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EDUCATION

PhD **2015 | University of California, Berkeley**, Department of Sociology
MA **2007 | University of California, Berkeley**, Department of Sociology
BA **2002 | Middlebury College, VT**, Department of Sociology (High Honors / Phi Beta Kappa)

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

2019-present **Research Scientist**, Program in Conflict Resolution and Coexistence
Brandeis University, Heller School for Social Policy and Management
Waltham, MA, USA
2018-2019 **Senior Co-Investigator and Postdoctoral Fellow**, School of Conflict Analysis and
Resolution / George Mason University, School for Conflict Analysis and Resolution
Arlington, VA, USA

ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS

2021-present **Faculty Affiliate**
Possibility Lab, University of California, Berkeley
2021-present **Fellow**, ‘Global Innovations on Youth Violence, Safety & Justice’
Salzburg Global Seminar,
2018-present **Research Scientist and Co-Principal Investigator**
Everyday Peace Indicators
2017-present **Co-Investigator**, School of Law, ‘Reparations, Responsibility & Victimhood in Transitional
Societies’, *Queens University, Belfast, United Kingdom*
2013-2015 **Affiliated Researcher**, Harvard Humanitarian Initiative Program on Transitional Justice
Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, USA

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

2016-2018 **Evaluation Officer**, Inspection and Evaluation Division
United Nations, New York, NY, USA
2009-2011 **Senior Fellow in Monitoring and Evaluation**, Trust Fund for Victims
International Criminal Court, The Hague, Netherlands

GRANTS

2021-2024 **Santa Clara University and University of California Berkeley** (\$185,663)
Principal Investigator (sub-award), “Everyday Indicators for Policy Innovation (EIPi)”
2019-2023 **Everyday Justice** (\$1,049,222)
Postdoctoral Fellow, 2019-2020
Co-PI, 2021-present
• Inter-American Foundation
• Humanity United

- United States Institute of Peace
- National Science Foundation, Law and Social Sciences Program

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

- Accepted “The Paradox of Justice: From Transitional to Everyday Justice.” *Law and Social Inquiry*. With Pamina Firchow and Fiorella Vera-Adrianzén.
- Accepted “Everyday Indicators for Policy Innovation.” *Law and Social Inquiry*. With Amy Lerman, Naomi Levy, and Karalyn Lacy.
- Accepted *Measures of Justice: A Symposium in Honor of Sally Engle Merry*. Editor of Accepted Symposium in *Law and Social Inquiry*. With Pamina Firchow and Fiorella Vera-Adrianzén.
- 2022 “Images and indicators: mixing participatory methods to build inclusive rigour.” With Tiffany Fairey and Pamina Firchow. *Action Research Journal*.
- 2022 “Collective Justice: Ex-Combatants and Community Reparations in Colombia.” *Journal of Human Rights Practice*. With Pamina Firchow.
- 2019 “Postconflict Reparations.” *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of International Studies*, edited by William R. Thomson. Oxford: Oxford University Press. With Luke Moffett and Adriana Rudling.
- 2017 “Reparations in the Transition from Violence to Peace.” *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Politics*, edited by Renée Marlin-Bennett. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 2016 “Reparations, Assistance and the Experience of Justice: Lessons from Colombia and the Congo.” *International Journal of Transitional Justice*.
- 2016 “Evaluating Transitional Justice: The Role of Multi-Level Mixed Methods Datasets and the Colombia Reparation Program for War Victims.” *Transitional Justice Review*. With Phuong N. Pham, Patrick Vinck, Bridget Marchesi, Douglas Johnson, and Kathryn Sikkink.
- 2013 “International Criminal Justice as a Transnational Field: Rules, Authority and Victims.” *International Journal of Transitional Justice*. With Chris Tenove.

