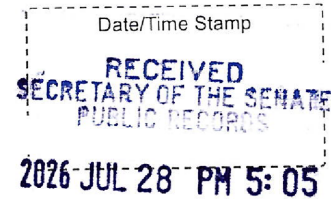


RE-2 Employee Post Travel Disclosure of Travel Expenses

Post Travel Filing Instructions: Complete this form within 30 days of returning from travel. Submit all forms to the Office of Public Records in 144 Hart Building. This form is a public disclosure. The form and all attachments will be made publicly available.



Certification: In compliance with the Regulations Governing Privately Sponsored Travel, Senate Rule 35, and the Honest Leadership and Open Government Act of 2007, I certify that I accepted the following gift of privately sponsored travel:

Private Sponsor(s):
Quincy Institute for Responsible Statecraft

Travel Dates:
07/06/2026 to 07/11/2026

Name of accompanying family member (if any):

Relationship to Traveler:

Expenses

Transportation Expenses	Lodging Expenses	Meals Expenses	Other Expenses (Amount & Description)
\$1,454.32	\$326.93	\$271.22	\$400.00

I also certify that attached to this form are all required documents for post travel disclosure, including:

- The final **Employee Pre-Travel Authorization** (Form RE-1)
- The final **Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form** with all attachments
- The final invitation
- The final approved itinerary

Finally, I certify that all trip information reflected in the attachments above accurately reflects the travel that I accepted. If there were any changes to the trip after I received approval from the Committee, the changes are described in ATTACHMENT 1.

July 28, 2026
Date

MICHAEL SONGER
Printed Name of Traveler

Signature of Traveler

TO BE COMPLETED BY SUPERVISING MEMBER/OFFICER

I have made a determination that the expenses set out above in connections with travel described in the Employee Pre-Travel Authorization form, are necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses as defined in Rule 35.

July 28, 2026
Date

Signature of Supervising Senator/Officer

ATTACHMENT 1 – CHANGES FROM APPROVED PRE-TRAVEL

Note: Material changes to a trip that occur after the Committee has issued an approval letter may invalidate the Committee's approval. Please contact the Committee with any questions regarding changes to an approved trip.

Were there any changes to the pre-approved travel expenses? (Transportation, Meals, Lodging, Other)?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Expense Change	Revised Amount	Explanation
Transportation	\$1,454.32	Addition of taxis/ubers/shuttles and final flight costs
Meals	\$271.22	Final food costs
Misc. Expenses	\$536.90	Final interpretation charges

Were there any changes to the pre-approved itinerary?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Explanation: Expanded meeting times (all longer, none were shorter than expected) UniMagdalena visit moved to 11:30-1pm, rather than in the afternoon, due to schedule conflict on their end. Addition of office visit to Latin American Institute for Peace and Security. 5pm-5:30pm on July 9. Steve Hege, director. Staff toured the office of a think tank focused on security sector reform, transitional justice, and peace building. Discussion focused on the think tank's work and the example of a US government agency that has directly converted into an NGO post USIP defunding. More complete meeting participant lists: - Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Ambassador Álvaro Sandoval — Director, Directorate for the Americas, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Rodrigo Méndez — U.S. and Canada Coordinator, Directorate for the Americas, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Ambassador Adriana Mendoza Agudelo — Director, Directorate for Multilateral Political Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Gabriel Lazala Hernández — Foreign Affairs Counselor, Directorate for Multilateral Political Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Catalina Dávila — Acting Director and Asia-Pacific & Oceania Coordinator, Directorate for Asia, Africa, and Oceania, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Ambassador Miguel Ángel Rodríguez — Official Responsible for China Affairs, Directorate for Asia, Africa, and Oceania, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Darío Sendoya Zuluaga — Acting Vice Minister for Criminal Policy and Restorative Justice, and Director of Drug Policy and Related Activities, Ministry of Justice and Law Jenny Fagua Duarte — Deputy Director for Strategy and Analysis, Ministry of Justice and Law Manuel Rayran — Director of Public Security, Ministry of National Defense Johana J. Herrera Roncancio — Coordinator, Counter-Narcotics Group, Ministry of National Defense Paola Andrea Ávila Borda — Advisor, International Relations Group, Ministry of National Defense University of Magdalena Vice-Rector of Extension (e) - Fabio Fernández Pinto Head of the Office of International Relations - Carolina González Director of the Fisheries Engineering Program - Vianys Agudelo Director of the Marine and Coastal Engineering Program: Milagros Carrillo Director of the International Business Program: David Camargo Macías Santa Marta Port Domingo Chinae, General Manager Julio Ramirez, Coordinator Yolanda Mendoza, Director of the Foundation Carlos Suarez, Director of Security Alvaro Góngora, Vice President of Operations Fisherman's Association: Edwin Cortés, Association President Leonardo Vega, Secretary Carlos Cárdenas, Board Member Angélica Medina, Board Member Audenis Manjarres, Board Member Complete PDF list available by request, if easier to read than this submission.

