



## Department of Environment and Development

### Visiting Faculty Bios

**Dr. Michaela Korodimou (Greece)**

**Climate Adaption & Justice**



Michaela Korodimou's research and practice exists at the intersection of human mobility and environmental change. Her recently completed doctoral research explored placemaking in displacement and was centred on an exploration of the entanglements of mobility and place in a changing world. Her current work looks at incorporating understandings of climate change into humanitarian aid contexts to support those facing the iterative and compounding impacts of conflict, disasters to adapt to the impacts of climate change in a just and inclusive way. She holds an MSc in Environmental Change and Management from the University of Oxford and a PhD in Geography from the University of Liege.

#### ***Publications***

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**Dr. Corinne Schuster-Wallace  
(Canada)**

**Water Security and Peace**



Dr. Corinne Schuster-Wallace is the Executive Director of the Global Institute for Water Security and faculty member in the Department of Geography and Planning, University of Saskatchewan, Canada. Previous positions include Senior Research Fellow for UNU Institute for Water, Environment, and Health and the Public Health Agency of Canada. She founded the Women Plus Water community and is the inaugural Chair of Cansu Global's Science, Innovation, Technology, and Education (SITE) initiative. In 2023 she was recognized as a Water Shero by the Red Dot Foundation. Her research uses a coupled systems approach to water-related human health in rural, remote, and marginalised communities. Her work integrates university and community, different knowledge systems, and research, practice, and teaching. Coupling environmental and social systems provides a comprehensive understanding of socio-environmental determinants of health and how inequities and intersectionality along with knowledge, attitudes, and practices affect health and wellbeing.

### ***Published Papers in Refereed Journals***

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## **M.A. Kifah Sasa (Costa Rica)**

### **Development Studies and International Cooperation**



MA Kifah Sasa is Sustainable Development Program Officer for the United Nations Development Programme in Costa Rica. Since 2009 he works as senior advisor for the Green Commodities Programme, Kifah has worked for social development and the environment for 17 years in different roles. From setting up and leading NGOs to support community organizations on a voluntary basis; to advising Central American Ministers of Social Integration, Housing and Health on the management of regional projects, as part of the Central American Integration System. He has worked for the United Nations Development Programme, managing projects related to biodiversity conservation, marine protected areas, environmental economics, sustainable production of agricultural commodities and democratic dialogue.

## **Dr. Bryan González (Costa Rica)**

### **Geopolitics and Geoeconomics in the 21st Century**

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### **Urban Sustainability**

Bryan González Hernández has a PhD in Latin American Studies with emphasis in Latin American Thought. He also has a master's degree in Latin American Studies in Culture and Development as well as a B.A. in International Relations with emphasis in Foreign Policy and Diplomacy. His research has focused on topics such as Critical Studies of Development and Climate Change; Security and Geopolitics; International and Latin American Politics. Has worked as coordinator of a master's program in Latin American Studies at the National University of Costa Rica; professor in public and private universities in Costa Rica; and as associate researcher in national and international research centres, such as Latinia – Observatory of Latin America in Spain and the Centre for Studies on Geopolitics and Foreign Affairs in Brazil. He also worked on an educational and research project on



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socio-environmental issues called Escuela de la Tierra, while collaborating in the promotion of environmental education for a Wildlife Refuge in southern Costa Rica

## **Peer-reviewed Journals**

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## **Books**

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## **Chapters in books**

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## **LL.M. Mary Little (United States)**

### **Social Research Methods**



Mary Little LL.M. is an associate professor at the Center for Sustainable Development Studies, School for Field Studies (SFS), in Costa Rica. She also teaches Social Research Methods and Sustainable Tourism at the University for Peace. Before teaching, Mary studied human rights law advocated for the legal



rights of refugees and women experiencing domestic violence. These experiences with advocacy have informed her social justice approach to research and teaching. Her research explores community-driven waste solutions, responsible tourism and regenerative food initiatives. Currently, she is focused on agrotourism as a mechanism for climate adaptation and the links between tourism, food security and social-solidarity movements for her Ph.D. research.

