

Antonio Pele

Current Positions

- **Associate Professor** (with tenure), **Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro (PUC-Rio), Law School**, Brazil (2014 – present).

Previous Appointments

- **Marie Curie Senior Fellow**, *Écoles des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales (EHESS)*, Paris (Oct.2021-Sept.2023)
- **Senior Research Fellow**, **Columbia University**, Columbia Center For Contemporary Critical Thought, New-York (2021-2023)
- Assistant Professor, Legal Philosophy Dpt/Law School, Carlos III University, Madrid (2003-2013)
- Researcher Assistant, Legal Philosophy Dpt./ Law School, Carlos III University, Madrid (2001-2003)

Visiting Professorships

- C.N.R.S., *Centre de Théorie et Analyse du Droit*, Paris (Mar.-Sept.2021)
- Université Paris Nanterre, *Centre de Recherches et d'Études les Droits Fondamentaux*, Paris Oct.2020-Apr.2021 & Sept. 2018-Mar.2019
- Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu, Law School, Romania (Since 2012. Permanent appointment)
- PUC-Rio, Law Sch., Rio de Janeiro, Oct.2012-Sept.2014 & Jun.2011-Aug.2011

Education & Qualifications

- Visiting Scholar, The University of Chicago, 'Pozen' Center for Human Rights, Chicago, Apr.2010-Sept. 2010
- Ph.D, Philosophy of Law & Human Rights, Carlos III University of Madrid (Javier Ansuátegui Roig Supervisor), 2002-2006. *Summa Cum Laude*
- Doctoral Fellowship, Université Paris 8, Dpt. of Political Sciences (Sami Nair Supervisor), 2005
- MA in Human Rights, Carlos III University of Madrid (Gregorio Peces-Barba Supervisor), 2001-2002

- MA in Contemporary History, Michel de Montaigne University (Christophe Bouneau Supervisor) Bordeaux, 2000-2001
- BA in Political Sciences, Sciences-Po, Bordeaux, France, 1995-2000
- ERASMUS Studies: Universiteit te Leiden, Queen's University of Belfast and Università di Bologna, 1998-2000
- Acreditado 'Contratado Doctor' / (Assistant Professor), Spain, ANECA, 2009

Awards

- Extraordinary Doctorate Awards, Carlos III University, October 2007
- Teaching Innovation Awards / E-Learning Pedagogy, Carlos III University 2011
- Two Teaching Innovation Awards / Jurisprudence Lectures in English, Carlos III University, 2010 & 2011

Competitive Research Projects and Grants

Principal Investigator (PI)

1. 'Making Humans: Human Dignity in 19th Century France', Marie Curie Sklodowska Fellowship, funded by Horizon Europe (€196,707). Host Institution : EHESS, *Ecole Supérieure en Sciences Sociales*, Paris. Oct.2021-Sept.2023
2. '*Brazilience*: Resistance & Resilience in Brazil,' Institute For Advanced Studies, University of Warsaw, Mar.2021-Mar.2022 (€36,300). Declined: Paternity.
3. 'Human Dignity, Biopolitics and Political Struggles,' funded by Brazil's Agency for the Improvement of Higher Education Personnel (CAPES). Partner Institution: Paris Nanterre University, (€22,403), Oct.2020-Apr.2021
4. 'May 68 as a Global Phenomenon' (co-PI) funded by (CAPES), (€35,576). Apr.2017-Dec.2019
5. 'May 68 in Brazil', funded by Center for Humanities of PUC-Rio University, R\$10,000 (€1,873), Mar.2017-Dec.2019. (Campus Grant)
6. 'Human Dignity: Useful or Useless Concept?', funded by Rio de Janeiro Support Foundation (FAPERJ), (€8,741). Dec.2015-Nov.2017
7. Research & Innovation Fellowship for Editors of High Impact Academic Journals, funded by Brazil's CAPES, R\$ 30,000 (€5,619). Apr. 2017-Mar.2019
8. 'Public and private Spheres: Contemporary Challenges', funded by Brazil's Secretary of Justice, R\$ 600,000, (€112,252), Jun. 2016-Sept.2017
9. 'Human Rights and Biopolitics', Research Grant, Funded by PUC-Rio University, (€5,772), Oct. 2016-Sept.2021. (Campus Grant)

