



# UNIVERSIDAD DE SEVILLA

## E.MA Director

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Prof. Dr. Carmen Márquez Carrasco

**Fields of competence:** Public International Law; International Human Rights Law and Procedures; International Peace and Security; International Humanitarian Law; International Criminal Law; Business and Human Rights.

## Other academics involved in E.MA 2016/2017

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Affiliated Faculty:

- Prof. Dr. Pablo Antonio Fernández-Sánchez, Jean Monnet Professor
- Prof. Dr. Carmen Márquez Carrasco
- Senior Res. Dr. Luis Rodríguez-Piñero
- Ms. Beatriz Fernandez (Human Rights Advice consultant)

External Faculty:

- Dr. Angela Melchiorre, University of Padua and Human Rights Consultant
- Dr. Christina Churruca, Universidad de Deusto
- Ass. Prof. Víctor Gutiérrez, University of Jaen
- Prof. Dr. Elisabeth Salmón, Universidad de Lima
- Dr. Jesús Núñez, Institute of Studies on Conflict and Humanitarian Action
- Prof. Wouter Vanderhole, University of Antwerp

## The city and the university

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The city is the artistic cultural, financial and economic capital of Southern Spain, and one of the most unique places in Europe. The nice weather and the fantastic friendliness of the Sevillians leads people to spend most of their spare time outdoor talking, drinking and snacking on tapas. The second semester of the year is full of cultural, artistic and sports events. It hosts annual festivals of flamenco, theatre, early music and pop music. Springtime in Seville is also marked by two world-famous events: the Semana Santa and the Feria de Abril.

The University of Seville is a venerated institution of the local and regional society. It is one of the oldest universities in Europe. As a legacy of its more than 500 years of history, the university has an accredited academic tradition and an exceptional cultural heritage. It is the second biggest university in Spain, and ranks among the top universities in the Southern Europe.

**IT and logistics:** E.MA students are provided with a University of Seville Student Card which allows access to the library and physical and electronic book loans, and access to the university electronic journals and databases; entry into the Law Department facilities outside opening hours, and enjoyment of the university's services including the housing service and sport facilities.

## Second semester courses

**Courses available for E.MA students:** Weekly courses and rolling seminars. One of the courses forms part of an exchange programme with the University of Deusto and takes place in Bilbao.

**Deadline for enrolment in the courses:** Beginning of February 2017

### Websites:

<http://departamento.us.es/dipri/docencia.php>

### Department:

Public International Law and International Relations

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**Examination procedures:** Students' evaluation is based on their active participation in various seminars as well as in the drafting of term papers (due 30 May 2017) within the areas of the faculty's existing research projects. This allows students to gain direct experience of working inside university research teams.

## Thesis

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### **Research areas:**

Business and Human Rights; International Human Rights Law and Procedures; International Humanitarian Law; International Criminal Law; Universal jurisdiction; the responsibility to protect; Human security; Peace-keeping and international security; the rights of indigenous people; the rights of persons with disabilities; the rights of the elderly; Bioethics; Human Rights and legal history.

**Thesis supervision:** See list of Affiliated Faculty (above).

**Number of copies to hand in at the hosting university** (+ 1 copy to the E.MA Secretariat): 2

## Library

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The Law Department holds three computer rooms, plus the equipment found at the department's library. A number of electronic book readers are also available for loan at the library. The Law and Labour Law Library hosts a collection of more than 100.000 magazines, 2.100 journals, and a digitalized collection of more than 6.000 titles from its old holdings (PixeLEGIS). The University of Seville ranks top among European universities with its vast collection of electronic books, journals, and databases.

## Contacts with NGOs and/or IGOs

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A number of faculty members have developed strong working relations with IGOs such as OHCHR, UNDP, the UN Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), and the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights. The university's Programme on Human Rights, Democratization, and Human Security has further developed relationships with the Fundación Tres Culturas (a Seville-based international foundation focused on the Mediterranean area); the Center for Economic and Social Rights (CESR); the International Work Group on Indigenous Affairs (IWGIA); the University of Arizona Project to Support the UN Special Rapporteur on Indigenous Peoples; the Spanish Commission for Refugee Assistance (CEAR); the Human Rights Commission of the Sevilla Bar Association, and other local and national NGOs working in the fields of human rights and international development cooperation. Moreover, students of the University of Seville's Programme on Human Rights, Democratization and Human Security can benefit for research grants and exchange programmes financed by the University of Seville's Office for Development Co-operation and the Inter-University Association of Postgraduate Education (AUIP), a network of Spanish and Latin American universities.

## Administration and logistics

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### **Information concerning visa arrangements:**

- **University of Seville International Student Assistance Service**  
Tel. (+34) 954 481 392 / 954 481 393  
[http://www.sacu.us.es/en/11\\_01.asp](http://www.sacu.us.es/en/11_01.asp)
- **Ministerio de Asuntos Exteriores y de Cooperación**  
C/Salvador, 3, 28012 Madrid (Spain).  
Tel. (+ 34) 91 379 96 00  
<http://www.maec.es/en/MenuPpal/Consulares/ServiciosConsulares/InformacionaExtranjeros/Paginas/Nacionalidad.aspx>
- **Ministerio del Interior**  
Delegation in Andalusia: Foreigners Office Plaza de España, Torre Norte (Sevilla)  
Tel. (+34) 955 569356; For a complete list of Foreign Consulates in Seville, see:  
<http://www.ccsevilla.info/index.html>