INVITED BOOK CHAPTERS

- Forthcoming “From Transitional to Everyday Justice: Understanding *Justicia* and *Convivencia* in Daily Life.” *Reconciliation Barometers*, edited by Angelika Rettberg. Bogota: Universidad de Los Andes. With Pamina Firchow and Fiorella Vera-Adrianzén.
- Forthcoming “Transitional Justice and Development.” *Research Handbook on Transitional Justice, Second Edition*, edited by Cheryl Lawther, Luke Moffett, and Dov Jacobs. London: Edward Elgar Publishing.
- 2017 “Transitional Justice and Development,” in *Research Handbook on Transitional Justice*, edited by Cheryl Lawther, Luke Moffett, and Dov Jacobs. London: Edward Elgar Publishing.
- 2015 “Reparations and the Politics of Recognition,” in *Contested Justice: The Politics and Practice of International Criminal Court Interventions*, edited by Carsten Stahn, Christian de Vos, and Sara Kendall. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

GUIDELINES & REPORTS

- 2022 *Belfast Guidelines on Reparations in Post-Conflict Societies*. Queen's University, Belfast. With Moffett, Luke, Cheryl Lawther, Kieran McEvoy, and Clara Sandoval.
- 2022 *Handbook on Civil Society Organizations and Donors Engagement on Reparations*. Queen's University, Belfast. With Moffett, Luke, Cheryl Lawther, Kieran McEvoy, and Clara Sandoval.
- 2019 *Alternative Sanctions before the Special Jurisdiction for Peace: Reflections on International Law and Transitional Justice*. Belfast: Queens University Belfast. With Luke Moffett Luke, Cheryl Lawther, Kieran McEvoy, and Clara Sandoval.
- 2015 *An Evaluation of Comprehensive Reparations Measures in Colombia: Accomplishments and Challenges*. Cambridge: Carr Center for Human Rights Policy, Harvard Humanitarian Initiative. With Kathryn Sikkink, Phuong N. Pham, Douglas A. Johnson, Peter J. Dixon, Bridget Marchesi, and Patrick Vinck.
- 2014 *Le Droit de Connaitre: Vérité et Reconciliation en Ituri*. Amsterdam: IKV Pax Christi.
- 2011 *Reviewing Rehabilitation Assistance and Preparing for Delivering Reparations*. The Hague: International Criminal Court, Trust Fund for Victims.

WORKS-IN-PROGRESS

- In progress "What do we do with the data? Measuring the utility and effectiveness of community generated data"
- In progress *Communities and Justice: Measurement, Local Populations and Justice After Conflict*
- In progress "Barometers, Indicators and Peace: Comparing External and Internal Measurement System" with Pamina Firchow
- In progress "Justice of Our Own: Community Justice in Red Hook, Brooklyn" with Hadar Dancig-Rosenberg

SELECTED OTHER WRITING

- 2022 "Opinion: To build peace in war-torn Colombia, we need to think smaller". *DevEx*. With Alejandro Castillejo Cuéllar and Pamina Firchow.
- 2020 "U.S. cities and states are discussing reparations for Black Americans. Here's what's key." *The Washington Post*.
- 2020 "Trash is Piling up in Rural Colombia. That's a Bad Sign for Peace." *Political Violence at a Glance*. With Fiorella Vera-Adrianzén, Peter Dixon, Daniel Ortega, Edwin Cubillos Rodríguez, Manuela Muñoz Ramírez, Rosario Arias Callejas, Saraya Bonilla Lozada, Oscar Vargas, Mariángela Villamil Cancino, and Pamina Firchow.
- 2020 "Dabeiba (Antioquia), más allá de la fosa común." *El Espectador Colombia 2020*. With Fiorella Vera-Adrianzén, Peter Dixon, Daniel Ortega, Edwin Cubillos Rodríguez, Manuela

Muñoz Ramírez, Rosario Arias Callejas, Saraya Bonilla Lozada, Oscar Vargas, Mariángela Villamil Cancino, Pamina Firchow.