10. Human Dignity Through Critical Theory and History. Funded by Brazil's National Council for Scientific and Technological Development, CNPq, PIBIC Call, (€ 8,741) Sept.2016-Dec.2020
11. Human Dignity: The Cornerstone of Human Rights?'. Funded by CAPES. Program: '*Edital Professor Visitante do Exterior*', (€ 45,273) (Nov.2012 - Oct.2014)
12. 'Secularism and Freedom of Thought,' Funded by Spain's Ministry of Education, (€32,451), Sept. 2011-Jun.2013
13. 'Secularism and Laicity: Challenges Today,' Funded by Banco Santander Foundation, (€ 8,000) Jun-oct. 2011.
14. 'Rights and Contentious Politics' Funded by Carlos III University, (€ 4,000), Oct. 2011-Sept.2012. (Campus Grant)
15. 'American Legal Realism', Funded by Carlos III University Foundation, Post Doctoral Grant. Host Institution: The University of Chicago (€ 8,000), Apr.-oct. 2010. (Campus Grant)
16. Ph.D Fellowship. Funded by Carlos III University Foundation, (€ 34,000), Sept. 2002-Oct.2003. (Campus Grant)

In Progress :

17. 'For a Right to Digital Health' ERC Advanced Grant (2026)

Colaborator (selection)

1. 'Spheres of Citizenships in Rio de Janeiro and Berlin: Rights, Frontiers, Agencies' Funded by The German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) and CAPES. Partner Institution: Humboldt University, R\$ 1,723,600,00 (€331,748) Jan.2020-Dec.2023.
2. 'Historical Cartography of Law', funded by the *Ecole Normale Supérieure*, Partner Institution: CNRS, Paris (€9,849). Mar-Sept.2021.
3. 'UNESCO Chair: Human Rights, Violence and Governance'. Funded by CAPES-PrINt 'Program for Institutional Internationalization', Partner Institutions: University of Birkbeck, London & University Paris X., R\$ 1,704,767,00 (€328,123) Apr. 2019-Mar. 2024.
4. 'Human Rights and Rights of Minorities: Brazil and France' Funded by the French Committee for the Evaluation of Academic and Scientific Cooperation with Brazil (COFECUB) and CAPES. Partner Institution: Paris Nanterre University, R\$ 1,009,628,00 (€194,327) Feb. 2015-Janv.2023.
5. 'The Age of Rights' Funded by Spain's Secretary of Science and Innovation. 'Consolider Ingenio 2010 Program'. Partner Institutions: Carlos III University of Madrid, Institut de Drets Humans de Catalunya, Deusto University, etc. (€3,500,000). Dec. 2008-Dec. 2014.
6. 'History of Human Rights'. Funded by Spain's Secretary of Sciences & Innovation of Madrid, (€54,450), Dec.2009-Dec.2011

7. 'Women's Rights in the 20th century,' Funded by the Madrid Community, (€40,500), Jan.2009-Dec.2009.

