

## **US-Colombia Free Trade Agreement - information resources**

Witness for Peace fact sheet:

[http://witnessforpeace.live.radicaldesigns.org/downloads/Witness%20for%20Peace%20Fact%20Sheet\\_FTA%20with%20Colombia\\_2011.pdf](http://witnessforpeace.live.radicaldesigns.org/downloads/Witness%20for%20Peace%20Fact%20Sheet_FTA%20with%20Colombia_2011.pdf)

Interfaith Working Group on Trade & Investment, statement by religious groups:

[http://ajws.org/emergencies/documents/hunger\\_campaign/0511\\_religious\\_organizations.pdf](http://ajws.org/emergencies/documents/hunger_campaign/0511_religious_organizations.pdf)

USLEAP (US Labor Education in the Americas Project) talking points:

[http://www.usleap.org/files/FreeTrade\\_Colombia\\_Dec10.pdf](http://www.usleap.org/files/FreeTrade_Colombia_Dec10.pdf)

AFL-CIO statement:

<http://www.aflcio.org/mediacenter/prsptm/pr04062011.cfm>

SEIU statement:

<http://www.seiu.org/2011/04/us-colombia-free-trade-agreement.php>

UAW statement:

<http://www.uaw.org/articles/uaw-opposes-us-colombia-free-trade-agreement>

LAWG (Latin America Working Group) letter to Congress by more than 400 organizations:

<http://www.lawg.org/action-center/lawg-blog/69-general/881-the-us-should-not-move-forward-on-colombia-fta-without-addressing-root-causes-of-violence>

LAWG resources for opposing the US-Colombia FTA:

<http://www.lawg.org/component/content/article/76-stand-by-colombias-victims-of-violence/863-fta-statements-and-articles>

TransAfrica Forum note on how the FTA hurts Afro-Colombians:

<http://www.transafricaforum.org/action-center/educational-resources/action-alerts/us-colombia-free-trade-agreement>

The Michigan Citizen news analysis of impact of the FTA on Afro-Colombians:

<http://michigancitizen.com/the-uscolombia-free-trade-agreement-threatensafrocolombian-communities-p9387-78.htm>

Public Citizen, poll data showing Americans oppose FTAs:

<http://www.citizen.org/documents/polling-memo-july-2011.pdf>

Rep. Sander Levin speech on FTAs (opposing the Colombia agreement):

<http://levin.house.gov/levin-speech-pending-free-trade-agreements-korea-panama-and-colombia>

News report on Rep. Levin's opposition to Colombia FTA:

<http://www.msnbc.msn.com/id/43554425/ns/business/t/democrat-levin-will-fight-colombia-trade-deal/#.Tj2j5GHJbPI>

Economic Policy Institute estimates of job loss from Colombia FTA:

[http://www.epi.org/analysis\\_and\\_opinion/entry/colombia\\_shouldnt\\_be\\_rewarded\\_with\\_a\\_free\\_trade\\_agreement](http://www.epi.org/analysis_and_opinion/entry/colombia_shouldnt_be_rewarded_with_a_free_trade_agreement)

Huffington Post article on labor and the politics of FTAs:

[http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2011/07/19/south-korea-colombia-panama-trade-deals\\_n\\_903711.html](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2011/07/19/south-korea-colombia-panama-trade-deals_n_903711.html)