HONORS & AWARDS

- 2022 **Heller Early Career Research Investigator Award**, Brandeis University, Heller School for Social Policy and Management
- 2016-2017 **James N. Rosenau Postdoctoral Fellowship**, International Studies Association, University of Connecticut, Department of Political Science
- 2013-2014 **Leo Lowenthal Fellowship**, University of California, Berkeley, Department of Sociology, for dissertation fieldwork in the DRC and dissertation writing
- 2012-2013 **Rocca Fellowship**, University of California, Berkeley Center for African Studies, for dissertation fieldwork in the DRC
- 2012-2013 **Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation Dissertation Fellowship**, University of California, San Diego, for dissertation fieldwork in the DRC
- 2009 **Human Rights Center Fellowship**, University of California, Berkeley, for evaluation position at the International Criminal Court, Trust Fund for Victims, The Hague, Netherlands
- 2008 **Berkeley-Tulane Initiative for Vulnerable Populations**, Summer Research Fellowship for summer position at Human Rights Watch, New York, NY
- 2007-2008 **Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Fellowship**, University of California, Berkeley
- 2007 **Kathryn Davis Scholarship in Critical Language Study**, Middlebury College, VT, for intensive summer course in Portuguese.
- 2004-2009 **Jacob K. Javits Fellowship**, U.S. Department of Education (declined 2007-08).
- 2003-2004 **Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship**, University of California, Berkeley, for Spanish language study

INVITED PRESENTATIONS & WORKSHOPS

- 2022 “Civil Society and Reparations”, presentation of the *Belfast Guidelines on Reparations in Post-Conflict Societies*. Queen’s University, Belfast.
- 2022 Facilitator, “Restorative Justice in Concord”, reconciliation dialogue between local private school and local museum around history of slavery in Concord, MA, March 2022
- 2022 Organizer, “Managing Distance at the ICC”, campus-wide panel on daily life at the International Criminal Court, February 2022
- 2022 Co-instructor, “Dialogue and Mediation”, Brandeis University campus-wide course on “Social Policy through the Lens of Equity”, January 2022
- 2021 “Collective Justice: Ex-Combatants and Community Reparations in Colombia.” *Symposium on Peace Processes (Political Settlements Research Programme)*. University of Edinburgh (remote)
- 2021 “Slavery, Structural Racism and the Struggle for Reparations in the US.” Brandeis University (remote)

- 2021 “From Courts to Communities: How Do International Courts Affect Victims?.” University of British Columbia (remote)
- 2021 “From Transitional to Everyday Justice”. *Goals and Meanings of Reconciliation*. University of Los Andes. Bogota, Colombia [Available online at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=87W4vxAB1uM>]
- 2020 “Everyday Justice.” *Past, Present and Future of the Colombian Victims’ Law*. DeJusticia. Bogota, Colombia. [Available online at <https://www.dejusticia.org/revive-el-seminario-pasado-presente-y-futuro-de-la-ley-de-victimas/>]
- 2019 “Foro Voces de las Víctimas.” Jurisdicción Especial para la Paz, Pasto, Colombia. [Available online at https://youtu.be/DXjvGj_FVkg?t=6004]
- “Participatory Numbers.” International Studies Association annual Conference, Toronto.
- 2018 “PhotoVoice: Photos of Everyday Peace in Montes de Maria.” Centro de Memoria, Paz y Reconciliación, Bogota, Colombia.
- 2017 “Assessing the Impact of Reparations.” Queens University School of Law Human Rights Centre, Belfast.
- 2016 “Reparations and the Politics of Recognition.” New York School of Law Transitional Justice Colloquium.
- 2008 Invited participant, *Performativity as Politics: Unlocking Economic Sociology*. University of Toulouse, Toulouse, France.