Academic Publications

Peer-reviewed Journal Articles

1. For A Right to Digital Health. [BMC Digital Health](#) (revised manuscript under revision). Journal Impact Factor - Clarivate (JIF): 12.3
2. On the Moral Economy of AI & Why Some Risks are Unacceptable (with Pedro Borges) - (revised manuscript under revision) Oxford: [Oxford Intersections](#) (2025)
3. [On Vulnerability, Biopolitics, and Political Struggles](#) (with Stephen Riley), *Law, Culture and the Humanities*, 21 (1) (Feb.2025): 4-6 JIF: 0,5
4. [The Right to Health Beyond Biopolitics: 'Politics of Life' & Social Justice](#) (with Stephen Riley), *Law, Culture and the Humanities*, 21 (1) (Feb.2025): 7-23 JIF: 0,5
5. [Medicine, Dissent and the 'Chloroquinization' of Truth: Brazil and Pandemic](#) (with Stephen Riley and Katharina Bauer) *International Critical Thought*, 13 (4): 586-603 (2023). JIF: 0,5
6. [Brazil's Unified Health System: 35 Years and Future Challenges](#) (with Francisco Ortega) *The Lancet Regional Health-Americas*, 28 Dec. (2023) JIF: 7,4
7. [On Facial Recognition, Regulation & 'Data Necropolitics'](#), (with Caitlin Mulholland), *Indiana Journal of Global Legal Studies*, 30 (1): 173-194 (2023) Scopus/H-Index: 15
8. [Political Resistance & 'Care of the Self' in Kant's Notion of Human Dignity](#), *Studies in Law, Politics, and Society*, Vol. 88 : 3-22 (2022) Scopus/H-Index : 10
9. Human Dignity, Rights and Values, *Universitas*, Varanasi, (India), Vol. 15: 67-76 (2020)
10. [Survivre c'est Résister. Résistances et Nécropolitiques au Brésil](#). *Revue Sens Public*: 1-29 (2020)
11. [Human dignity in the Renaissance? Dignitas Hominis and Spiritual Counter-Subjectivity: A Foucauldian Approach](#). *Philosophy and Social Criticism*, 45(6): 753-776 (2019) JIF: 0,8
12. [Humour et subjectivités : retour sur Intouchables](#). *Tempo Social*, 30 (33): 271-288 (2018) H-Index : 16 & Scopus/H-Index : 16
13. [A Proposal for an Intangible Resources Management](#) (with Dan Dumitrescu), *Management of Sustainable Development* 10(1):17-21, (June 2018)
14. [The National Intangible Resources and the Knowledge Based Economy](#) (with Camilla. Oprean), *Management of Sustainable Development* 10(1): 45-49 (Dec. 2018)

15. [Le Pouvoir à l'Ère Digitale : La Société de l'Exposition](#). *International Journal of Digital and Data Law*, Vol.3, 19-34, (2017)
16. [Human Dignity and European Law: Life & Biopolitics](#), *Revista Direito e Práxis*, 8(4): 2516-2541, (2017) 'Qualis: A1' : Highest Brazilian Ranking
17. [Recognizing and Valuating Intangible Resources - Major Difficulties in Organizational Management](#) (with Sebastian Stan), *Management of Sustainable Development*, 9: 35-38 (June 2017).
18. [Kant on Human Dignity: A Critical Approach](#). *Revista Espaço Jurídico*, 17(2): 493-512, (2016) Qualis A1
19. [Kant y la Dignidad Humana](#). *Revista Brasileira de Estudos Políticos*, 111: 15-46, (Jul/Dec.2015) Qualis A1
20. El Mal, la Experiencia de Daño y la Dignidad Humana (with G. Saravia). *Revista Internacional de Direito*, 1(1): 43-58 (2015)
21. [La Dignidad Humana: Modelo Contemporáneo y Modelos Tradicionales](#). *Revista Brasileira de Direito*, 11(2): 7-17 (2015) Qualis A1
22. [La Laicidad & sus Enemigos](#). *Derechos y Libertades*, 2 (29): 122-148 (2013) Scopus/H-index: 11
23. [Understanding Human Dignity Redux](#). *Postmodern Openings*, 3(3): 21-34 (Sept. 2012)
24. Dignité Humaine et Identité Européenne (with R. de Asis), *Romanian Journal of Comparative Law*, 3(1) : 926 (2012)
25. Donación y Trasplante de órganos en la UE, *Revista General de Derecho Europeo*, 24: 1-16 (2012)
26. [Kant, la Ilustración, la Domesticación del Ser Humano](#). *Cuadernos de Filosofía del Derecho*, 23: 433-452 (2012) Scopus/ H-Index : 2
27. [Understanding Human Dignity](#). *Papeles el Tiempo de los Derechos*, 20: 1-11 (2010)
28. [Modelos de la Dignidad del Ser Humano en la Edad Media](#), *Derechos y Libertades*, 21:149-185 (2009) Scopus/H-index: 11
29. [Aproximación al Concepto de Dignidad Humana](#), *Revista Universitas*, 1, 9-13 (2004). Dialnet Metricas: 0,5

(Co-)Editor of Special Issues

1. '[The Different Lives of a Pandemic](#),' *Law, Culture and the Humanities*, 21 (1) (Feb. 2025)
2. '[Human Dignity](#),' *Studies in Law, Politics, and Society*, Vol. 28, (Jul. 2022)

