



Summer School

Human Rights and Transitional Justice: Truth-finding, Reparations and Remedies

10 - 14 July 2017, The Hague

Draft Programme

Monday 10 July

09.00 - 9.15 **Coffee/Tea and Registration**

09.15 - 9.30 **Welcome and Introduction Round**
Mr. Jens Iverson, Assistant Professor of International Law, Leiden University
Dr. Giulia Pinzauti, Assistant Professor of International Law, Leiden University

09.30 - 11.00 **Introduction to Transitional Justice**
Dr. Giulia Pinzauti, Assistant Professor of International Law, Leiden University

11.30 - 13.00 **Evidence and Truth Finding**
Ms. Marieke Wierda, Rule of Law Policy Coordinator, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands

13.00 - 14.00 **Lunch**

14.00 - 17.00 **Visit to the International Court of Justice including an in-depth discussion on individual and collective reparations**
Judge Cançado Trindade, ICJ

19.00 **Welcome dinner at Very Italian Pizza**

Tuesday 11 July

09.00 - 10.30 **UN Commissions of Inquiry**
Ms. Catherine Harwood, PhD candidate of International Law, Leiden University

11.00 - 12.30 **Case Study: UN Commission of Inquiry in Libya**
Ms. Marieke Wierda, Rule of Law Policy Coordinator, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands
Dr. Suliman Ibrahim, Senior Researcher, Leiden University

12.30 - 14.00 **Lunch**

14.00 - 15.30 **The Right to Truth and its Relationship with National Security**
Mr. Paul Seils, Vice President, International Centre for Transitional Justice

16.00 - 17.30 **The Role of Truth Commissions and Civil Society in Truth Finding**
Mr. Paul Seils, Vice President, International Centre for Transitional Justice

Wednesday 12 July

- 09.00 - 10.30** **International Criminal Justice and Truth Commissions**
Prof. William Schabas, Professor of Human Rights Law, Leiden University
- 11.00 - 12.30** **Truth and Reparation in the Aftermath of Genocide**
Prof. William Schabas, Professor of Human Rights Law, Leiden University
- 12.30 - 14.00** **Lunch**
- 14.00 - 16.30** **Remedies and Reparation for Victims of International Humanitarian Law Violations**
Dr. Giulia Pinzauti, Assistant Professor of International Law, Leiden University

Thursday 13 July

- 10.00 - 12.30** **Visit to the International Criminal Court, including an in-depth discussion on Reparations for Victims at the ICC: Recent Developments**
Ms. Erin Rosenberg, Attorney at the Appeals Division of the International Criminal Court
- 12.00 - 14.00** **Lunch**
- 14.00 - 15.30** **Challenges of Truth-Finding for Crimes of Sexual Violence**
Ms. Laurel Baig, Senior Appeals Counsel at the UN Mechanism for International Criminal Tribunals
- 16.00 – 17.30** **Accounting for Missing Persons in Transitional Justice Contexts**
Dr. Deborah Ruiz Verduzco, Director for Institutional and Civil Society Development, International Commission on Missing Persons
- 18.00** **Dinner at the beach**

Friday 14 July

- 9.00 - 10.30** **The Kosovo Specialist Chambers and Remedies for Victims of Inhuman Treatment**
Dr. Guido Acquaviva, Deputy Registrar, The Kosovo Specialist Chambers
- 11.00 – 12.30** **Closing Remarks and Presentation of Certificates**
- 12.30 - 14.00** **Lunch**
- 14.00 - 16.00** **Panel Discussion on Justice, Truth and Reparations for Syria**
Prof. Carsten Stahn, Professor of International Criminal Law and Global Justice, Leiden University
Ms. Lotte Leicht, EU Director, Human Rights Watch
Dr. Jill E. B. Coster van Voorhout, Senior Researcher, The Hague Institute for Global Justice
Mr. Yousuf Syed Khan, Human Rights Officer, Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR)
Mr. Husam Alkatlaby, Executive Director, The Violations Documentation Centre in Syria – VDC
Ms. Wieteke Theeuwen LL.M, Legal Officer, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands