

CURRICULUM VITAE
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EDUCATION

- 2019 **ICTA Institut de Ciència i Tecnologia Ambientals (University of Barcelona) and Research & Degrowth**
Summer School on Degrowth and Environmental Justice.
- 2019 **BOKU University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences**
Summer School on Alternative Economic and Monetary Systems (AEMS).
- 2018-2023 **London School of Economics and Political Science. United Kingdom**
PhD in Anthropology
Academic advisors: Dr. Gisa Weszkalnys and Dr. Andrea Pia.
Provisional dissertation title: "Energy as the work of nature: the quandaries of sacrificial productivism in Chiloé, south of Chile".
- 2017-2018 **London School of Economics and Political Science. United Kingdom**
MSc in Social Anthropology (with distinction).
- 2016 **Universidad de Santiago, Chile; NGO Chile Sustentable**
Diploma in Political and Social Ecology.
- 2009-2014 **Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile - Faculty of Social Sciences**
B.A (Hons) in Sociology.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

- 2022 **Guest Lecturer**
"Green extractivism: new varieties of colonialism and how to dismantle them" in the course De/growth: Human Ecology, Economy, Community (Enough Scotland and Centre for Human Ecology).
- 2022 **Graduate Teaching Assistant**
AN101: A History of Anthropological Theory - LSE
- 2021 **Guest Lecturer**
Global Economy - Centrum för miljö- och utvecklingsstudier (CEMUS) Title of the lecture "Latin America: Opposing Green Capitalism & Renewable Extractivism".
- 2021 **Guest Lecturer**
Barcelona Summer School on Degrowth. Title of the lecture "Latin America: Opposing Green Capitalism & Renewable Extractivism".
- 2021 **Course coordinator**
Decrecimiento: introducción desde una perspectiva latinoamericana. Online Course organised with Centro de Análisis Socioambiental.

- 2021 **Lecturer**
Anthropology and Public Policy – Universidad Alberto Hurtado
- 2017 **Teaching Assistant**
Public Policy – Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile
- 2016 **Lecturer**
Anthropological theory – Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile
- 2016, 2017 **Teaching Assistant**
Urban Anthropology – Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile
- 2016, 2015 **Teaching Assistant**
Anthropology, Public Policy and the State – Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile
- 2015, 2013 **Teaching Assistant**
Anthropological Paradigms – Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile
- 2015 **Teaching Assistant and Invited Instructor**
Social Policy II – Universidad Alberto Hurtado, Chile
- 2013 **Teaching Assistant**
Evaluation of Social Programmes – Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile

GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2022-23 **Alfred Gell Studentship**
Awarded by the LSE Anthropology department.
- 2018 **CONICYT - Programa de Formación de Capital Humano Avanzado**
“Becas Chile” Scholarship fully funding PhD studies.
- 2017 **CONICYT - Programa de Formación de Capital Humano Avanzado**
“Becas Chile” Scholarship fully funding studies of MSc in Social Anthropology.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2019 **International Inequalities Institute. LSE, London, United Kingdom.**
Participation as research assistant in the project *Fighting inequality at the local level: what works?* Led by Dr. Luna Glucksberg. Work consisted on compiling existing research on cooperatives in Basque Country.
- 2015 **Anthropology Programme at Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile**
- 17 Instructor and programme assistant. Participation in diverse research projects. Responsibilities include teaching, assisting with the creation of new courses, applying for research funds and academic service such as student advisory.
- 2014 **NGO Seva Mandir. Udaipur, India**
Voluntary work with village level organizations. The main project was a qualitative research on the problems in the delivery of government schemes in rural areas. Fieldwork included interviews and visiting isolated rural areas of Rajasthan. The design, process and research results were discussed with Seva Mandir professionals.

2013 **NGO ChileSustentable. Santiago, Chile**

Research internship. Qualitative research on natural resources community management. It was focused on four case studies of Rural Water Committees in central Chile, addressing their strengths and weakness, and mapping their networks and challenges.

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

Cabaña, G. (2022). *"The freedom of abundance: contesting work ethics in southern Chile"* Lyon, France. Conference Building bridges around the work of David Graeber.

Cabaña, G. and Velotti, L. (2022) *"The Just Transition Case for a UBI: a radical tool for degrowth"* Pisa, Italy: XIV International Conference of the European Society for Ecological Economics.