Books

1. *How Humans Have Become Worthless and What We can Do About It*, with Katharina Bauer and Stephen Riley (book proposal to be sent to Columbia University Press, 2025)
2. *El Discurso de la Dignitas Hominis en el Humanismo del Renacimiento*, Madrid: Dykinson, 2012
3. *El Sujeto Humano en el Siglo XVII*, Madrid: EAE, 2012
4. *La Dignidad Humana: sus Orígenes en el Pensamiento Clásico*, Madrid: Dykinson, 2010

Edited Books

1. *Direitos Humanos. Entre Captura e Emancipação* (with Bethania. Assy & Marcia Nina Bernardes) Rio de Janeiro: PUC-Editora, 2022
2. *Direitos Humanos e Neoliberalismo*, (with Gisele Cittadino) Rio de Janeiro: Lumen Juris, 2018.
3. *Reinvenções de Foucault* (with Ana Kiffer) Rio de Janeiro: Lamparina, 2016
4. *La Laicidad*, Madrid: Dykinson, 2014
5. *Perspectivas sobre Feminismo y Derecho*, Madrid: Dykinson, 2012.

Book Chapters

1. 'Key Concept: Abolition' (with Catarina Von Wedemeyer). In *The Law & Literature Handbook*. Edited by S. Zepp & K. Hoffmann-Holland. Berlin: De Gruyter (In Press/2025)
2. 'Police Violence in Brazil: Necropolitics and Counterrevolution,' with Natália Baldessar, In *Towards AntiPolicing: Prefiguring Possibilities Beyond The Thin Blue Line*. Edited by S. Springer & R. J. White. London: Rowman & Littlefield, 2024. Pp. 103-122.
3. 'Prefacio: Foucault na California desde a Teoria Critica.' *Foucault na California*. Written by S. Wade, São Paulo: Editora Elefante, 2024. Pp. 255-268.
4. 'Feito no Brasil: Contre-Révolution et Necropolitique.' In *La Valeur Néolibérale de l'Humanin*. Edited by J.F Deluchey & N. Champoux. Paris: Kimé, 2022. Pp. 165-180.
5. 'Political Struggles & Tropical Necropolitics. The Rise (and Fall) of Authoritarian Dignity in Brazil.' In *Dignity, Diversity, Anarchy*. Edited by K. Mathis. Stuttgart: Franz Steiner Verlag, 2021. Pp. 79-98.
6. 'Austeridade Fiscal e Efetividades dos Direitos Humanos no Brasil' (with. A. Wilson). In *Direitos Humanos. Entre Captura e Emancipação*. Edited by A. Pele, B. Assy & M. Nina Bernardes. Rio de Janeiro: PUC Editora, 2021. Pp. 287-309.
7. 'Prólogo.' In *Direitos Humanos. Entre Captura e Emancipação*. Edited by A. Pele, B. Assy & M. Nina Bernardes. Rio de Janeiro: PUC-Editora, 2021. Pp. 7-20.