Were there any additional changes to the pre-approved trip?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Explanation: There were no additional changes to the pre-approved trip.

Good afternoon Mike,

I'm reaching out with an invitation to join the Quincy Institute on a **staff delegation to Colombia**, including stops in Bogota and along the northern coast, from **July 6-10, 2026**. Over the course of the trip, a bipartisan group of congressional staff will meet with a wide range of organizations and government officials to increase our understanding of the impact of U.S. policy and how to build a positive US-Colombia relationship.

The trip will focus on questions like:

- How might the upcoming Colombian presidential transition impact the country's engagement with the United States?
- How has the Colombian government and civil society reacted to recent U.S interventions in Latin America, including Venezuela and Ecuador?
- What impact has the United States' attacks on boats in the Caribbean had on communities on Colombia's northern coast?
- What are effective ways to address drug trafficking to the United States, and what has been ineffective?
- How does the U.S. presence in Colombia compare to the Chinese presence? How do U.S.-China dynamics impact the development space in Colombia, and how can U.S. policymakers most effectively engage in this context?

The trip will take place **July 6-10, 2026**. A more detailed itinerary and Travel Sponsor forms will be made available in May for Ethics approval processes. The Quincy Institute (a 501c3 think tank) is the primary, and only, sponsor of the trip. The meetings will be non-partisan and educational.

Please let me know as soon as possible if you're able to join.

Thanks,

Tori Bateman

Quincy Institute for Responsible Statecraft

RE-1 Employee Pre-Travel Authorization

Date/Time Stamp

Pre-Travel Filing Instructions: Complete and submit this form at least 30 days prior to the travel departure date to the **Select Committee on Ethics** in SH-220. Incomplete and late travel submissions will not be considered or approved.

Name of Traveler:
MICHAEL SONGER

Employing Office/Committee:
MURKOWSKI, LISA

Private Sponsor(s):
Quincy Institute for Responsible Statecraft

Destination(s):
Santa Marta, Colombia, Bogota, Colombia

Travel Dates:
07/06/2026 to 07/11/2026

NOTE: If you plan to extend the trip for any reason you **must** notify the Committee.

Explain how this trip is specifically connected to the traveler's official or representational duties.

As Senator Murkowski's National Security Advisor, I serve as her principal advisor on military, foreign affairs, intelligence, homeland security, space, and veterans. This trip to Colombia directly supports her oversight at a critical juncture. With a runoff between de la Esparilla and Cepeda and Petro's term ending August 2026, the election will reshape U.S.-Colombia ties. Consultations will address five issues: how the transition shapes U.S. engagement; Colombian reactions to U.S. interventions in Venezuela and Ecuador; maritime strikes' impact on northern communities; what works in counternarcotics; and countering Chinese influence to keep Colombia a ally.

Do you have an accompanying family member or spouse on this trip?
No

Name and Relationship to Traveler:
N/A

I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

June 3, 2026

Date

Michael Songer
Signature of Employee

TO BE COMPLETED BY SUPERVISING MEMBER/OFFICER

(President of the Senate, Secretary of the Senate, Sergeant at Arms,
Secretary for the Majority, Secretary for the Minority, and Chaplain)

I, **Senator Lisa Murkowski**

(Print Senator's/Officer's Name)

hereby authorize **Michael Songer**

(Print Traveler's Name)

an employee under my direct supervision, to accept payment or reimbursement for necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses for travel to the event described above. I have determined that this travel is in connection with his or her duties as a Senate employee or an officeholder, and will not create the appearance that he or she is using public office for private gain.

