

**ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT AND HUMAN RIGHTS:
ISSUES AND CHALLENGES ON THE EVE OF RIO + 20**
AN INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM

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**PAYSON CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT at
TULANE UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL**

Rio de Janeiro, 17 March 2011

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8:00 am – 9:30 am: Conference Registration

8:30am – 5:30pm: Pre-registration for First Annual Inter-American Sustainable Development Law Moot Court Competition

9:30 am – 10:00 am: Welcome and Introductory Remarks

JOAQUIM FALCÃO, Dean, FGV DIREITO RIO

COLIN CRAWFORD, Professor of Law and Executive Director, Payson Center for International Development,
Tulane University Law School

10:00 am – 11:00 am: Opening Keynote Address

“Business and Human Rights in the Context of Rio+20”

GÜNTHER HANDL, Eberhard Deutsch Professor of Public International Law, Tulane University Law School

Commentator and Moderator:

TROY ELDER, Clinical Associate Professor of Law and Interim Director of Clinical Programs, Florida International University College of Law

11:00 am – 11:30 am: Coffee Break

11:30 am-1:00 pm: Distinguished Visitor Address

“Water, Energy and Climate Change”

PAULO AFFONSO LEME MACHADO, Professor and Coordinator of Environmental Law Programs,
Universidade Metodista de Piracicaba, São Paulo

1:00 pm – 2:30 pm: Lunch Break (w/ Remarks)

“Tribute to Arlindo Daibert” by Dr. RÔMULO S. R. SAMPAIO

2:30 pm – 3:30 pm: First Panel

“Development, Energy and Water Self-Sufficiency”

JULIAN JUERGENSMEYER, Professor of Law, Ben F. Johnson Jr., Chair, Georgia State University College of Law

Commentators:

RÔMULO S. R. SAMPAIO, Professor and Director, Environmental Law Program, FGV DIREITO RIO

DANIELLE MOREIRA, Professor and Director of Legal Programs, Interdisciplinary Environmental Studies Center, Faculty of Law, Pontifícia Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro

Moderator:

RANDALL ABATE, Associate Professor of Law, Florida A&M University College of Law

3:30 pm – 4:00 pm: Refreshment Break

4:00 pm – 5:30 pm: Second Panel

“Human Rights, Development and Environment”

FLAVIA PIOVESAN, Professor and Director of Constitutional and Human Rights Law Programs, Pontifícia Universidade Católica de São Paulo

Commentators:

GUILLERMOTEJEIRO, Coordinator, Climate Change and Renewable Energy Section, Macías Gómez & Asociados Abogados S.A.S., Bogotá

DAVID N. CASSUTO, Professor of Law and Director, Brazil-American Institute for Environmental Law

Moderator:

PAULA SPIELER, Professor of Law, FGV DIREITO RIO

5:30 pm: Closing Remarks and Instructions by RÔMULO S. R. SAMPAIO

5:30 pm – 7:30 pm: Welcome Cocktail Reception

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This symposium is the inaugural event of the First Annual Inter-American Sustainable Development Law Moot Court Competition, a joint project of FGV DIREITO RIO, the Payson Center for International Development at Tulane University Law School, the Public Interest Research Group at Universidad de los Andes (Colombia), and Universidad Rafael Landívar (Guatemala). Participants at the conference are invited to attend rounds of the moot court competition to be held at FGV DIREITO RIO on March 18-20, 2011.

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