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Brief Bio

Paulo Ravecca studied Political Science at the Political Science Institute of Uruguay, later becoming a member of the faculty of that institution. After teaching Political Theory, Political Science and State and Public Policy, and working as a political scientist for some years, he did a MA in political science at York University. Currently, he is doing a PhD in political science at the same department. His research interests are wide and include critical political theory, political economy and international relations, State, public policy and development, and critical epistemology, gender and sexuality.

Paulo Ravecca hizo la Licenciatura en Ciencia Política de la Facultad de Ciencias Sociales de la Universidad de la República (Uruguay) y la Maestría en Ciencia Política de York University (Toronto, Canadá). Actualmente en esta última cursa el PhD, también en ciencia política. Es docente del Departamento de Ciencia Política (FCCSS-UdelaR) donde dicta clases y es miembro de las áreas académicas de Estado y Políticas Públicas y Teoría Política. Su agenda de investigación abarca teoría política y pensamiento crítico, economía política y relaciones internacionales, Estado, políticas públicas y desarrollo, epistemología crítica, sexualidad y género. Paulo reside alternadamente en Montevideo y Toronto.

Some Recent Publications

“Think Tanks and Experts in the Frente Amplio’s Government (Uruguay, 2005 - 2008)”, with Adolfo Garcé and Javier Gallardo, in *Think Tanks and Public Policies in Latin America*, Edited by Adolfo Garcé and Gerardo Uña. Buenos Aires: CIPPEC-IDRC, 2010.

« Des pays aux urnes. Les élections de 2009 en Uruguay », with Cécile Casen, in *Amérique Latine Political Outlook*, Sous la direction d'Olivier Dabène. Paris : SciencePo, Opalc, 2009.

“La lenta (¿y segura?) marcha de la “Madre de todas las reformas” en la Administración Central”, with Pedro Narbondo, in *Report on Conjuncture N° 8*, Political Science Department, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of the Republic. Montevideo: Siglo XXI, 2009.

“Gobierno «progresista» y movimientos sociales en Bolivia y Uruguay hoy” (“Progressive” government and social movements in Bolivia and Uruguay today), with Cécile Casen, in *Tinkazos*, Bolivian Journal of Social Sciences N°23/24. La Paz: PIEB, 2008.

Compilation and introductory study of *Repensar la Polis. Del Clientelismo al Espacio Público*. Antología de Amparo Menéndez-Carrión (*Rethinking the Polis. From Clientelism to Public Space*. An Anthology of Amparo Menéndez-Carrión). Montevideo: Centro Latinoamericano de Economía Humana, 2007.

“Algunos apuntes sobre la capacitación y formación de los funcionarios del Estado hoy”, with María Eugenia Jung, in *Transformaciones, Journal of the National Bureau for Civil Service*, Año II, N°35. Montevideo: National Bureau for Civil Service, 2007.

Recent Awards

- 2010 “Verney Book Prize Award” for the best Major Research Paper in Political Science of the year. Political Science Department, York University.
- 2009 “Graduate Fellowship for Academic Distinction” – PhD level. Faculty of Graduate Studies, York University.
- 2008 “Graduate Fellowship for Academic Distinction” – MA level. Faculty of Graduate Studies, York University.
- 2008 “Honour Mention” for “«Politics» floats if «Culture» irrupts: an exercise on interpretation”. Annual Prizes in Literature, Ministry of Education and Culture (Uruguay), category of unpublished works, area of social and legal studies.
- 2007 Gold Medal. Award given to students with high academic average. University of the Republic, Uruguay.

Some Recent Academic Activities

<http://www.yorku.ca/cerlac/events09-10.htm#sexuality>

http://www.cebem.org/cmsfiles/publicaciones/Las_ciencias_sociales_en_el_debate_politico_boliviano.pdf

<http://www.ahsp-cf.be/documents/Ravecca.pdf>