

# OUR ACTIVITIES

## HOMA 2018

### January

- Release of the Vol. II, No. 1 of Homa Pública - International Journal on Human Rights and Business.

January 31.

### February

- Publication of the document "O processo de homologação da sentença do Caso Chevron no Brasil: uma análise da Ação SEC nº 8542 e a importância de um tratado internacional sobre empresas e Direitos Humanos"

February 15 Authors: Manoela Roland, Gabriel Brega, Rafael Lelis and Renata Paschoalim.

<http://homacdhe.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/02/Chevron-Diagramado-BR.pdf>

### March

- The Homa took part in the 37th session of the Human Rights Council of UN, Geneva, making the presentation of the report of the 3th Session of Treaty Negotiation.

From March 5 to 7.

- Lecture in the side-event "Reflections towards the UN Binding Treaty on Transnational Corporations with respect to Human Rights" in Geneva, Switzerland.

March 7 The event was organized by the Dismantle Corporate Power and Stop Impunity campaign, occurring in parallel to the 37th session of the Human Rights Council of UN, where the report of the 3rd Session of Treaty Negotiation was presented.

[http://justice5continents.net/fc/viewtopic.php?qu=720&vplay=1&t=1131&nrvd=1&fbclid=IwAR1W1coyKYMO0lkVd0Y16\\_A07n1Gv1nhwX2ypa8Gu\\_8UulMiYR2Djtgod6w](http://justice5continents.net/fc/viewtopic.php?qu=720&vplay=1&t=1131&nrvd=1&fbclid=IwAR1W1coyKYMO0lkVd0Y16_A07n1Gv1nhwX2ypa8Gu_8UulMiYR2Djtgod6w)

- Publication of the document "Breve análise sobre a 1ª Audiência Pública brasileira sobre Direitos Humanos e Empresas".

March 28

[http://homacdhe.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/Breve-an%C3%A1lise-sobre-audi%C3%Aancia-p%C3%BAblica.pdf?fbclid=IwAR0NrAoA7UaSuEWLmf3rVeXUeivaRE32LLWSqQQWnOHYZfnCEmBIR\\_UI9fQ](http://homacdhe.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/Breve-an%C3%A1lise-sobre-audi%C3%Aancia-p%C3%BAblica.pdf?fbclid=IwAR0NrAoA7UaSuEWLmf3rVeXUeivaRE32LLWSqQQWnOHYZfnCEmBIR_UI9fQ)

## May

**-Organization and lecture at the panel "Globalización, Derechos Humanos y Empresas Transnacionales" at LASA 2018, (Latin American Studies Association) in Barcelona, Spain.**

May 23. The event was attended by the coordinator Manoela Roland and initiated the works of the Academic Consortium on Human Rights and Companies (Consórcio Acadêmico sobre Direitos Humanos e Empresas).

**- Participation at the Global Solutions Summit 2018 in Berlin.**

May 28 and 29. The event brought together experts from all over the world, global policy makers, business leaders and NGOs all with the objective of finding solutions to global challenges. According to the scheme, the participation of the professor Manoela Roland was set as: "Manoela Roland (Homa Coordinator) intends to focus on some civil society strategies, especially in Latin America and in relation to the Treaty on Business and Human Rights which is being negotiated at the UNHRC"

## June

**- Publication of an article analyzing the conduct of G7 and G20, problematizing the issue of the multilateralism, during the Global Solutions Summit 2018.**

June 8 The article was published by Journal GGN and was written by the Professors Manoela Roland, Homa/UFJF coordinator, Professor Cristina Reis from UFABC, Professor Tassia Pinheiro from UNIVASF and by Adhemar Mineiro, member of REBRIP - Rede Brasileira pela Integração dos Povos

<https://jornalggn.com.br/analise/quando-o-multilateralismo-convem-criticas-sobre-as-solucoes-globais-do-g20/?fbclid=IwAR2CThi2-pCNY2Fk5gNwGWR-Uj4CU0DiCPada-ea3WvN9jE8IEhOA34dwOg>

**- Invitation to a workshop offered by the NGO "Justiça nos Trilhos", on Human Rights and Business.**

June 11

## July

**- Lecture "El papel de la sociedad civil, la Campaña Global y la Treaty Alliance" at Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador**

July 25. The event was organized by the Centro de Derechos Económicos y Sociales, PUC-Ecuador, Campanha Global, FIAN Ecuador and other entities, besides the participation of Manoela Roland.

**- Lecture at the panel "Derechos Humanos y Empresas Transnacionales" in FLACSO Quito, Ecuador.**

July 26. The event had the participation of Manoela Roland.

**- Release of the Vol. II, No. 2 of Homa Publica - International Journal on Human Rights and Business.**

July 31.

## August

### - Publication of the “Relatório de Pesquisa sobre Planos Nacionais de Ação sobre Empresas e Direitos Humanos na América Latina: Análises sobre Colômbia, México e Chile”

August 6. Authors: Manoela Roland, Luiz Carlos Silva Faria Junior, Kaliandra Casati Júlio, João Luís Lobo Monteiro de Castro, Gabriel Coutinho Galil, Laura Monteiro Senra, Lívia Fazolatto Ferreira.

<http://homacdhe.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/08/Caderno-de-Pesquisa-Homa-Planos-Nacionais-de-A%C3%A7%C3%A3o.pdf>

### - Publication of the document "Cadeias de Valor e os impactos na responsabilização das empresas por violações de Direitos Humanos”.

August 10 Authors: Manoela Roland, Andressa Oliveira, Gabriel Brega, Lucas Oliveira, Maria Fernanda Goretti and Renata Paschoalim.

[http://homacdhe.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/08/Cadernos-de-Pesquisa-Homa-Cadeias-de-Valor.pdf?fbclid=IwAR0ro9qwCGVZqrg3YXXj1oAdlcoWjJdeq4D5vX3Ra6Whpxt3\\_Sl2xjro4fY](http://homacdhe.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/08/Cadernos-de-Pesquisa-Homa-Cadeias-de-Valor.pdf?fbclid=IwAR0ro9qwCGVZqrg3YXXj1oAdlcoWjJdeq4D5vX3Ra6Whpxt3_Sl2xjro4fY)

### - Release of an Open Letter from the Rede de pesquisa Rio Doce regarding the lawsuit over the collapse of the Barragem de Fundão in Minas Gerais.

August 13. The document address the judgment of justification, made by the judge of the 12º Vara Federal de Belo Horizonte, of the agreement that was set between the public agency and mining companies.

[http://www.ufjf.br/poemas/files/2018/08/RPRD-2018-Nota-sobre-homologa%C3%A7%C3%A3o-TACG.pdf?fbclid=IwAR2mOBxyu6OBKtazJQzGHOG4DGAD1RLOa5yjCHkTSKjGt\\_vllRy0U5zWJro](http://www.ufjf.br/poemas/files/2018/08/RPRD-2018-Nota-sobre-homologa%C3%A7%C3%A3o-TACG.pdf?fbclid=IwAR2mOBxyu6OBKtazJQzGHOG4DGAD1RLOa5yjCHkTSKjGt_vllRy0U5zWJro)

### - Organization and participation of the first face-to-face meeting of the Academic Consortium on Human Rights and Companies (Consórcio Acadêmico sobre Direitos Humanos e Empresas) in Foz do Iguaçu, Paraná.

August 23 The meeting was attended by the professors: André Carvalho Ramos from USP, Cristina Figueiredo Terezo Ribeiro from UFPA, Daniel Maurício Cavalcanti de Aragão from UFBA, Manoela Carneiro Roland from UFJF and from Homa, Maria Luiza Pereira de Alencar Mayer Feitosa from UFPB.

### - Lecture and first action of the Academic Consortium on Human Rights and Companies (Consórcio Acadêmico sobre Direitos Humanos e Empresas) " Responsabilidade de Empresas em Direitos Humanos: desafios normativos e jurisdicionais para o Direito Internacional" at the 16º Congresso Brasileiro de Direito Internacional in Foz do Iguaçu - Paraná.

August 23 The event was organized by the Academia Brasileira de Direito Internacional and had the participation of the professor Manoela Roland.

### - Participation in the seminar "Para uma política nacional de Direitos Humanos e Empresas no Brasil: Prevenção, Responsabilização e Reparação"

August 28 and 29. The seminar took place in Brasília and was an initiative of the group "GT Corporações" of which Homa is part of. Organized by the Fundação Friedrich Ebert e Oxfam and supported by Terra de Direitos.

