

The conference explores the relationship between the UN Declaration on the Rights of Peasants and Other People Working in Rural Areas (UNDROP) and rural conflict resolution. It invites practical and theoretical approaches to overcome current conflicts in rural territories between global North and South. The relevance of this conference responds to the need to update legal systems, legal knowledge and advocacy with the human rights for rural populations in the pursuit of sustainable development and durable peace.

The 2-day seminar is organized around central lectures on the social, economic and political rights of peasants, the safety of peasant leaders, gender equality, land rights, biodiversity and healthy environment, food security, the role of the state, UN agencies and peasant movements.

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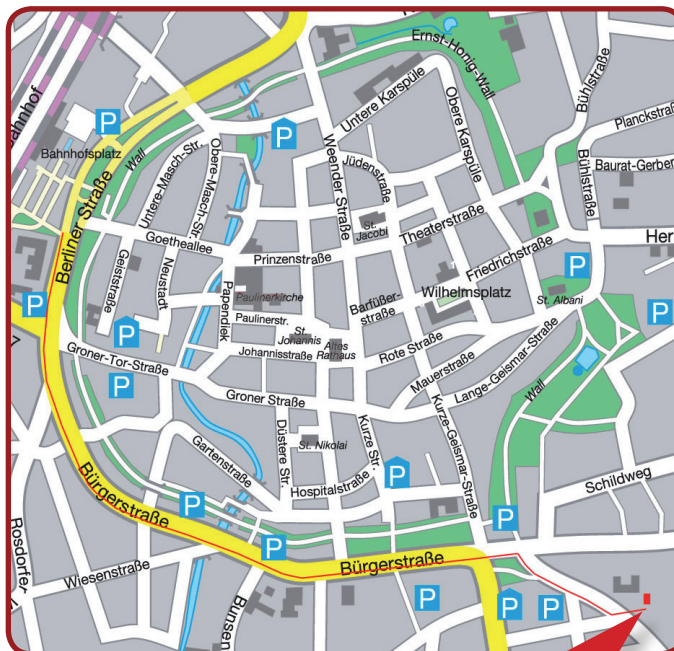
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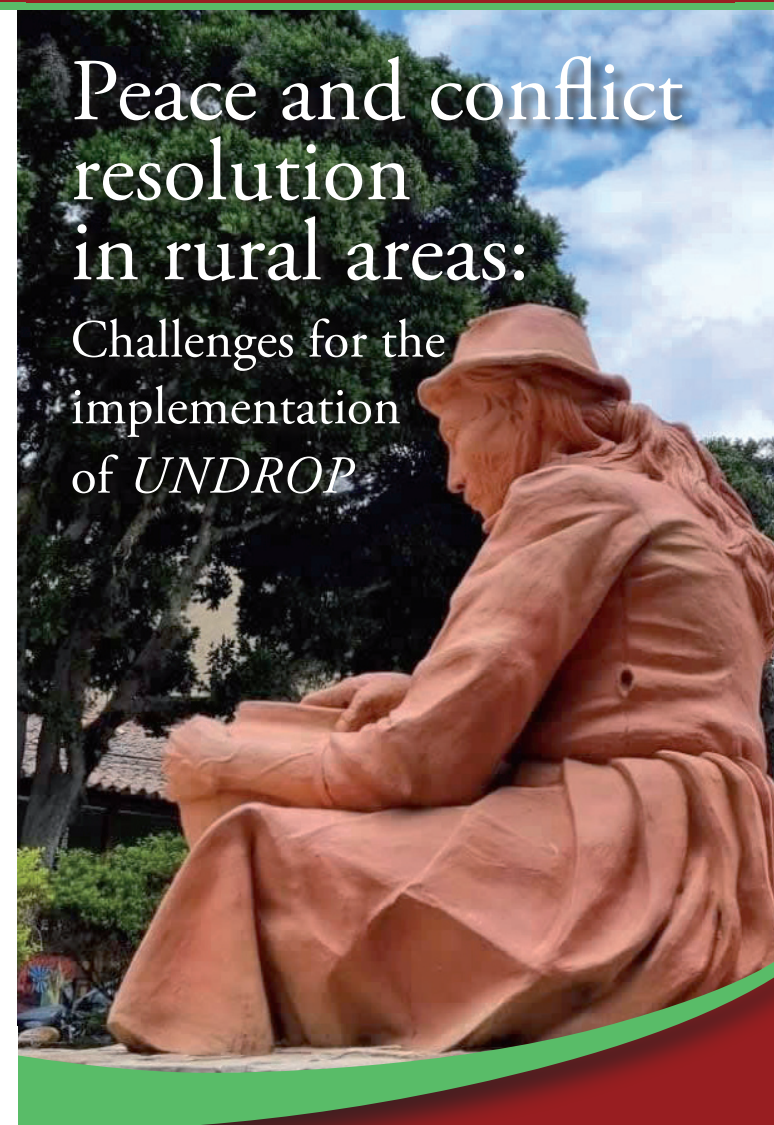
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Colombia. Artist: Javier Sierra Rodriguez.