8. 'Brasil e a Pandemia de COVID-19.' In *Pandemia e Pandemonios*. Edited by C. Brandão. São Paulo: Tirant lo Blanch, 2020. Pp. 157-163.
9. 'De Calvino a Buda: Um Novo 'Espírito' do Capitalismo?.' In *Direitos Humanos e Neoliberalismo*. Edited by A. Pele & G. Cittadino. Rio de Janeiro: Lumen Juris, 2018. Pp. 59-86.
10. 'Human Dignity' (with R. Andorno). In *Encyclopedia of Global Bioethics*. Edited by H. ten Have. BerlinHeidelberg: Springer, 2015. Pp. 1-11.
11. 'Understanding Human Dignity Redux.' In *Postmodern Quests in Applied Philosophy*. Edited by S. Uşurelu. Iaşi: Lumen, 2012. Pp. 49-58.
12. 'Reformular *La Sociedad Punitiva* como Critica al Capitalismo.' In *Reinvenções de Foucault*. Edited by A. Pele & A. Kiefer. Rio de Janeiro: Lamparina, 2016. Pp. 23-36.
13. 'Human Dignity Beyond Value.' In *Essays on Human Rights*. Edited by R. de Asís. Pamplona: Thomson Reuters, 2015. Pp. 403-426.
14. 'La Dignidad Humana: sus Retos Actuales' In *Historia de los Derechos Fundamentales. Siglo XX*. Edited by G. Peces-Barba. Madrid: Dykinson. 2014. Pp. 41-72.
15. 'La Convención sobre la Eliminación de todas las Formas de Discriminación contra la Mujer: Alcance y Límites.' In *Perspectivas sobre Feminismo & Derecho en el Siglo XXI*. Edited by A. Pele & A. Iglesias. Madrid: Dykinson, 2012. Pp. 79-122.
16. 'El Sujeto de Derecho en Pufendorf.' In *Perspectivas Actuales de los Sujetos de Derecho*. Edited by M. C. Barranco, O. Celador & F. Vacas. Madrid: Dykinson, 2012. Pp. 409-427.
17. 'Artículo 1. Dignidad Humana.' In *La Europa de los Derechos*. Edited by C. Monereo. Granada: Comares. 2012. Pp. 3-22.
18. 'Conflictividad Laboral y Exigibilidad de los Derechos Sociales y Económicos en Francia.' In *Los Derechos Sociales en el Siglo XXI*. Edited by S. Ribotta. Madrid: Dykinson, 2010. Pp. 355-376.
19. 'Montaigne & Las Casas: Dos Defensores de la Dignidad Humana.' In *Estudios en Homenaje al Profesor Gregorio Peces-Barba*, vol. 3. Edited by R. de Asis & J. Ansuategui. Madrid: Dykinson, 2008. Pp. 959-974
20. 'Las Libertades Públicas y el *Espíritu Republicano* en los principios de la III República Francesa.' In *Historia de los Derechos Fundamentales. Siglo XIX*. Vol. 3 (3). Edited by F-J. Ansuategui, G. Peces-Barba. Madrid: Dykinson, 2007. Pp. 243-266.
21. 'Islam & Poderes Públicos en Francia.' In *Justicia, Migración y Derecho*. Edited by Laura Miraut, Madrid: Dykinson, 2004. Pp. 365-379.

Translations

Book

Gregorio Peces-Barba, *Théorie Générale des Droits Fondamentaux*, Paris: LGDJ, 2004. (502 p.)

Chapters & Papers

1. Michel Tropper, 'Sobre el Dogma de la Plenitud y la Teoría de la Norma General Excluyente.', In *Teoría y Metodología del Derecho. Estudios en Homenaje al Profesor Gregorio Peces-Barba*, Vol II. Marcial Pons: Dykinson, 2008. Pp. 1115-1165.
2. Vincenzo Ferrari, 'Algunas Razones del Relativismo Jurídico.' In *Teoría y Metodología del Derecho. Estudios en Homenaje al Profesor Gregorio Peces-Barba*, Vol II, Madrid: Dykinson, 2008. Pp. 499-528.
3. Sami Naïr, 'Codesarrollo Para las Migraciones', em *Historia y Filosofía Política, Jurídica y Social. Estudios en Homenaje al Profesor Gregorio Peces-Barba*, Vol. IV, Madrid: Dykinson Madrid. Pp. 657-67.
4. Luc Foisneau 'Hobbes y la Autoridad de la Ley.' *Derechos & Libertades*, 17, 57-70 (Jun. 2007)
5. André-Jean Arnaud, 'Desperately Seeking Susan o a la búsqueda del Sr. Crit.' In *El Derecho en Red. Estudios en Homenaje al Profesor Mario G. Losano*, Madrid: Dykinson, 2006. Pp. 69-86
6. Gregorio Peces-Barba, 'Norberto Bobbio et les Droits de l'Homme.' In *L'Architecture du Droit. Mélanges en l'Honneur de Michel Tropper*, Paris: Economica, 2006. Pp. 807-815.

Reviews

1. Bernard E. Harcourt: Compte rendu: Exposed. Desire and Disobedience in the Digital Age, *Droit et Société*, 2017.
2. Bernard E. Harcourt: The Illusion of Free Markets. *Derechos y Libertades*, 2(25), 2011: 385-388.