I have also determined that the attendance of the employee's spouse or child is appropriate to assist in the representation of the Senate.

☐ (signify "yes" by checking box)

June 3, 2026

Date


Signature of Supervising Senator/Officer

Quincy Institute for Responsible Statecraft: Colombia Delegation

MICHAEL SONGER

Title:

None

Employing Office/Committee:

MURKOWSKI, LISA

Duty Station:

WASHINGTON, DC

Destination(s):

Santa Marta, Colombia, Bogota, Colombia

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Name of accompanying family member (if any):

Not Entered

Name and Relationship to Traveler:

None

Organization Information

Organization Name

Quincy Institute for Responsible Statecraft

§501(c)(3) Organization Type

Public Charity

Address 2 (Optional)

Phone Number

(240) 786-8035

Is your organization classified as a §501(c)(3)?



Yes



No

Address

2000 Pennsylvania Ave NW

City, State Zip

Washington, District of Columbia 20006 United States

Organization URL

quincyinst.org

History of Congressional Travel

The Institute has not previously sponsored congressional travel.

Educational Activities

QI regularly releases new foreign policy research, hosts webinars and events, and briefs policymakers and their staff on current foreign policy issues.

Lobbyist and Foreign Agent Registration Information

Lobbyist Registration Status: *I certify that the sponsor is not a federally registered lobbyist and does not retain or employ a federally registered lobbyists.*

Foreign Agent Registration Status: *I certify that the sponsor is not an agent of a foreign principal and do not retain or employ an agent of a foreign principal.*

Foreign Government Involvement

Foreign Agent Registration Status:

- ☒ I certify that the sponsor is not a foreign government.
- ☒ I certify that the sponsor is not an entity that is owned or operated by a foreign government.
- ☒ I certify that the sponsor does not receive funding from a foreign government.

Comments

Signature Page

The signature page is below.

Purpose and Details

Provide a brief description of the trip.

Participants will travel to Colombia, including stops in Bogota and along the northern coast, from July 6-10, 2026. Over the course of the trip, House & Senate staffers will meet with a wide range of organizations and government officials to increase understanding of the impact of U.S. policy and how to build a positive US-Colombia relationship.

Explain how the purpose of the trip relates to your organization's mission.

The Quincy Institute seeks to refocus U.S. foreign policy on U.S. national interests, and to encourage smart and informed diplomacy. Congressional staff engagement with government and civil society in Colombia will prepare them to engage productively in foreign policy efforts.

Is your organization the only sponsor for this trip?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Grantmaking Organizations (Optional)

There are no grantmaking organizations.

With or Without Regard for Congressional Participation

The trip is arranged or organized specifically with regard to congressional participation.

Lobbyist/Foreign Agent Involvement in Planning, Organizing, Requesting or Arranging

- ☒ The trip will not in any part be planned, organized, requested, or arranged by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal, other than de minimis involvement.

Lobbyist/Foreign Agent Financing

- ☒ The trip will not be financed in any part by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal.
- ☒ No funds or in-kind contributions were earmarked directly or indirectly for the purpose of financing this specific trip from a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal or from a private entity that retains or employs one or more registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal.

Lobbyist/Foreign Agent Accompaniment

Complete if all sponsors are §501(c)(3) organizations

- ☒ The trip is limited to three days (for trips inside the continental United States) or seven days (for trips outside the continental United States), and no lobbyist or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee at any point throughout the trip
- ☐ The trip is limited to a one-day event (exclusive of travel time and **one** overnight stay) and no registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee on any segment of the trip
- ☐ The trip is limited to a one-day event (exclusive of travel time and **two** overnight stays) and no registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee on any segment of the trip

Complete if any of the sponsors is not a §501(c)(3) organizations.

- ☐ The trip is limited to three days (for trips inside the continental United States) or seven days (for trips outside the continental United States), and no lobbyist or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee at any point throughout the trip
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Certification of No Recreational Activity and No Alcohol

- ☒ Travel expenses paid for will not include expenditures for recreational activities.
- ☒ Travel expenses paid for will not include expenditures for alcohol, except as permitted by the Regulations Governing Privately Sponsored Travel.