## **MLS Alancay Morales (Costa Rica)**

### **Indigenous Perspectives on Environment and Development (Part I)**



Alancay is a Brunka Indigenous person. He has worked and specialized on issues related to indigenous peoples' human rights and development. He is the Global Advocacy Coordinator for Indigenous Peoples Rights International. His experience also includes advocating before international institutions such as the United Nations, the Organization of American States, the World Bank; and working on the ground with indigenous peoples in the Americas, Asia, Europe, and Greenland.

## **Dr. Luis Esteban Vargas (Costa Rica)**

### **Ecology Research Methods**

### **Citizen Science Statistics**



Dr. Luis E. Vargas-Castro is a tropical biologist whose current research combines ecology and conservation technology. He has ample experience in field ecology, wildlife monitoring and bioacoustics. Luis has worked on various research projects since 2008 and has a keen interest in data analysis, making science more accessible for all and developing projects with meaningful impacts on biodiversity conservation. Luis graduated from the University of Costa Rica with a B.Sc. in Biology and an advanced Bachelor's Degree in Zoology. He later obtained a Ph.D. in Biology at the University of Miami, FL. He has received professional training at the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute (Panama), Cornell Lab of Ornithology (USA) and Organization for Tropical Studies (Costa Rica), among others. His work has



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been published in diverse research articles on behaviour, ornithology and ecology. Also, Luis worked as Assistant Editor at *Revista de Biología Tropical* (International Journal of Tropical Biology and Conservation) for two years and has taught in different courses of animal behaviour, ecology and tropical biology in Costa Rica and USA. He also currently works as a Researcher at Universidad Estatal a Distancia (UNED) and does consultancy work for ecology, wildlife monitoring and conservation research projects.

## **Publications**

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## **Natalie V. Sánchez (Costa Rica)**

### **Ecology of Birds**



Dr. Natalie V. Sánchez is a Costa Rican behavioural ecologist interested in Animal Communication and Bioacoustics. Natalie has experience in ecological research, statistics, and animal behaviour. She obtained her bachelor's degree in biology at the University of Costa Rica where she began her interest in the ecology and behaviour of birds. Natalie obtained a Master's degree in Conservation and Wildlife Management from the National University of Costa Rica and a Ph.D. in Ecology from the University of Alberta, Canada. Since 2012 Natalie has worked in different education programs in Costa Rican and Canada teaching courses for Costa Ricans, US, and Canadian students, including tropical ecology and statistics courses at university level. Natalie is currently working as a Postdoctoral Researcher at the University of Windsor, Canada, studying resident and migratory birds in Costa Rica



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## **Maria Rita Borba (Brazil)**

### **Development and Conflict in Practice: Role and Application of Sustainability Frameworks in Development Projects**



Maria Rita Manzano Borba has over 15 years of diverse professional and academic experience. During this period, her interests and work have focused on the intersection of development, natural resources, and conflict. Maria Rita has worked across geographies and developed solid multi-cultural communication skills to engage and consult with the public and private sectors, local communities and international organizations in dynamic and complex environments. She has worked for consulting companies, think tanks, extractive industries, and international organizations such as the UNHCR and IFC. Her skills and experience include conflict resolution and negotiation, facilitation, stakeholder engagement and dialogue processes, social risks and impact assessment, resettlement and livelihood restoration, social and environmental safeguards, and diversity and inclusion. Maria Rita holds two Master degrees, in Law and Diplomacy from the Fletcher School at Tufts University, and in Human Geography from the University of Sao Paulo. A Brazilian national, Maria Rita grew up in Brazil, studied in the USA, and lived and worked in Southern Africa, and Southeast Asia.

## **Bipasha Baruah (Canada)**

### **Gender, Environment, and Development**



Bipasha Baruah is Professor and Canada Research Chair in Global Women's Issues at Western University. Professor Baruah earned a PhD in environmental studies from York University, Toronto. She specializes in interdisciplinary research at the intersections of gender, economy, environment, and development. Most of her



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current research aims to understand how to ensure that a global low-carbon economy will be more gender equitable and socially just than its fossil-fuel based predecessor. Author of a book and more than 100 peer-reviewed articles, book chapters, and other works, Professor Baruah serves frequently as an expert reviewer and advisor to Canadian and intergovernmental environmental protection and international development organizations.

## ***Peer-reviewed Monograph***

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