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Ávila covered social movements and protests against a destructive economic project known as ZEDEs, which was aimed at attracting foreign investment in Honduras. Ricardo Ávila's colleagues say he was killed in retaliation for reporting on these issues.

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