

Global Women Peace Ambassadors and Global Partners Shine in Colombia

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October and November were months of inspiration and empowerment in Colombia, as two beautiful towns—Paipa in the Boyacá Department and Acacías in the Meta Department—hosted remarkable gatherings focused on peace and leadership. The Global Women Peace Ambassadors and Global Partners events brought together leaders, changemakers, and community members to celebrate the role of women in building peaceful and inclusive societies.



The first event, held at the Paipa Municipal Council, was organized by the Women’s Federation for World Peace (WFWP) chapters from Boyacá, Casanare, and Arauca. This powerful gathering highlighted the transformative contributions of women to their communities through diverse social initiatives.

Opening Ceremony and Recognition of Leaders in Paipa

The ceremony began with a warm welcome to attendees, including distinguished guests such as Paipa’s Mayor, Ing. Germán Camacho, and the city’s Health Secretary, Dr. Adriana Mercedes Flores. Representing WFWP, Andrea Fayad, President of WFWP Colombia and Secretary-General for WFWP

Latin America and the Caribbean, delivered a heartfelt presentation emphasizing the organization's 32-year mission to empower women as peacebuilders.

Following her remarks, Mrs. Fayad presented María Trinidad Cruz, WFP Boyacá Director, with the title of Peace Ambassador, recognizing her exemplary leadership and dedication to fostering unity and progress in her community.



Honoring Inspirational Women

A central part of the event was dedicated to recognizing the efforts of local women who have made significant contributions to their regions. Among the honorees were:

Digna del Socorro Muñoz from Arauca, for her impactful work supporting youth and adults.

María Sonia Torres Mora from Casanare, for her commitment to women's economic empowerment.

Blanca Inés Alfonso Turmequé, a social leader from Casanare, for her work in community development.

Nidia Consuelo Márquez Rincón, Paipa's Social Manager, for her dedication to improving lives in her municipality.

Special recognition was also given to 15-year-old Francy Carolina Fonseca Monroy, celebrated for her leadership and ability to inspire unity among her peers.

Cultural Presentations and Closing Remarks in Paipa

The event embraced the rich cultural heritage of Boyacá with performances by folklore artist María Florinda Pacheco and a talented young local singer. These presentations brought the region's traditions to life and added a vibrant touch to the gathering.

The ceremony concluded with heartfelt remarks from Paipa's Mayor and an inspiring closing address by María Trinidad Cruz, expressing gratitude for the collective efforts in promoting peace. This event underscored the transformative power of women's leadership and unity in building sustainable communities.

A Celebration of Peace and Leadership in Acacías, Meta

On November 23, 2024, the celebrations continued in Acacías, Meta, where extraordinary women were honored for their dedication and leadership. Hosted by the Women's Federation for World Peace (WFP), the event celebrated women who embody the principles of peace, service, and leadership in diverse fields such as culture, social work, environmental advocacy, and human rights.

The ceremony was attended by notable figures, including:

Mery Salcedo, Director of WFWP Meta.
Anleyzig Espinosa: Enviromental Leader
Doris Parrado: Social Leader
Adela Vargas: Indigenous Leader
Marlen Moreno: Cultural Leader
Xamara Torrijano: Enviromental Leader
Eunice Caro: Cultural Leader
Margarita Ennimitica: Social and enviromental leader
Danna Clavijo: Social Leader
Martha Lucia Castro: Cultural and tourism Secretary of Acacias
Adriana Median and Jordan Martinez: Leaders of Granja Regenerativa SuperNova, and new Global Partners.



Inspiring Highlights from Acacias

Among the most moving moments was the introduction of the Global Women’s Peace Ambassadors, a network of women committed to fostering harmony and reconciliation across borders. From empowering local communities in Colombia to promoting environmental and cultural awareness, these women embody the WFWP’s core value: “living for the sake of others.”

The event also celebrated the inclusion of Granja Regenerativa SuperNova as a Global Partner. The presentation by Adriana and Jordan showcased their transformative work in regenerative farming and community education, offering innovative practices that promise long-term sustainability for both people and the planet.

Cultural Presentations and Closing in Acacias

The event featured heartfelt speeches and musical tributes. The ceremony concluded with a collective call to action, highlighting the importance of collaboration in building a better world.

As the new Peace Ambassadors and Partners were recognized, attendees left inspired to continue making a difference in their own communities. The event reaffirmed the essential role of women as catalysts for peace and societal transformation.

A Vision for the Future

These gatherings in Paipa and Acacias were a testament to the power of unity, resilience, and leadership. They demonstrated that women are not only the heart of their families but also changemakers who can contribute in a remarkable way for peacebuilding in every corner of the planet.

“Together, as Global Women Ambassadors for Peace, we are transforming the world, one action at a time, to build a human family united by values and principles.”