OTHER PRESENTATIONS & WORKSHOPS

- 2022 “Development and Transitional Justice”, paper presented at annual meeting of the International Studies Association
- 2022 “Barometers, Indicators and Peace: Comparing External and Internal Measurement Systems”, paper presented at annual meeting of the International Studies Association
- 2019 “Everyday Justice”, w/ Pamina Firchow. Law and Society Association Annual Conference. Washington D.C.
- 2019 “Everyday Justice in Colombia”, w/ Pamina Firchow. Latin American Studies Association Annual Conference. Boston, MA.
- 2018 Discussant, *Transitional Justice in Colombia and Peru*. Latin American Studies Association Annual Conference. Barcelona, Spain.
- 2018 “Everyday Justice”, w/ Pamina Firchow. American Society of International Law. New York, NY.
- 2017 “Reparations at the ICC: How did we get here? Where are we going?” International Studies Association Annual Conference. Baltimore, MD.
- 2016 “Administering Justice: Transition, Governance, and the Politics of Repair.” International Studies Association Annual Conference. Atlanta, GA.
- 2016 Chair, *The Use and Misuse of “Victimhood” in Peace and Justice Processes*. International Studies Association Annual Conference. Atlanta, GA.

- 2016 Discussant, *A Responsibility to Rebuild?* International Studies Association Annual Conference. Atlanta, GA.
- 2015 Chair and Discussant, *Law, Conflict, and Rule of Law Concerns*. Law and Society Association Annual Conference. Seattle, WA.
- 2015 “Reparations, Assistance, and the Experience of Justice: Lessons from Colombia and the Congo.” International Studies Association Northeast Conference. Providence, RI.
- 2015 “Administering Justice: Administrative Reparations and Victims’ Experience of Justice in Colombia.” American Sociological Association Annual Conference. Chicago, IL.
- 2015 w/ Phuong N. Pham and Patrick Vinck. “Administering Justice: Administrative Reparations and Victims’ Experience of Justice in Colombia.” Hague Institute of Global Justice and International Studies Association Joint Conference on Human Rights. The Hague, Netherlands.
- 2015 “Reparations and the Politics of Recognition.” Law and Society Association Annual Conference. Seattle, WA.
- 2015 “Reparations and the Politics of Recognition.” American Sociological Association Section on Development Annual Conference. Providence, RI.
- 2014 “Reparations and the Politics of Recognition.” American Sociological Association Annual Conference. San Francisco, CA.
- 2013 w/ Chris Tenove. “International Criminal Justice as a Transnational Field: Rules, Authority and Victims.” International Studies Association Annual Conference. San Francisco, CA.
- 2008 “Advocacy and Policy Evaluation.” Human Rights Fellows Conference. Human Rights Center, University of California, Berkeley.
- 2007 “Steal from the Rich; Give to Health, Education, and the Environment: The ‘Robin Hood Law’ as Human Development in Brazil.” Society for Advancement of Socioeconomics Annual Conference. Copenhagen, Denmark.
- 2006 “Steal from the Rich; Give to Health, Education, and the Environment: The ‘Robin Hood Law’ as Human Development in Brazil.” Latin American Sociological Association Annual Conference. San Jose, Puerto Rico.

SERVICE

- 2021- Programme Committee, Conflict Resolution and Coexistence, Heller School for Social Policy and Management, Brandeis University
- 2013- Occasional reviewer for: *Bureau of Latin American Research*, *American Journal of Sociology*, *International Journal of Transitional Justice*, *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*, *Journal of Social Philosophy*
- 2018- Consultant, Everyday Peace Indicators Project. Support to international and national organizations to implement everyday indicators into their project design, monitoring, and evaluation.
- 2017 Co-organizer, roundtable on Early Career Scholars Townhall. International Studies Association Annual Conference. Baltimore, MD.

- 2007 Conference Co-Chair and Organizer, Breslauer Symposium on *Development, Knowledge, and Global Poverty*. University of California, Berkeley
- 2003-2007 Editor and Conference Organizer, *Berkeley Journal of Sociology*. University of California, Berkeley.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

International Studies Association
Law and Society Association
Latin American Studies Association

REFERENCES

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