

Jean Vilbert

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EDUCATION

- Harvard University (Cambridge, MA, United States)** 2023 – Present
- Ph.D. student in Political Science
 - Subfields: Comparative Politics and Methodology
 - Research Line: Political Economy, Institutions, and Judicial Politics
- University of Wisconsin-Madison (Madison, WI, United States)** 2020 – 2023
- Dual degree: Master's in International Public Affairs and Latin American Studies
 - Relevant coursework: Political Economy and Methods
- University of West Santa Catarina (Chapecó, SC, Brazil)** 2014 – 2015
- Master of Laws (Fundamental Rights)
 - Relevant coursework: Civil Rights
 - Dissertation: Between the limitation and instrumentalization of power: the human rights discourse and its practical results
- University for the Development of the Pantanal State and Region (Campo Grande, MS, Brazil)** 2011 – 2012
- Specialization in Criminal Science
 - Monography: The States' co-responsibility for criminal recidivism
- Community University of Chapecó Region (Chapecó, SC, Brazil)** 2011 – 2012
- Specialization in Civil Procedure
 - Monography: The contemporary civil procedure as an instrument to accomplish justice
- Community University of Chapecó Region (Chapecó, SC, Brazil)** 2006 – 2011
- Bachelor of Laws
 - Monography: Legislative activity in Brazil after the 1988 Constitution: ontological gap

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Articles

- An Oddity in the Human Development Index. With Carlos Urzúa. *Investigación Económica*, Winter 2024. 83(327), 55–79. <https://doi.org/10.22201/fe.01851667p.2024.327.85909>.
- Criminal governance and social mobilization in Brazilian favelas: A qualitative meta-analysis. *IAPSS Politikon*. 56 (2023) <https://doi.org/10.22151/politikon.56.2>.

Slavery under liberal constitutionalism: Imperial Brazil's ostensible paradox. **Constitutional Studies**. Center for the Study of Liberal Democracy at the University of Wisconsin-Madison (Forthcoming).

The need for multidisciplinary evidence-based policymaking. **Critique. Illinois State University** (Fall 2021).

Os direitos humanos com alcance universal: uma realidade tangível ou uma utopia inalcançável? (Human rights with universal scope: A tangible reality or an unreachable utopia?). With Vinicius Mozetic. **Revista Internacional de Direito Consinter**, no. XI (2020).

Other Articles

Right or duty to enforce human rights? The U.S. role in Bahrain. **Tactics Institute: for security and counter terrorist**. Forthcoming. (By invitation)

Targeted legal reforms in Latin America: integrating foreign investment with positive distributional effects. **Yale Journal of International Affairs** (April 2022).

Global health governance post-covid-19: time for a hierarchical order? **Journal of Liberty and International Affairs** 7, no. 2 (June 2021), 11-30.

Trust in government as a factor in the response to the Coronavirus. **Michigan Journal of Public Affairs**, no. 18 (May 2021), 40-51.

Constituição de 1988: Três décadas de muita teoria e pouca prática (Brazilian Constitution of 1988: three decades of too much theory and not enough practice). **Revista Jurídica Eletrônica**. no. 3. (Feb 2019), 115-135.

Direito e economia: as facetas da internacionalização frente à soberania estatal e ao protecionismo econômico (Law and Economics: internationalization, States' sovereignty, and economic protectionism). With Mauricio Boniati. **Artigos CEOM** (Unochapecó), no. 37 (2012).

Book Chapters

Explaining Judicial Politics in Brazil: A Model of Judicial Activism. In: Public choice theory and public policy. Paul Dragos Aligica and Jayme Lemke (eds). Rowman and Littlefield (forthcoming).

Web Pieces and Op-Eds

Judicial Politics in Brazil. **Lacis Review** - Latin American, Caribbean, and Iberian Program at University of Wisconsin-Madison, Issue 1, Fall 2022 (video-essay).

Active free media is more important than ever in Brazil. **ReVista, the Harvard Review of Latin America** (Feb 4, 2022).

Environmental protection via multilevel governance. **International Affairs Forum** (Mar 2022).

China-US dispute on clean energy: economic and geopolitical stakes. **Chicago Policy Review** (Oct 19, 2021).

Brazil's Supreme Court Reigns Supreme. **International Policy Digest** (Jul 20, 2021).

IMF: Criticism and Compliments. **International Affairs Forum** (Jun 19, 2021).

Has Brazil recovered? Wait, not so fast. **ReVista, the Harvard Review of Latin America** (Jun 17, 2021).

The Rollercoaster in Brazilian Education. **International Policy Digest** (Jun 15, 2021).

Game theory and politics of Coronavirus. **AREO Magazine** (May 19, 2020).

Conference Papers

What Determines Deforestation? Tailoring Institutional Design in the Amazon Region. **PPE Society - Seventh Annual Meeting**. New Orleans – LA (2023).

