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Delegation to Colombia

INTERNATIONAL ENGLISH SPEAKING DELEGATION

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El Magdalena Medio is a region rich in renewable and non-renewable natural resources. Due to its richness and strategic position in the country, the city of Barrancabermeja and the Magdalena Medio region have suffered high levels of massacre and forced displacement by armed groups and paramilitaries.

High levels of unemployment and poverty have created a situation where young people see no other options but to get involved with these groups. When judicial efforts to evict communities from their lands do not work, paramilitary groups are used to threaten them.

Join our delegation to learn how national agrarian policies of development violate the human rights of campesinxs (small farmer, the 'x' is used for gender inclusivity). Delve into the history of the armed conflict and learn how its legacy continues to haunt campesinxs through violence and lack of access to fair judicial processes.

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