin American Studies (2002-2005).
- 11. Fellow, Stanford Center for Conflict and Negotiation (2004).
- 12. Fellow, Stanford Law School Class of 2002 Fellowship in Conflict Resolution (2003).

#### **OFFICES HELD IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES & KEY APPOINTMENTS**

- 1. Editor-In-Chief, World Arbitration and Mediation Review (2017-present)
- 2. Editorial Board Member, European Journal of Risk Regulation (2017-present)
- 3. Editorial Board Member, Latin American Law Review (2017-present)
- 4. Editorial Board Member, Revista Derecho y Democracia (2006-present)
- 5. Member of the Program Committee, RCSL/IISL Meeting (2019)
- Chair of the International Activities Committee, Law and Society Association (2018-2019), Member (2019present)
- 7. Member of the Scientific Committee, RCSL-SDJ 2018 Meeting (2018)

- Co-Chair, International Meeting of the Law and Society Association and the Research Committee of the Sociology of Law (2016-2017)
- 9. Member of the Planning Committee, International Council for Commercial Arbitration Miami (2012-2014)
- 10. Board Member, Miami International Arbitration Society (2014-present)
- 11. Investigador Libre Asociado, Universidad Metropolitana (2013-present)
- 12. Founding member, Venezuelan American National Bar Association (2013-present)
- 13. Member of the Executive Council, International Section of the Florida bar (2013-present)
- 14. Chair, Law School Liaision Committee, International Law Section of the Florida Bar (2018-present)
- 15. Academic Council Member, Instituto for Transnational Arbitration (2012-2018)
- 16. Founding Member, Miami International Arbitration Society (2009)
- 17. Law and Society Association, member (2002-present)
- 18. Colegio de Abogados del Distrito Capital (1993-present)

#### **SELECTED SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS (Since 2018)**

- 1. June 25, 2020, Presenter, Garcia Armas v. Venezuela, at the conference "Revisión de Laudos Arbitrales de Inversión 2019: 1er Encuentro Anual", Universidad Autónoma de Chile, Chile.
- May 11, 2020, Presenter, New Technologies and Dispute Resolution, Western Sydney School of Law, Sydney, Australia.
- February 7, 2020, Presenter, Magic Realism in the World of Torts, at Law Review Symposium New Frontiers in Torts: The Challenges of Science, Technology and Innovation, Southwestern Law School, Los Angeles.
- 4. January 21, 2020, Presenter, The Chimera of Smart Contracts, at the First International Conference on Law and Criminology in the New Digital Era, Universidad Loyola Campus Sevilla, Seville.
- November 15, 2019, Presenter, Small But Meanigful: Exploring the Potential of Crowd-Litigation-Funding (CLF) for Disputes Involving Small States, at the conference on Small States, International Law and the Realisation of Rights, London.
- November 13, 2019, Moderator and Speaker, Arbitratiing Technology and Intellectual Property Cases: Latin American and European Approaches, Miami Tech/IP Arbitration Seminar, Florida International University College of Law, Miami.
- November 12, 2019, Presenter, Intelligence about Arbitrators & the Future of International Arbitration, Shutts & Bowen LLP, Miami.
- 8. October 17, 2019, Comentator, International Junior Faculty Forum, Stanford Law School, Stanford.
- September 26, 2019, Presenter, Recent Challenges in Enforcing Commercial and Investor-State Awards Involving Sovereigns, and Related Issues, Juris, Boston.
- 10. July 10, 2019, Presenter, The international law path, Florida International University College of Law.
- 11. June 26, 2019, Presenter, Estrategia y efectiva gestion de conflictos en Latinoamérica, Cuatrecasas Gonçalves Pereira, Seville.
- 12. June 24, 2019, Co-organizer and moderator, "Global Lawyering Across the Atlantic", University of Seville Law School, Seville.