Media Coverage

1. [Comment la Méditation est devenue un bien de consommation](#) (Interview), *Le Vif* (Jan. 2025)
2. [Regulamentação da Inteligência Artificial é possível e necessária](#), *Vejia*, (Nov. 2023)
3. [Inteligência Artificial e o Futuro das Desigualdades](#) (interview), *Gerador*, (Oct. 2023)
4. [Un Manifeste pour des 'Sanctuaires sans IA' : interview avec Antonio Pele](#), *Emission Forum, Radio Télévision Suisse*, (Sept. 2023)
5. [Et si on créait des 'Sanctuaires sans IA.'](#) *The Conversation France*, (Sept. 2023)

6. [Regulamentação da Inteligência Artificial: possível, necessária e urgente](#), *The Conversation Brasil* (Sept. 2023)
7. [Wir sollten jetzt über die Schaffung von KI-freien Zufluchtsorten sprechen!](#), *1E9 Magazin* (June 2023)
8. [It is time for us to talk about ‘AI Free Spaces,’](#) *The Conversation Europe* 5,422 readers (May 2023)
9. [Biodignity: Rethinking Life & Respect in the Anthropocene](#) (with S. Riley & K. Bauer), *Open Global Rights* (Nov. 2022)
10. [Au Brésil et ailleurs : Risques noirs, sécurité blanche](#) (with J-F. Deluchey), *The Conversation France* 3,563 readers (Dec. 2020)
11. [Brasil y la Pandemia del COVID-19. La Apuesta Genocida de Bolsonaro](#), *Revista Común* (May 2020)
12. [The King is Naked. Bolsonaro & The Pandemic](#), *Critical Legal Thinking* (Apr. 2020)
13. [Achille Mbembe’s Necropolitics](#), *Critical Legal Thinking* (Mar. 2020)
14. [Brésil : Fascisme Moléculaire et Nécropolitique](#), *The Conversation France*, 5,136 readers (Dec. 2019)
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16. [L'Engouement pour la Méditation est une Réponse aux Exigences du Capitalisme](#), *Le Monde*, (Aug. 2019)
17. [La Méditation : Nouvel Esprit de Capitalisme ?](#), *The Conversation France* 32,210 readers, **most read** article in Feb/Mar. 2019
18. [Brazil. Academic Freedom in the Drift of Authoritarianism](#) (with B. Assy), *Droit et Société*, Nov. 2019
19. [Beyond Theory & Praxis in Paulo Freire](#), *Seminar Critique 13/13*, Center for Contemporary Critical Thought, Columbia University (Oct. 2019)
20. [Reframing *The Punitive Society* as a Critique of Capitalism](#), *Seminar Foucault 13/13*, Center for Contemporary Critical Thought, Columbia (Oct. 2015)

Conferences and Workshops Organization

International Conferences

- *Commemorating the Fall of the Berlin Wall* (with Stéphanie Hennette-Vauchez), University Paris Nanterre, Law, School, November 15, 2019.
- *The 5th Conf. Consortium for Law and Religious Studies*, ICLARS, (with Anna Celis), PUC-Rio, Law School September 12-14, 2018.
- *May 68 as a Global Phenomenon* (with Florian. Hoffmann), PUC-Rio, Law School, May 14-18, 2018.
- *Human Rights in Crisis* (with Bethânia Assy), PUC-Rio, Law School, August 29-29, 2017.
- *Reinventing Foucault*, PUC-Rio, Law School, August 18-20, 2016.
- *Secularism, Laicity and Freedom of Thought*, Carlos III University of Madrid, Legal Philosophy Dpt, October 23-25, 2012