Entre a ficção e a realidade: os crimes cibernéticos e o direito à segurança humana (Between fiction and reality: cybercrimes and the right to safety), in **XXIV Congresso Nacional do Conpedi**, Florianópolis, no. 1. (2015), 436-456.

O exercício da função legiferante em incursão no âmbito da autonomia da vontade (The legislative function and the scope of private autonomy), **Unoesc International Legal Seminar** (Autumn 2014), 449-461.

Articles Under Review

The effects of pretrial detention hearings on crime in Brazil: A mixed methods assessment. **Journal of Empirical Legal Studies**.

Working papers

Measuring well-being in Latin American and the Caribbean countries: a mixed-methods analysis. With Talia Tao.

GRANTS and AWARDS

Smith Institute for Political Economy and Philosophy at Chapman University - Conference grant (\$ 1,000)	2023
Mercatus Center at George Mason University Multiple Fellowships (\$14,500)	2021 – 2024
Institute for Human Studies - Research Grant IHS017310 (\$2,000) - Hayek Fund (\$2,200)	2021-2023
Political Science Department nominee - Early Excellence in Teaching - UW-Madison College of Letters & Science	2023
University Student Award Competition (Winter 2021-22) - International Affairs Forum	2022
Helen Firstbrook Franklin Fellowship - Latin American, Caribbean and Iberian Studies Program, UW-Madison (stipend + tuition remission)	2021

TEACHING & RESEARCHING

Harvard University (Cambridge, MA, United States) 2023 – Present
- Research Assistant (RA) with Steve Levitsky and Alisha Holland

University of Wisconsin (Madison, WI, United States) 2020 – 2023
Department of Political Science

- o Lecturer: Political Choice and Strategy (Spring 2023)
- o Lecturer: American Foreign Policy (Fall 2022)
- o RA: Police violence under populism in Brazil (Summer 2022) with Steven Brooke
- o TA: Introduction to Comparative Politics (Spring 2022) with Steven Brooke
- o TA: American Foreign Policy (Fall 2021) with Jon Pevehouse
- o TA: Introduction to Political Theory (Fall 2020) with Howard Schweber

Uniasselvi University (São Paulo, SP, Brazil) Jun 2021
- Specialization in Law and Humanities
- Course: “Resolution of conflicts via extrajudicial mechanisms”

University of West Santa Catarina (Xanxerê, SC, Brazil) 2013 – 2015
- Professor (Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure)

Community University of Chapecó Region (Chapecó, SC, Brazil) 2013 – 2014
- Professor (Civil Procedure and Jurisprudence)

WORK EXPERIENCE

State Court of Justice of São Paulo (São Paulo, SP, Brazil) 2016 – 2020
- Judge

State Court of Justice of Santa Catarina (Florianópolis, SC, Brazil) 2013 – 2016
- Judicial Clerk (under Judge Rafael Sandi)

Community University of Chapecó Region (Chapecó, SC, Brazil) 2006 – 2013
- Attorney (2012-2013)
- Paralegal (2007-2012)
- Intern (2006-2007)

INVITED TALKS

University of Wisconsin (Madison, WI, United States) Oct 26, 2021
- 982 Interdisciplinary Seminar Latin America
- Lecture: “Measuring well-being in Latin America”

Community University of Chapecó Region (Chapecó, SC, Brazil) May 7, 2021
- Lecture: “Common Law in Brazilian, American and English traditions”

University of West Santa Catarina (Joaçaba, SC, Brazil) - Lecture: “Comparative Constitutional Law: Brazil and United States”	Feb 11, 2021
University of Wisconsin (Madison, WI, United States) - Latin American, Caribbean and Iberian Studies Program - Lecture: “Covid in Brazil: Political and Institutional Effects”	Nov 3, 2020
ABC Radio National (Australia) - Counterpoint with Amada Vanstone - Interview: “Game Theory and COVID-19”	Aug 17, 2020
Community University of Chapecó Region (Chapecó, SC, Brazil) - Workshop: “Comparative Criminal Law - U.S. and Brazil Supreme Courts”	Sept 13-14, 2019

ADDITIONAL COURSEWORK

Chapman University, Smith Institute for Political Economy and Philosophy - PPE Workshop	May – June 2023
University of Oxford, United Kingdom - Microeconomics: An Introduction (Online)	April – June 2020
University of Oxford, United Kingdom - Macroeconomics: An Introduction (Online)	April – June 2020

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Lectures on the Brazilian Supreme Court Jurisprudence (YouTube Content) - Lecturer	Nov 2019 – Present
Unochapecó University Students’ Union - President	Jun 2006 – Oct 2007

LANGUAGES

Portuguese (native), English (fluent), Spanish (advanced).