- 13. June 21, 2019, Panelist, "A world of possibilities? The professional life of socio-legal scholars, Plenary session, International Congress for the Sociology of Law, Oñati.
- 14. June 20, 2019, Presenter, "Venezuela: A dispatch from the abyss", International Congress for the Sociology of Law, Oñati.
- 15. June 18, 2019, Presenter, "El derecho frente a las nuevas tecnologías", University of Loyola-Andalusia Law School, Seville.
- 16. June 3, 2019, Presenter, "Educación Jurídica Contemporánea en Ambos Lados del Atlántico: Globalización e Interdisciplinariedad", University of Seville Law School, Seville.
- 17. May 30-June 2, 2019, Moderator, "Mini-Plenary: Corruption and Dignity", Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- May 30-June 2, 2019, Presenter, "IN THE SHADOW OF NAFTA: Evolution and change of corporate lawyers in Mexico City and Miami (1994-2018)", Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- 19. May 3, 2019, Presenter, "A Belt, a Road, and a Canal: Current Developments in the World of International Arbitration from China to the Americas.", Atlanta International Arbitration Society, Atlanta.
- 20. April 25-26, 2019, Co-chair and moderator, Fourth International Conference on the Fight Against Corruption, Florida International University College of Law.
- April 24, 2919, Co-organizer, Fundamentals of Risk Management and Future Trends in Compliance for 2019 and Beyond, Florida International University College of Law.
- 22. April 19, 2019, Speaker, "The Landscape of CSR-related Litigation in United States Courts", HEC Paris.
- 23. March 13, 2019, Speaker, "Recent Developments in International Arbitration in Latin America and the Caribbean", New York International Arbitration Club.
- 24. March 9, 2019, Speaker, "Talk to Me: The Upsurge of International Arbitration Conferences", in Advances in Comparative and Transnational ADR: Research into Practice, Hong Kong University.
- 25. March 1, 2019, Co-chair and moderator, The World of Arbitration and Mediation in Latin America and the Caribbean Today, Inaugural Conference, Miami.
- 26. February 28, 2019, Speaker, The Venezuela Crisis, Steven J. Green School of International and Public Affairs, Florida International University.
- 27. February 26, 2019, Moderator, Venezuela's Constitutional Crisis and International Law, Florida International University College of Law.
- 28. February 22nd, 2019, Speaker. Opening Plenary: Our Global Future: Artificial Intelligence, Blockchain, other Innovations and The Outlook for New Technologies in International Law and the Legal Profession, iLaw 2019, Annual Conference of the International Law Section of the Florida Bar, Miami.
- December 8th, 2018, Speaker, From the Corner Office to the Street Corner: Venezuelan Lawyers and their Struggle for Social Justice and Democracy, International Legal Ethics Conference, University of Melbourne School of Law, Melbourne, Australia
- November 26, 2018, Moderator, Commercial Disputes, Indian National Bar Association's 7th Annual International Conference titled "69th Constitution Day", New Delhi, India
- 31. November 26, 2018, Presenter, Legal and Moral Debates around Artificial Intelligence, Indian National Bar Association's 7th Annual International Conference titled "69th Constitution Day", New Delhi, India.
- November 14, 2018, Moderator and organizer, The changing landscape of trade agreements and regional development strategies and international arbitration: USMCA, CAFTA-DR, CPEC and BRI, Florida International University, Miami, FL.

- October 26, 2018, Presenter, Taking stock of international arbitration in the age of technology, 10th Annual Arbitration Conference, AIJA, Singapore
- 34. October 18-20, 2018, Discussant, International Junior Faculty Forum, Stanford Law School, Stanford, CA.
- October 9th, 2018, Moderator and co-chair, The Death Penalty: European Union and International Perspectives, Ruth K. Shepard Broad Distinguished Lecture Series, FIU College of Law and School of International and Public Affairs, Miami, FL.
- 36. September 10-13, 2018, Presenter (and member of the Conference Scientific Committee), Venezuelan Expatriate Lawyers: A Study on the Globalization of the Legal Profession, RCSL-SDJ 2018 Meeting, Lisbon, Portugal.
- July 4, 2018, Speaker, Smart Contracts, Blockchain and Arbitration: Old Challenges, New Realities ("Contratos Inteligentes, Blockchain y Arbitraje: Viejos Retos, Nuevas Realidades"), Cuatrecasas, Seville, Spain.
- 38. June 15, 2018, Speaker and co-chair, Roundtrip: Litigation and Arbitration Across the Atlantic ("De Ida y Vuelta: Litigios y Arbitraje a Través del Atlántico"), Hogan Lovells, Madrid, Spain.
- June 13, 2018, Speaker, Arbitration and Transnational Litigation and the New Technologies: Criptocurrencies and Blockchain ("Arbitraje y Litigios Transnacionales en las Nuevas Tecnologías: Criptomoneda y Blockchain"), Pontifical University of Comillas-ICADE, Jones Day, Madrid, Spain.
- 40. May 24, 2018, Presenter, The Chimera of Smart Contracts, Legal Problems with the Application of Smart Contracts and the Way Forward, City University of Hong Kong Law Review Symposium, City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.
- 41. May 11-12, 2018, Moderator, 5th Conference for Junior Researchers in Law and Society, Stanford Law School, Stanford, CA.
- 42. May 7, 2018, Keynote speaker, Mediation, Conciliation and Arbitration in Times of Globalization (""Mediação, conciliação e arbitragem em tempos de globalização"), XII Semana do Direito da Universidade Federal de Ceará, Federal University of Ceará School of Law, Fortaleza, Brazil.
- 43. April 18, 2018, Presenter and conference co-chair, 3rd Annual Conference on the Fight Against Corruption and Impunity, FIU College of Law, Miami, FL.
- 44. April 13, 2018, Presenter, Smart Justice: Resolving Disputes Involving Smart Contracts on the Blockchain, Cape Town University Faculty of Law, Cape Town, South Africa.
- 45. April 10, 2018, Presenter, All Bark and No Bite? Contemporary Consumer Redress in Latin America, International Conference on Consumer Redress, Stellenbosch University School of Law, Stellenbosch, South Africa.
- 46. March 15, 2018, Presenter, Borderless Dispute Resolution in the Era of Smart Contracts, City University of Hong Kong School of Law, Hong Kong.
- 47. March 13, 2018, Presenter, The Most Intelligent Way? Finding Common Ground Between Technological Innovations and the Development of an International Dispute Profession, Hong Kong University School of Law, Hong Kong.
- February 26, 2018, Presenter, Gun Violence in America: A Conversation on the Epidemic of Mass Shootings in our Schools and Other Public Spaces, FIU School of International and Public Affairs, Miami, FL.
- 49. February 16, 2018, Moderator, Roundtable "The ICSID Report and State Parties and State Related Entities in International Arbitration, iLaw 2018: The ILS Global Forum on International Law, Miami, FL.