Invitees

- ☒ Members and staff from the House of Representatives will receive invitations.

The list of invitees is below.

Travel Details

Trip Start Date/Time:
07/06/2026 @ 06:00 AM

Trip End Date/Time:
07/11/2026 @ 12:55 AM

Will the traveler be accompanied by a family member for whom the sponsor will pay travel expenses?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Itinerary

The itinerary is below.

Transportation (Per Member/Officer/Employee: \$1,152.00 | Accompanying Family Member: \$0.00)

Transportation Type	Class	Amount
Airfare	Coach	\$1,152.00

Note
Flights DC-SMR-BOG-DC

Lodging (Per Member/Officer/Employee: \$326.93)

Check-In	Check-Out	Facility	City	State	Country	Nights	Cost/Night	Cost Exceed Per Diem
07/06/2026	07/07/2026	AC Hotel Santa Marta	Santa Marta		Colombia	1	\$107.69	No
07/07/2026	07/10/2026	Hotel Tequendama	Bogota		Colombia	3	\$73.08	No

Meals (Per Member/Officer/Employee: \$500.00)

Date	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner	Incidentals	Total	City	State	Country	Cost Exceeds Per Diem
06/08/2026	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	Bogota		Colombia	No
07/06/2026	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	Santa Marta		Colombia	No
07/07/2026	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	Santa Marta		Colombia	No
07/09/2026	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	Bogota		Colombia	No
07/10/2026	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	Bogota		Colombia	No

Reasonable Miscellaneous Expenses (Per Member/Officer/Employee: \$400.00)

Expense Type	Amount	Notes
Interpreter Fees	\$400.00	

Additional Attachments All additional attachments are below.

Document Name

Caroline Travel Costs

PRIVATELY SPONSORED TRAVEL

SPONSOR SIGNATURE PAGE

I hereby certify that the information submitted in connection with the trip listed below is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Trip Name: Colombia Delegation
Travel Date(s): July 6-July 10, 2026
Travel Destination(s): Colombia
Sponsor: Quincy Institute for Responsible Statecraft

Victoria (Tori) Bateman
(printed name of sponsor representative)

Advocacy Director
(title)


(signature of sponsor representative)

June 3, 2026
(date)

Invited Senate Employees:

- Mike Songer - Invited because he covers foreign policy for Sen. Murkowski
- Dana Herndon - Invited because she covers foreign policy for Sen. Murkowski
- J.D. Logan - Invited because he covers foreign policy for Sen. Lee
- Caroline Lee - Invited because she covers foreign policy for Sen. Lee
- Alex Sadler - Invited because he covers foreign policy for Sen. Sanders
- Sascha Glaeser - Invited because he covers foreign policy for Sen. Paul
- Evan Ward - Invited because he covers foreign policy for Sen. Paul
- Doug Gates - Invited because he covers foreign policy for Sen. Young
- James Hart - Invited because he covers foreign policy for Sen. Schmitt