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Göttingen, 17 – 18 November 2022

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Conference programme:

| Day 1 | | Thursday, 17 th November 2022 | |
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| 09:00 a.m. | <i>opening message</i> Prof. Dr. Bernhard Brümmer (GER, Vice-President for Research, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen) | 02:00 p.m. | Panel 3: Enforcing land rights, biodiversity and a healthy environment as a tool of peace and sustainability <i>Speakers:</i> Armando Tolosa, PhD (COL, former Supreme Court Magistrate) Christophe Golay, PhD (CH, Geneva Academy) <i>Commentator:</i> Prof. Dr. Peter-Tobias Stoll (GER, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen) |
| 09:15 a.m. | Panel 1: The rights of peasants and rural workers and their contribution to sustainable development, conflict prevention and sustaining peace <i>Speakers:</i> Natalia Ruiz Morato, PhD (COL, Institute for Agricultural Law, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen) Meghan Campbell, PhD (Birmingham Law School) <i>Commentator:</i> Prof. Dr. José Martínez (GER, Director of the Institute for Agricultural Law, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen) | 04:00 p.m. | Coffee Break |
| 11:00 a.m. | Coffee Break | 04:30 p.m. | Panel 4: Gender equality in the UNDROP <i>Speakers:</i> Prof. Dr. Priscilla Claeys (UK, Coventry University) Meghan Campbell, PhD (UK, Birmingham Law School) Paula Gioia (GER, Via Campesina International Movement) <i>Commentator:</i> Natalia Ruiz (COL, Institute for Agricultural Law, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen) |
| 11:30 a.m. | Panel 2: Social, economic and political rights and safety aspects of peasant leaders <i>Speakers:</i> Prof. Dr. Xiaojun Chen (CN, Guangdong University of Foreign Studies, Guangzhou) Dr. Sergio Coronado (COL, CINEP) Amanda Lyons, JD (USA, University of Minnesota Law School) <i>Commentator:</i> Prof. Dr. Stefan Peters (COL, Capaz Institute) | 06:00 p.m. | End of day 1 sessions |
| 01:00 p.m. | Lunch Break | Day 2 Friday, 18 th November 2022 | |
| | | 09:00 a.m. | <i>Opening of the second session</i> Prof. Dr. José Martínez (GER, Director of the Institute for Agricultural Law, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen) |
| | | 09:10 a.m. | Panel 5: Food Security, Right to Food and Food Sovereignty <i>Speakers:</i> Prof. Dr. Priscilla Claeys (UK, Coventry University) |
| | | | Dr. Bernd van Der Meulen (NL, European Institute for Food Law) Christophe Golay, PhD (CH, Geneva Academy) Roman Herre (GER, Fian International) <i>Commentator:</i> Dr. Leticia Bourges (FR, CEDR) |
| | | 11:00 a.m. | Coffee Break |
| | | 11:30 a.m. | Panel 6: Challenges in the role of states, UN agencies and peasant movements in the implementation of the UNDROP <i>Speakers:</i> Paula Gioia (GER, Via Campesina International Movement) Prof. Dr. Miguel Angel Martin Lopez (ES, Sevilla University) Roman Herre (GER, Fian International) <i>Commentator:</i> Prof. Dr. Priscilla Claeys (UK, Coventry University) |
| | | 01:30 p.m. | Lunch Break |
| | | 02:30 p.m. | Closing Panel: Opportunities and solutions for the implementation of the UNDROP in Europe, Latin America, Asia and Africa for peace and sustainability <i>Moderator:</i> Prof. Dr. José Martínez (GER, Director of the Institute for Agricultural Law, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen), Q & A session |
| | | 04:30 p.m. | End of sessions/End of conference |