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Área: Ciências Humanas

Linhas de Pesquisa: Human Rights of Women; Gender and Care; Gender, Culture and Territory; Gender, Aging and Old Age; Gender, governance, transparency and social movements; Gender, sexualities and identities in the Caribbean; The family in the socioeconomic and political context in the Colombian Caribbean: changes and permanence; Memories and Violence

Breve descrição das atividades de pesquisa

The activities of the group are to strengthen research projects and regional, national and international networks (we have RED-HILA project https://redhila.unisimon.edu.co/) of researchers in gender studies, violence, families and old age, consolidating comparative research and academic cooperation resulting in joint research books, publications of co-authored articles, and increasing the level of publications in high impact journals and technological production of the group. In terms of institutional articulation we have the institutional policy of Gender Equality and Equity of the Universidad Simón Bolívar. And as outreach activities we carry out events at national and international level for the dissemination of knowledge in gender studies and other areas. The group supports the Masters in Families, and the PhD in Gender Studies, Public Policy and Contemporary Problems within the University, and develops the training component at the current levels: seedlings - young researchers and interns. We also seek to establish contact with other centers that conduct related research to advance inter-institutional internships of researchers and students in the group.

Impacto das pesquisas desenvolvidas para a sociedade e ciência

The research group Gender, Family and Society Studies has consolidated in an interdisciplinary way the approach to family studies, with a gender focus, and its research approach has been broadened in other research groups of the Universidad Simón Bolívar. These groups are incorporating the gender perspective as a transversal category in research and technology and its relevance is considered in aspects such as: stimulating and giving recognition to the presence of women in the research groups, analyzing and determining from the gender perspective the priorities of scientific-technical research, the approach to research problems, the theoretical and explanatory





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frameworks contributed by feminism and gender studies in the thematic areas, the collection and interpretation of data, new lines of research and proposals for future studies.

The mainstreaming of the gender approach in research has made it possible to address the needs of women and the LGTBIQ+ population in the University's research centers, as well as to expand its field of action in the thematic area by subscribing with UNESCO, the UNESCO Chair on Prevention of Violence against Women.

The results of the group's impact can be observed in the extension and social projection programs existing in the CIISO: the Health, Family and Environment Program, in its lines of (III) research-innovation-intervention: Human Adaptation to the Territory, Community Appropriation of health and Quality of Life with a differential approach. In the Early Generation of Scientific Vocations Program, in its lines (III) research-innovation-intervention: Ondas Program, Teacher Training, Development of Technological and Digital Competencies.