Cabaña, G. (2021) *"The irruption of basic income in Chile: learnings, possibilities and limitations"*. Basic Income Earth Network Congress 2021 (online).

Cabaña, G. (2021) *"Deepening colonial relations: questioning the "green" narrative from extractive zones in Chile"* Manchester, UK: International Online Joint Conference of the international degrowth research networks, the International Society for Ecological Economics and the European Society for Ecological Economics.

Cabaña, G & Linares, J. (2019). *"Towards an ecology of care: Basic Income after the nation-state"* Hyderabad, India: 19th Congress of the Basic Income Earth Network

Cabaña, G. & Pérez, C. (2019) *"Beyond economic security. The emancipatory potential of UBI"* Hyderabad, India: 19th Congress of the Basic Income Earth Network.

Cabaña, G. (2019). *"Secundo la imaginación. Reflexiones antropológicas sobre la burocratización del agua en Chile"*. Salvador (Bahía), Brazil: Tercer Congreso Latinoamericano de Ecología Política.

Cabaña, G. & Murray, M. (2018) *"Beyond Cash, Beyond Conditional: Ingreso Ético Familiar And The Senses Of Poverty"*. Brighton, UK: Neoliberal Welfare State, Precarity, and Development.

Cabaña, G. & Rojas, C. (2017). *"Construyendo el estado: agentes, formas, relaciones y contenciones"*. Castro, Chile: IX Congreso Chileno de Antropología.

Cabaña, G. & Calcagni, M. (2016). *"Comités de Agua Potable Rural y la lucha por la gestión comunitaria de recursos naturales."* San Pedro de Atacama, Chile: Segundo Congreso Latinoamericano de Ecología Política.

PUBLICATIONS

Cabaña, G. (2022). *"Decrecimiento: una propuesta realista para Chile"* in *Economía en tiempos de crisis: perspectivas para la transición socioecológica en Chile*, pp- 22-46.

Cabaña, G. (2022). *"A case in the field of energy: the struggle against energy extractivism in Southern Chile"*. In *Degrowth and Strategy*, pp. 283-290.

Cabaña, G. & Linares, J. (2022). Decolonising money: learning from collective struggles for self-determination. *Sustainability Science*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11625-022-01104-3>

Cabaña, G. & Glatz, P. (2021). *Renta Básica Universal como una política posible y emancipatoria para Chile. Impactos sociales y ecológicos de su implementación*. Policy paper prepared for Friederich Ebert Foundation.

Cabaña, G. (2021). Reseña de libro The Case for Degrowth | Estudios Avanzados. *Revista Estudios Avanzados*, 34, 99-101.

Cabaña, G., & Roy, B. (2020). Review of Gibbs, J.(dir.). 2020. Planet of the Humans. Documentary film. *Journal of Political Ecology*, 27(1).

Aedo, M. P., & Cabaña, G. (2020). Affects, activisms and resistances facing the impacts of Capitaloceno: An embodied learning experience in Chile. *Matter: Journal of New Materialist Research*, 1(2), 97-122. <https://doi.org/10.1344/jnmr.v1i2.31971>

Cabaña, G. (2020). Dignidad es cuidado. Hacia una nueva forma de integración social. *Intervención*, 9(2), 5-24.

Murray, M. & Cabaña, G. (2018). “Beyond cash, beyond conditional: Ingreso Ético Familiar and the senses of poverty in a group of Mapuche women”. In *Money from the Government in Latin America Conditional Cash Transfer Programs and Rural Lives*, edited by Maria Elisa Balen and Martin Fotta. Routledge, pp.162-177.

Buschmann, J., Homad-Hamam, G., Cabaña, G., y Murray M., (2017). *Manual de Antropología y Medios*, Santiago, Chile: Escuela de Antropología UC.

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Language Spanish: native speaker
English: fluent
Portuguese: basic

Software SPSS: intermediate level
STATA: intermediate level
NVIVO: basic level

OTHER ACTIVITIES

2021-2022 **Post-growth Institute**

Fellow

2020- **Red Chilena de Ingreso Básico**

Founder and President (for year 2022-2023)

2019- **Centro de Análisis Socioambiental**

Founder and permanent member

2020-21 **Centro de Estudios Sociales de Chiloé**

Associate researcher