



**Practicing Constitutionalism:
Constitutions, Political Imaginaries and Democratic Forms of Life**

**Universidad Diego Portales, 17-18 December 2019
Biblioteca Nicanor Parra, room B21**

Conference Program

17 December

10:00-12:00 | Constituent Power and Critique

Andreas Kalyvas (The New School for Social Research):
“Oligarchomachia: Disobedience, Resistance, and Plebeian Constituent Power”

Ricardo Sanín-Restrepo (Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México):
“Constitutional critical theory: The encryption of power in times of crisis”

12:00-13:00 | Lunch break

13:00-15:00 | Constitutionalism from Below

Piergiorgio Di Giminiani (Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile):
“Ontological pluralism and the making of constitutional border: How settler and indigenous politics rethink the right to exist in more than human worlds”

Carlos Forment (The New School for Social Research):
“From Constituent to Constituted Power: Everyday Forms of Representational Practices Among Undocumented Bolivians in Buenos Aires”

15:00-15:30 | Coffee break

15:30-17:30 | Counterrevolutionary Constitutionalism

Paula Ahumada (Universidad de Chile/ Universidad Central):
“Constitutional Counterrevolution in Chile: The legacy of J. Buchanan”

Rodrigo Cordero (Universidad Diego Portales):
“Disciplining democracy: The economic rule of law and the making of post-democratic constitutionalism”



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10:00-12:00 | Rethinking Constitutional Politics

Sandipto Dasgupta (The New School for Social Research):

“Imagination, Promise, and Text: Three modes of thinking about constitutional politics in the postcolony”

Margarita Palacios (Birkbeck, University of London):

“The heterogeneous flesh of the social and the limits of the political articulation of a ‘we’:
Rethinking embodiment, embeddedness and the ethics of rhizomatic entanglements”.

12:15-12:30 | Coffee break

12:30-13:30 | Round Table:

“Practicing constitutionalism: A dialog on the Chilean constituent process”

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