International Workshops and Panels

- *Imaginons d'Autres Futures*, Écoles des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris, Sept. 12, 2023
- *La Coopération: une approche politique, économique et sociale avec Bernard E. Harcourt*, Institut Culturel de Barcelone, May 31, 2023
- *Cooperation today with Bernard E. Harcourt*, Rovira I Virgili University, Medical Anthropology Research Center (DAFITS), Tarragona, May 31, 2023
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- ‘La Dignité Humaine et la Philosophie du Droit’ - workshop (with Mate Paksy), *Deuxième Rencontre de la Société Française de la Philosophie du Droit*, Université de Droit de Toulouse, September 29, 2022.
- ‘Research & Governance’, (panel session), *The Council For European Studies 50th Anniversary Global Conference*, June 23, 2021
- ‘COVID, Police and Punishment’, (panel session), *Law & Society Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago ‘Crisis, Healing, Re-Imagining’ May 28, 2021
- ‘Justice, Mutual Aid and Resilience’ (panel session), *Law & Society Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, ‘Crisis, Healing, Re-Imagining,’ May 27, 2021
- *Political Activism in Brazil: the Legacy of Marielle Franco* (with Amanda Mendonça and Pâmella Passos), Center of Human Rights, PUC-Rio, Rio de Janeiro November 20, 2020
- *Pandemic & Pos-Pandemic: Trends & Challenges* PUC-Rio, Law School, Rio de Janeiro, July 06, 2020
- ‘Paulo Freire, The Pedagogy of the Oppressed’ *Seminar Critique 4/13*. (with Alessandra Vannucci, Bernard E. Harcourt, Cecilia Boal and Maria Ines Marcondes) Law School, PUC-Rio and the Columbia Center for Contemporary Critical Thought, Columbia University, October 23, 2019
- *Lectures on Michel Foucault with Bernard E. Harcourt & Jurandir Freire Costa*, PUC-Rio, October 24, 2019
- ‘Human Dignity: Alternative Histories’ - workshop (with Stephen Riley), *29th World Congress of the Intern. Asso. for the Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy (29th IVR)* Lucerne, July 09, 2019
- *The Illusion of Free Markets with Bernard E. Harcourt*, Carlos III University of Madrid, November 4, 2011
- *Why Tolerate Religion? with Brian Leiter*, Carlos III University of Madrid, March 10, 2011

Conferences & Workshops Presentations

- ‘The Right to Digital Health: Challenges and Regulation’, *X Seminário Internacional sobre Direitos Humanos Fundamentais*, Federal Fluminense University, Brazil, June 03, 2024 invited
- ‘Brazil’s Landless Worker Movement as Radical Coöpower,’ *Coöperism Seminar 13/13*, The Center for Contemporary Critical Thought, Columbia University, New-York, October 18, 2023, invited
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- ‘La dignité humaine au XIXème siècle en France,’ *Deuxième Rencontre de la Société Française de la Philosophie du Droit*, Université de Droit de Toulouse, September 29, 2022 (Peer-rev.)
- ‘La Dignité Humaine : Vers un Paternalisme Post-Métaphysique ?’, Chaire Éthique de l’Influence, Université Catholique de Lille , September 28, 2022 invited
- ‘AI, Big Data and Ethics in the Public Sector,’ Digital Transformation of Government: Towards a Digital Leviathan, Carlos III University of Madrid, SJune 22, 2022 invited
- ‘Data Necropolitics,’ *Law & Society Annual Meeting*, Lisbon, July 14, 2022 (Peer-rev.)
- ‘BioDignity: A Novel Concept for our Critical Times’ (with Katharina Bauer) Alfred Deakin Institute International Conference, Australia, November 11, 2021 (Peer-rev.)
- ‘PostPandemic Neoliberalism and the EU Framework’ *The Council For European Studies 50th Anniversary Global Conference*, EU Commission, Andrew Mellon Foundation & Columbia University, June 22, 2021 (Peer-rev.)
- ‘For a Right to Health beyond Biopolitics,’ *Law & Society Association Annual Meeting* Chicago ‘Crisis, Healing, Re-Imagining, May 27, 2021 (Peer-rev.)
- ‘Brazil in Times of COVID19: Rights to Health, Bioresistances and Solidarities’, *The Latin American Studies Congress Congress*, May 26, 2021 (Peer-rev.)
- ‘Droit et Race. Une Perspective Brésilienne,’ *Sous le Feu de la Critique. Journée d’Etude*, Université Paris Nanterre, & C.N.R.S, Paris April 01, 2021 Invited
- ‘Abdias Nascimento. Brazil, Mixture or Massacre?’ *Decolonization, Neocolonialism and Human Rights’ Seminar* Institute of Latin American Studies, Columbia University, New-York January 12, 2021, Invited
- ‘Brazil in Times of COVID-19: Bioresistances and Solidarities’, *The Worth of Human Lives, Le Studium International Conference* Tours, France, November 18, 2020 Invited
- ‘Human Dignity: Global Challenges’, Centro de la Dignidad Humana, TEC Monterey, Mexico, October 21, 2020 Invited
- ‘Necro-Counterrevolution in Brazil’, *28th Critical Theory Roundtable*/Michigan State University, East Lansing, November 15, 2020 (Peer-rev.)
- ‘Human Rights in Europe’, Brazil’s Public Prosecutor Office, March 10, 2020 Invited
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- 'Necroliberalism and Counterrevolution in Brazil', Law School, State University of Rio de Janeiro, November 28, 2019 Invited
- 'Romania Post-1989: Constitutionalism & Democracy', International Congress: *Commemorating the Fall of the Berlin Wall*, Paris Nanterre Uni, November 15, 2019 Invited
- 'Beyond Theory and Praxis in Paulo Freire Pedagogy of the Oppressed', *Paulo Freire Pedagogy of the Oppressed*, The Columbia Center for Contemporary Critical Thought & PUC-Rio, Rio de Janeiro, October 23, 2019 Invited
- 'Human Dignity as a Biopolitical Device', *29th World Congress of the Intern. Asso. for the Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy (29th IVR)* Lucerne, July 10, 2019 (Peer-rev.)
- 'Human Dignity in Kant as a Technology of the Self', *29th IVR*, Lucerne, July 09, 2019 (Peer-rev.)
- 'Brazil: Violence, Death and Denial: A Critical Theory Approach', *29th IVR*, Lucerne, July 09, 2019 (Peer-rev.)
- 'Human Dignity against the Human Being', Law School Seminar, University of Leicester, February 15, 2019 Invited

