

1. PERSONAL DATA:

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2. PRESENT PROFESSIONAL POSITION:

Full Professor (Catedrático de Universidad), University Carlos III of Madrid.

3. PAST PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Academic:

Gregorio Peces-Barba has been one of the former and main drivers of the research on Human Rights in Spain. He founded, together with Joaquin Ruiz Giménez, and directed the Institute of Human Rights of Universidad Complutense and he is the promoter and the President of the University Carlos III's Institute of Human Rights "Bartolomé de las Casas".

Political:

His political activity has been directed –in the same way- to the struggle for the recognition, guarantee and protection of human rights. Gregorio Peces Barba has been:

Member of the constitutional committee that framed the Spanish Constitution of 1978.

Speaker of the Congress and President of Parliament, 1982-1986.

High Commissioner of the Spanish Government for the Victims of Terrorism, 2004-2006.

4. ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

Graduate in Law (1962). Licenciado en Derecho (1962).

Ph. D. in Law (1971). Doctor en Derecho (1971).

5. TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

GRADUATE: Natural Law, Philosophy of Law, Human Rights, Theory of Law, Introduction to Law, Fundamental Rights

POSTGRADUATE: He has lectured in several Masters and Doctorate Courses of different national and international Universities (Universidad Carlos III, Universidad de Jaén, Universidad Pompeu Fabra de Barcelona, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Universidad Rey Juan Carlos, Université Paris X, Université Montpellier, Institut International des Droits Humains Strasbourg-France, etc.) on the following subjects: Concept and Basis of Fundamental Rights; History of Fundamental Rights, Legal Theory of Fundamental Rights

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6. FIELDS OF INTEREST:

The most of his activity focuses though on the cultural dimensions attached to Human Rights, especially in regard to their history and philosophical background. Democracy and Constitutionalism as legal models for development of Fundamental Rights, and Human Dignity as main basis for their legitimation, are the most explored fields over the last years.

7. PARTICIPATION IN RESEARCH PROJECTS:

Since 2002 he is main researcher of seven projects on Human Rights:

1. Democracy, Rights and Equality, Ministerio de Ciencia y Tecnología, 2001-2004.
2. Rights, between equality and difference, Comunidad de Madrid, (DGI), 2002.
3. History of Human Rights. XIX CENTURY, Banco de Santander-Fundación Marcelino Botín, 2002-2005,

4. History of Human Rights, Dirección General de Investigación. Comunidad de Madrid, 2003.
5. Equality, Non Discrimination and Disability, Dirección General de Investigación. Comunidad de Madrid, Septiembre 2003-Agosto 2004,
6. The situation of childhood and the rights of the children, Comunidad de Madrid. DGUI, Enero de 2005-Diciembre de 2005.
7. General History of Human Rights, XIX y XX”, Fundación Marcelino Botín, 01 / 10 / 2006-01 / 10 / 2009.

Moreover, he participates in several research projects concerning Human Rights driven by other researchers.

8. PARTICIPATION IN RESEARCH CONTRACTS:

Gregorio Peces-Barba has developed several research contracts and reports about topics related to rights for different national and international institutions, both public and private.

9. PUBLICATIONS:

During his career, Gregorio Peces-Barba has published more than 20 books and 100 articles in scientific journals, both national and international, the most part of them related to questions concerning human rights. For example:

9.1. BOOKS:

- *Derechos fundamentales (Fundamental Rights)*, Madrid, 1973.
- *Libertad, Poder, Socialismo (Liberty, Power, Socialism)*, Madrid, 1982.
- *Tránsito a la modernidad y derechos fundamentales (Transition to Modernity and Fundamental Rights)*, Madrid, 1982.
- *Introducción a la Filosofía del Derecho (Introduction to Philosophy of Law)*, Madrid, 1983.
- *Los valores superiores (The Superior Values)*, Madrid, 1984.
- *Escritos sobre derechos fundamentales (Essays on Fundamental Rights)*, Madrid, 1988.
- (Ed.) *El fundamento de los derechos humanos (The Fundament of Human Rights)*, Madrid, 1989.
- *Curso de Derechos Fundamentales (Course on Fundamental Rights)*, Madrid, 1991.
- *Derecho y Derechos Fundamentales (Law and Fundamental Rights)*, Madrid, 1993.
- *Corso di diritti fondamentali (Course on Fundamental Rights)*, Milano, 1993.
- *Ética, poder y Derecho. Reflexiones ante el fin de siglo (Ethics, Power and Law. Meditations in Face to the End of the Century)*, Madrid, 1995.
- *Curso de Derechos fundamentales: teoría general (Course on Fundamental Rights: General Theory)*, Madrid, 1995.
- (Dir.) *Historia de los derechos fundamentales. Tomo I. Tránsito a la modernidad. Siglos XVI y XVII (History of Fundamental Rights. Volume I. Transition to Modernity. 16th and 17th Century)*, Madrid 1998.
- *Derechos Sociales y Positivismo Jurídico (Social Rights and Legal Positivism)*, Madrid, 1999.
- (Dir.) *Historia de los derechos fundamentales. Tomo II. Siglo XVIII (History of Fundamental Rights. Volume II. 18th Century)*, Madrid, 2001.
- *La dignidad de la persona desde la filosofía del Derecho (Human Dignity seen from Legal Philosophy)*, Madrid, 2002.
- *Théorie générale des droits fondamentaux (General Theory of Fundamental Rights)*, Paris, 2004.
- *La Constitución y los derechos (Constitution and Rights)*, Bogotá, 2006.

- *Educación para la ciudadanía y derechos humanos (Civic Education and Human Rights)*, Madrid, 2007.
- (Dir.) *Historia de los derechos fundamentales. Tomo II. Siglo XIX*, Dykinson, Madrid, forthcoming.

9.2. CHAPTERS IN BOOKS:

- “The majority Principle seen from Philosophy of Law”, *Öffentliche oder private Moral? Vom Geltungsgrunde und der Legitimität des Rechts (Public oder Private Moral? On Validity's Reason and Law's Legitimacy)*, Berlín, 1992.
- “Valores jurídicos y políticos de la cultura europea” (Legal and Political Values of Europe's Culture), *Economía y sociedad: España y Europa en la década de los noventa*, Valladolid, 1995.
- “Derechos de los animales o deberes hacia los animales” (Animal Rights or Duties to Animals?), *Animales de compañía, fuente de salud*, Barcelona, 1997.
- “Escasez y solidaridad: una reflexión desde los clásicos” (Scarcity and Solidarity: a Reflection from the Classics), *El desarrollo y la cooperación internacional*, Madrid, 1998.
- “La Constitución Española ayer y hoy”, (Spanish Constitution Yesterday and Today) *20 años después. La Constitución cara al siglo XX*, Madrid, 1998.
- “Pasado y futuro de los derechos humanos” (Past and Future of Human Rights), *Consolidación de derechos y garantías: los grandes retos de los derechos humanos en el siglo XXI*, Madrid, 1999.
- “La eutanasia desde la Filosofía del Derecho” (Euthanasia seen from Legal Philosophy), *Problemas de la eutanasia*, Madrid, 1999.
- “De la igualdad normativa a la igualdad de hecho: Las cuotas femeninas en las elecciones” (From Legal Equality to Factual Equality: women's quotes in the votations), *Los derechos entre la ética, el poder y el derecho*, Madrid, 1999.
- “Los derechos colectivos” (Collective Rights), *Una discusión sobre derechos colectivos*, Madrid, 2002.
- “El paso del Estado Absoluto al Estado Liberal en la Ilustración” (The Pasagge from Absolute State to Liberal State in the Enlightenment), *Horizontes de la filosofía del derecho: homenaje a Luis García San Miguel*, Alcalá de Henares, 2002.
- “Reflexiones sobre la democracia en la sociedad” (Reflections on Democracy in the Society), *La democracia a debate*, Madrid, 2002.
- “Ética pública y ética privada” (Public and Private Ethics), *Aportación de las religiones a una ética universal*, Madrid, 2003.
- “Las bases éticas, políticas y jurídicas del orden mundial futuro” (Ethical, Political and Legal Foundations of Future's World Order), *Después del 11 de septiembre*, Madrid, 2003.
- “La Constitución en la cultura jurídica y política moderna” (Constitution in Legal and Political Modern Culture), *La Constitución a examen: un estudio académico 25 años después*, Madrid, 2004.
- “Reflexiones sobre la evolución histórica y el concepto de dignidad humana” (Considerations on the historical evolution and the concept of human dignity), *Desafíos actuales a los derechos humanos: la violencia de género, la inmigración y los medios de comunicación*, Madrid, 2005.
- “La incorporación del Derecho y de los derechos humanos en la educación” (The inclusion of Law and Human Rights in Education), *Educación en derechos humanos: la asignatura pendiente*, Madrid, 2006.

9.3. ARTICLES IN JOURNALS

- “El Derecho de los derechos fundamentales y su estudio científico y filosófico” (Law of Fundamental Rights and its Scientific and Philosophical Analysis), *Sistema*, nº 2, 1973.
- “Notas sobre derechos fundamentales, socialismo y Constitución” (Notes on Fundamental Rights, Socialism and Constitution), *Sistema*, nº 16-17, 1977.
- “Reflexiones sobre la teoría general de los derechos fundamentales en la Constitución” (Reflections on the General Theory of Fundamental Rights in the Constitution), *Revista de la Facultad de Derecho de la Universidad Complutense*, nº 2, 1979.
- “Los derechos fundamentales en la cultura jurídica española” (Fundamental Rights in Spanish Legal Culture), *Anuario de Derechos Humanos*, nº 1, 1982.
- “Nota sobre la justicia” (Note on Justice), *Anuario de Filosofía del Derecho*, Nueva Época, nº 1, 1984.
- “Sobre el puesto de la historia en el concepto de los derechos fundamentales” (On the Role of History in the Concept of Fundamental Rights), *Anuario de Derechos Humanos*, 1986-87.
- “Sobre el fundamento de los derechos humanos: un problema de Moral y Derecho” (On the Basis of Human Rights: a Problem of Law and Morals), *Anthropos*, nº 96, 1989.
- “El socialismo y el derecho al trabajo” (Socialism and the Right to Work), *Sistema*, nº 97, 1990.
- “Montaigne en la cultura jurídico política del tránsito a la modernidad” (Montaigne in the Legal and Political Culture on Transition to Modernity), *Sistema*, nº 113, 1993.
- “Principios y derechos fundamentales” (Principles and Fundamental Rights), *Cahiers de Philosophie Politique*, 1994.
- “La universalidad de los derechos humanos” (The Universality of Human Rights), *Doxa*, nº 15-16, 1994.
- “Ética pública-Ética privada” (Public Ethics-Private Ethics), *Anuario de Filosofía del Derecho*, nº 13-14, 1996-1997.
- “Los derechos económicos, sociales y culturales: su génesis y su concepto” (Economic, social and cultural Rights: its origin and its concept), *Derechos y libertades*, nº 6, 1998.
- “Problemas actuales de los derechos humanos” (Contemporary Problems of Human Rights), *Anales de la Real Academia de Ciencias Morales y Políticas*, nº 77, 2000.
- “Notas sobre la justicia constitucional desde la Filosofía del Derecho” (Notes on Constitutional Justice from Philosophy of Law), *Cuadernos de derecho público*, nº 14, 2001.
- “El patriotismo constitucional: reflexiones en el vigésimo quinto aniversario de la Constitución española” (Constitutional Patriotism: reflections on Spanish Constitution’s 25th Anniversary), *Anuario de Filosofía del Derecho*, nº 20, 2003.
- “Los derechos humanos en Norberto Bobbio” (Human Rights in Norberto Bobbio), *Claves de la razón práctica*, nº 144, 2004.
- “La Constitución veinticinco años después: Reflexiones de un filósofo del Derecho” (The Constitution 25 years later: meditations from a Law’s Philosopher), *Anales de la Real Academia de Ciencias Morales y Políticas*, nº 81, 2004.
- “De la miseria del hombre a la dignidad humana” (From Human Misery to Human Dignity), *Anales de la Real Academia de Ciencias Morales y Políticas*, nº 84, 2007.

10. STAYS IN INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNIZED CENTERS

- Université Paris I La Sorbonne (France): 1969 (1 year)
- London University College (Great Britain): 1986 (2 months)
- Università degli Studi di Milano (Italy): 1987 (2 months)
- Università di Torino (Italy): 1988 (2 months)

11. CONGRESSES, SEMINARS, COURSES

Gregorio Peces-Barba has lectured several courses, seminars, and conferences focused on Human Rights at universities and other institutions, both national and international (for example, at the International Institute of Human Rights of Estrasburgo, Centro de Estudios Constitucionales, Centro de Estudios Judiciales, Institut de Formation des Droits de L'Homme du Barreau, Instituto di Studi Europei de Torino, Università degli Studi di Bologna, Institut International Jacques Maritain de Treviso, Österreichisches Institut für Menschenrechte de Salzburgo, Faculty of Law of Montpellier University, L'École Normale Supérieure de Paris, L'École Doctorale de la Universidad de Nanterre, Courmayeur Mont Blanc (Italia), Universidad Internacional Menéndez Pelayo de Santander, Università degli Studi di Bologna, Instituto Universitario Europeo de Florencia, Instituto Internacional de Sociología Jurídica de Oñati, Universidad Degli Studi di Torino, Universidad de Milán...)

Furthermore, he has taken part in several Congresses and international Symposia, as:

- “Los Derechos Humanos ante Problemas Clásicos de la Filosofía del Derecho” (Human Rights Face to Classical Problems of Philosophy of Law), *17th International Congress for Philosophy of Law*, Bolonia, June 1995.
- “La Función de los Derechos Fundamentales” (The Function of Fundamental Rights), *Seminar on European Constitutional Patrimony (European Commission)*, Montpellier, 22-23 November 1996.
- “Los derechos humanos en el siglo XXI” (Human Rights in 21th Century), *Iberoamerican Congress for Ethics, Philosophy and Politics*, Alcalá de Henares (Madrid), September 2002.
- “La dignidad humana” (The Human Dignity), *International Congress on Human Rights. The Second Controversy of Valladolid*, Valladolid (España), 18, 19 y 20 October 2006.
- “Filosofía política y libertad. Reflexiones en el centenario de Renato Treves” (Political Philosophy and Liberty. Considerations on Renato Treves' Centenary), *Renato Treves' Birthday Centenary*, Milano (Italia), 6 November 2007.
- Chairman of Scientific Committee Think & Act - Madrid Conference on Social Cohesion organised by The Conference of Rectors of the Spanish Universities and financed by the UE.

12. THESIS SUPERVISED:

He has supervised 12 Ph. D. doctoral thesis and has been chairman in dozens of commissions judging thesis centered on issues related to human rights.

14. OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS :

- *Director of Derechos y Libertades Journal.*
- Membership of several Journal Committees: *Ratio Iuris, Sistema, Doxa*
- Doctor Honoris Causa for several Universities and Research Centers: *Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia, Saint Louis University, Universidad de Vigo, Middlebury College, Madrid, Universidad de León, Université de Toulouse, Università Amedeo Avogadro del Piemonte Oriental, Universidad de Jaén*
- Member of the Council for the *Institut International de Droits Humains de Strasbourg.*
- Member of the Royal Academy of Political and Moral Sciences (Spain).
- Rector of the Universidad Carlos III de Madrid (1989-2007).