Colombia Delegation Itinerary

Jul 6, 2026 Travel Day to Santa Marta 5:25am-7:25pm: Caroline flight Austin to Santa Marta with layovers in Atlanta and Bogota (Delta 1344, 982, 6099) 6:50am-2:20pm: Naomi, Sara, Mike, Lee flight AV149/AV4836 from IAD to Simon Bolivar INTL with layover in Bogota 5pm-7pm - Dinner & Prep Briefing Lee Schlenker, Quincy Institute expert on Latin America, will provide historical and political context on Colombia that will be useful for engaging with the speakers during the rest of the week. The group will also review the week's schedule, interpretation guidance, and other logistics. Hotel: AC Hotel Santa Marta, Cl. 23 #1C-37, Comuna 2	Jul 7, 2026 Meetings in Santa Marta 8am-9am: Continental breakfast available at hotel <u>9am-11am: Board of Directors of the Santa Marta Association of Nautical Captains and Fishermen</u> • Edwin Cortés, Association President • Leonardo Vega, Secretary • Roberto Diazgranados, Board Member • Jackson Parra Tesorero, Board Member • Carlos Cárdenas, Board Member • Juan Jiménez, Board Member • Angélica Medina, Board Member • Audenis Manjarres, Board Member The Association coordinates training and education for local captains and fishermen. Their members' livelihoods have been impacted by U.S. boat strikes in the Caribbean. This meeting will give staffers a chance to hear directly from local fishermen about the impacts of U.S. policy on their livelihood, and their understanding of dynamics along Colombia's northern coast. 11am-12pm: Lunch & Debrief The delegation will grab lunch and have a conversation debriefing the meeting with the Santa Marta Association of Nautical Captains and Fishermen. Staffers will summarize what they heard and discuss how what they learned impacts their understanding of U.S.-Colombia relationship and policy. 12pm-1pm: Travel by car to UniMagdalena campus; briefing on UniMagdalena Extension Program work. The delegation will travel between the hotel meeting room and the UniMagdalena campus, and Lee Schlenker will provide background on the Magdalena department and the Extension Program's work to prepare the delegation for engagement with the university staff on their work with the Colombian Caribbean region. 1pm-2:30pm: <u>UniMagdalena Extension Program</u> • Alvaro Méndez Navarro, Vice-Rector for Community Extension and Social Outreach The UniMagdalena Extension program works to connect the research and education happening at the university to the Colombian Caribbean region. They work with local workers and the public to solve economic, environmental, and cultural problems. 2:30-3pm: Travel by car to Port of Santa Marta. Lee Schlenker will give a prep briefing on the port itself and Colombian trade relationships to prepare the staffers to engage with the port operations staff. 3pm-6pm: <u>Port Tour & Meeting with Santa Marta Port - Sociedad Portuaria</u> • Domingo Chinea, General Manager • Julio Ramirez, Coordinator 6pm-7pm: Dinner 7pm-7:30pm: Travel to airport via hotel shuttle 9:15-10:45pm: Flight to Bogota. Avianca 4823. Hotel: Hotel Tequendama, Cra. 10 #26-21	Jul 8, 2026 Meetings in Bogota 7am-7:30am: Continental breakfast at hotel and prep briefing 7:30am-8am: Travel by car to the Mayor's Office. 8am-9:30am: <u>Bogota Mayor's International Relations Office</u> Carrera 8 No. 10-65, Bogota • Jimena Niño Cáceres - Head of the Office • Sonia Monroy - Advisor The International Relations Office connects the city to foreign investment, international organizations, and other cities. Staff will discuss Bogota's global presence and international cooperation/funding. 9:30am-10am: Travel by foot from Mayor's Office to MFA 10am-10:30am: Prep Briefing on MFA 10:30am-12pm: <u>Ministry of Foreign Affairs</u> Calle 10 No. 5-51, Bogota • Rosa Yolanda Villavicencio, Foreign Minister • Mauricio Jaramillo - Vice Minister for Foreign Affairs The MFA is responsible for Colombia's international relationships. Will discuss US-Colombia relations and Colombia's global presence. 12pm-1pm: Lunch 1pm-1:30pm: Travel by car to US Embassy 1:30pm-3pm: <u>US Embassy Meeting (Invited)</u> • John McNamara, Political Section Head (Invited) Staffers will meet with U.S. embassy staff engaged with current U.S.-Colombia relationship management, and have the chance to exchange thoughts on U.S. Colombia policy and where the relationship is headed, especially with the upcoming presidential transition. 3:00pm-3:30pm: Travel by car to Edificio Tequendama. Lee Schlenker will offer a prep briefing on the Illicit Crop Substitution program, its relationship to drug trafficking reduction efforts and peace processes, and to U.S. policy, to prepare staffers to engage with the office. 