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- ‘La Dignité Humaine: une Contre-Histoire’, *Les Concepts Centraux du Droit de l’Homme. Approches Critiques*. Université Paris Nanterre, Centre de Recherches et d’Études sur les Droits Fondamentaux, October 26, 2018 Invited
- ‘Human Dignity between Humanism and Biopolitics’, *Public Lecture*, Institute of Biomedical Ethics and History of Medicine, University of Zurich, December 14, 2016 Invited
- ‘Human Dignity: A Critical Genealogy’, *24th Critical Theory Roundtable*/Penn State University, November 11, 2016 (Peer-rev.)
- ‘A Genealogy of Human Dignity’ (with Bernard E Harcourt and Andrew Dilts), Seminar at The Columbia Center For Contemporary Critical Thought/Columbia University, New-York, November 06, 2016 Invited
- ‘Human Rights in Brazil?’ *A Cena Expandida* Seminar, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, November 26, 2015 Invited
- ‘Human Dignity: The Cornerstone of Human Rights?’, Uni. Lucian. Blaga, Law School, Sibiu, March 28, 2012 Invited
- ‘Dignidade humana e relativismo moral,’ University of Pará, Law School – Ombudsman, Belém, Brazil, Aug. 22, 2011 Invited
- ‘A dignidade humana no Renascimento,’ University of Fortaleza, Fortaleza, Brazil, Aug. 18, 2011 Invited
- ‘Kant y la Ilustración,’ *XXIII Jornadas de la Sociedad Española de Filosofía Jurídica y Política*, Jaén, April 04, 2011 (Peer-rev.)
- ‘Human Dignity and Classical Philosophy’, Pozen Center for Human Rights & Center for Latin American Studies, The University of Chicago, Chicago, October 01, 2010 Invited.
- *Conflictividad Laboral y Exigibilidad de los Derechos Sociales y Económicos en Francia*, Universidad de Antioquia, Medellín, Departamento de Recursos Humanos, Medellín, Oct. 08, 2009.
- ‘Derechos Humanos y Laicidad,’ Universidad Autónoma de Baja California, Tijuana, August 08, 2009 Invited
- ‘Germinal of E. Zola and Social Rights’ – *Human Rights in the 19th Century*, Summer School of the Menéndez Pelayo University, Santander, July 08, 2009 Invited.
- ‘Thinking Human Dignity’, *Pathways to Human Dignity. From Cultural traditions to a new paradigm*, UNESCO/European Science Foundation, Vadstena, Sweden, Oct. 31, 2007 Invited
- ‘Public Ethics and Democratic Societies,’ *Summer School*, Carlos III University, Colmenarejo, July 05, 2005 Invited

- ‘Los Valores Superiores de la Constitución,’ *Summer School*, University of Cantabria, Laredo, September 06, 2004 Invited

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-Human Rights, Power and Political Resistance MA , (2006-2009)