

Udall Center Fellows Program

Spring 2024 Talk Series



Join us for a Udall Center Fellows Talk by:

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Ex-Combatant Collectives and Post-Conflict Stability: Policy Lessons from Colombia

Tuesday, Apr. 16, 2024
11:30-1:00 PM (MST)
(Lunch provided for
in-person attendees)

**Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy
Conference Room**

803 E. First St., Tucson, AZ 85719

Parking is available on a first-come first-served basis in the small lot east off of Euclid, just north of 1st Street. [Click here for a map](#)

And on Zoom* (beginning at 11:45 AM)

Prof. [Susan Brewer-Osorio](#) will be presenting her work as a Udall Center Fellow, followed by a question-and-answer session with attendees. The [Udall Center Fellows Program](#) offers a semester off from normal teaching to allow for creative scholarship and pursuit of funds to further the Fellow's research.

The reintegration of former combatants is standard practice after a peace agreement. Most governments implement reintegration policies that provide individualized support to help former fighters such as a stipend, education, and job training. However, the Colombian government adopted an alternative 'collective' process for former fighters after their 2016 peace agreement with the Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia (FARC) that supported the settlement of ex-combatants in collectives with economic cooperatives. This project analyses the impact of Colombia's collective reintegration on former combatants and effects on post-conflict stability. The main finding is that policy impact varied subnationally due to local variation in security conditions and former combatant relations with communities. These findings suggest the importance of differentiated and locally tailored reintegration policy to support stability after negotiated peace.

Lunch will be provided beginning at 11:30 AM, but physical space is limited!
Please register to attend in person by April 12th.

***Note that the Zoom broadcast will begin between 11:45 AM-12:00 PM,
after in-person attendees have eaten lunch.**

RSVP TO ATTEND IN-PERSON or REMOTELY

Please contact Molli Bryson at mollic@arizona.edu for questions or accommodations.

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