## September

- **Organization and participation in the "V International Seminar on Human Rights and Business" at Federal University of Juiz de Fora, Minas Gerais.**

September 13 and 14. The event was organized by Homa in partnership with FES. 31 speakers attended, 14 of whom were international, as well as the presence of the Ecuadorian Ambassador to the UN, the Brazilian Federal Prosecution Service and Members of the European, Brazilian and Uruguayan Parliaments. The event was attended by 311 listeners.

- **Lecture at the roundtable "A dimensão econômica da colonialidade: as relações entre a economia da dependência e os direitos humanos" at the III Seminário Internacional Pós-Colonialismo, Pensamento Descolonial e Direitos Humanos na América Latina at UFF, in Rio de Janeiro.**

September 20 and 21. The event was organized by UFF Law Post Graduation department and by the UNISINOS and had the lecture by Manoela Roland.

- **Publication of the document "El Draft 0 del Binding Treaty: análisis crítico del contenido del texto y su adecuación con el objetivo de la Resolución 26/9"**

September 27 Author: Adoración Guamán (Spain)

- **Participation in "V Encuentro Internacional Ciencias Sociales y Represas" at the Universidad de Santiago.**

September 26 to 29 The Professor Manoela Roland lectured about the international agenda in Human Rights and Business, reflecting about the advancements of a International Treaty on that theme.

## October

- **Lecture in the event "¿Podemos acabar con la impunidad de las empresas transnacionales?" in Mexico.**

October 2 The event was organized by Amigos de la Tierra México and Otros Mundos A.C. and had the participation of the coordinator Manoela Roland.

- **Participation at the Fourth Session of the open-ended intergovernmental working group on transnational corporations and other business enterprises with respect to human rights, at the United Nations Human Rights Council (UN), Geneva.**

From 15 to 19 October. The Professor Manoela Roland provided assistance of counsel in the participation of the civil society during the session.

- **Lecture in the side-event "Upholding the OEIGWG mandate for the legally binding instrument to regulate the activities of TNCS" in Geneva.**

October 16. The event was organized by the Global Campaign Dismantle Corporate Power and Stop Impunity and by the CETIM, during the 4th Negotiation Session of an International Treaty on Human Rights and Business.

- **Publication of the paper "Negociação em contextos de violações de Direitos Humanos por empresas: uma breve análise dos mecanismos de solução negociada à luz do caso do rompimento da barragem de Fundão" in Revista Versos, Vol. 2, No. 1.**

October 19. Collapse of Fundão Dam Dossier - TAC Governança, the result of a collaborative effort of Rede de Pesquisa Rio Doce. Authors: Manoela Roland, Luiz Carlos Faria, Felipe Fayer, Laura Senra and Lívia Fazolatto.

[https://www.researchgate.net/publication/328391984\\_A\\_emenda\\_e\\_o\\_soneto\\_notas\\_sobre\\_os\\_sentidos\\_da\\_participacao\\_no\\_TAC\\_de\\_Governanca/link/5bca20ac458515f7d9cb88ce/download](https://www.researchgate.net/publication/328391984_A_emenda_e_o_soneto_notas_sobre_os_sentidos_da_participacao_no_TAC_de_Governanca/link/5bca20ac458515f7d9cb88ce/download)

## November

- **Participation in the Balance Seminar on the 3-year since Fundão dam collapsed**

November 6. The event was held at Universidade Federal de Ouro Preto, Minas Gerais.

## December

- **Publication of an article in the magazine Le Monde Diplomatique on the three year since the collapse of the Fundão dam .**

December 03 The article was written in collaboration with the group Rede de Pesquisa Rio Doce of which we are part.

[https://diplomatique.org.br/tres-anos-de-desastre/?fbclid=IwAR3ynVIHOc1MoLX238\\_crE4jF2DXDTiFJtC2iKwmE3QvqIt-aVdlJ2vvUds](https://diplomatique.org.br/tres-anos-de-desastre/?fbclid=IwAR3ynVIHOc1MoLX238_crE4jF2DXDTiFJtC2iKwmE3QvqIt-aVdlJ2vvUds)

- **Publication of the document "Reflexões sobre o Decreto 9571/2018 que estabelece Diretrizes Nacionais sobre empresas e Direitos Humanos"**

December 28.

<http://homacdhe.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/An%C3%A1lise-do-Decreto-9571-2018.pdf>