3:30pm-5:00pm: <u>Illicit Crop Substitution Directorate</u> Cr. 7 # 26 - 20 Edificio Tequendama • Gloria Miranda Espitia - Technical Director This office incentivizes farmers to transition coca crops for legal crops, as part of the effort to eradicate Coca and transition the economy. As the U.S. congress debates the best way to address drugs entering the U.S., this is an important non-militarized drug reduction effort to understand. Staff at the Directorate will discuss their work, and congressional staffers will gain a better understanding of non-militarized drug efforts that impact international drug trafficking. 5:00-5:15: Travel by foot to hotel 5:30-7:30pm: <u>Business/Trade Panel (Dinner)</u> • Leyner Mosquera-Consejo Gremial Nacional, Economic Analysis Coordinator • Mateo Barrero Morales, VP of Corporate Affairs, Asobancaria • Maria Claudia Lacouture- Executive Director, Amcham Colombia (Invited) Jose Ignacio López, ANIF Economic Think Tank (invited) Discussion with industry/business leaders on Colombia's economy, development, and US-Colombia trade.
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		Hotel: Hotel Tequendama, Cra. 10 #26-21
Jul 9, 2026 Meetings in Bogota 7:30am-8:30am: Continental breakfast available at hotel and prep briefing on day's activities. Lee Schlenker will fill in any contextual gaps that will help staffers engage with the day's conversations on drug policy & human rights, Colombian foreign policy, and the presidential transition. 8:30-9 am: Travel by foot from hotel to CCEEUU offices 9am-10:30am: <u>Coordinación Colombia Europa Estados Unidos</u> 37th Street #20-27 Bogotá, Colombia - Soraya Gutiérrez - Jose Alvear Restrepo Lawyers Collective/Secretary for the Americas of the International Federation for Human Rights; - Pedro Arenas, Aura María Puyana of Viso Muto - Ricardo Vargas, journalist & analyst on drug trafficking issues The CCEEUU is a network of 240+ civil society organizations that focus on peacebuilding, human rights, and protection of civilians. Participants will discuss drug policy and human rights. 10:30am-11:00am: Travel from CCEEUU offices to Hotel Tequendama meeting room 11:30am-1pm: <u>Colombia's Foreign Policy Amid U.S-China Competition</u> - Lina Luna, Professor, Externado University - Paula Ximena Ruiz Camacho, Professor, Externado University - Arlene Tickner, Professor, University of the Andes Discussion with experts on Colombia's role in the world, and balancing important international relationships. 1pm-2:30pm: Lunch at hotel 2:30pm-4:30pm: <u>Colombia's Presidential Transition</u> - Sergio Guzmán, Co-Founder, Colombia Risk Analysis - Sandra Borda, Professor, University of the Andes - Clara Lopez, Senator of the Republic, Former Labor Minister Discussion with experts on the upcoming presidential transition and impact on US-Colombia relationship. 5:30pm-7:30pm: <u>Foreign Reporters/Analysis Dinner</u> - Juan Forero, Wall Street Journal - Genevieve Glatky, New York Times - Bram Ebrus, Amazon Underworld - Theodore Kahn, Control Risks - Alfie Panell, Reuters/NPR - Glaeldys González Calanche, International Crisis Group - Steve Gratian, AP (Invited) Staffers will hear from journalists working in Bogota, who will share their perspective on a range of U.S-Colombia policy issues, especially in relation to the upcoming presidential transition and the trends they have seen in the U.S-Colombia relationship over the last year. This conversation will give staffers the opportunity to hear up-to-date political trends and to understand discourse in Colombia as heard by some	Jul 10, 2026 Final Meeting + Travel Day 12:14am-8:52am: Sara flight Bogota to Denver, UA 206 8:00am-9:00am: Continental breakfast available at hotel 9am-10 am: Travel by car from hotel to Casa de Nariño and prep briefing on peace negotiations 10am-11:30am - <u>Consejería Comisionada de Paz</u> Casa de Nariño, Carrera 8 No. 7-26 - Otly Patiño - High Commissioner for Peace in Colombia - Lead Negotiators as available The Commission is responsible for implementing national peace policies. Staff will discuss their current work and challenges. 11:30am-12:30pm: Travel by car from Casa de Nariño to airport via Hotel Tequendama 2:10pm - Naomi, Mike flight AA916 to Miami, Layover in Miami, flight AA708 to DCA 2:55pm - Caroline flight Delta 983 to Atlanta, Layover in Atlanta, Delta 1335 to Austin	Jul 11, 2026 Travel Day 12:18am: Caroline's flight lands in Austin 12:59am: Naomi, Mike flight lands at DCA

of the people most closely following these dynamics.

Hotel: Hotel Tequendama, Cra. 10 #26-21

Travel Costs - Addendum for Caroline Gonzalez

Caroline's coach flights will leave from and return to Austin, TX. Her total cost for the three flights (ABIA-SMR-BOG-ABIA) is expected to be **\$1,294**.