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The students Gabriel Lee and Luiza Fernandes, representing the International Humanitarian Law Clinic at the UFRGS Law School, won the Youth for Peace International Humanitarian Law Competition, held on November 28, in Minsk, Belarus. Gabriel Lee was also chosen Best Speaker and Best Legal Argumentation of the competition. The UFRGS team was the only representative from Brazil and Latin America at the event. To pay for airline tickets, the duo issued a crowdfunding on internet.

The International Humanitarian Law Clinic of the Faculty of Law (UFRGS IHL Clinic) is a space for teaching, researching and practicing International Humanitarian Law (IHL), also known as Armed Conflict Law. Coordinated by Professors Martha Lucía Olivar Jimenez and Rodrigo Valin de Oliveira, the group is responsible for preparing teams from the Faculty of Law for competitions in International Humanitarian Law, International Public Law, International Human Rights Law and International Criminal Law.



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