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The Geneva Academy of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights and the University of Essex Armed Conflict Hub invite to the

2023 CIAC CONFERENCE

Online, 26 October 2023

All times are UTC+2 (Geneva time)

PROGRAMME

10:00 – 10:20

Opening Remarks

Professor Gloria Gaggioli and Professor Noam Lubell

10:20 – 11:45

First Panel ‘Contemporary Issues of International Humanitarian Law and Beyond’ and Discussion

Chair

- Professor Marco Sassòli

Panellists

- Mr Md Tabish Eqbal, ‘Establishment of ‘Safe-Zone’ Beyond International Humanitarian Law Framework: A Critical Analysis from Jus ad Bellum & International Refugee Law Perspectives’
- Ms Elise Rooseleers, ‘Let the Pot Call the Kettle Black. Could a Renewed Role for Reciprocity be Beneficial for Achieving the Goals of IHL?’
- Ms Mina Radončić and Mr Ashley Stanley- Rya, ‘*Pro Patria Mori*: When States Encourage Direct Participation in Hostilities’

11:45 – 11:55

Coffee Break

11:55 – 13:40

Second Panel ‘Accountability in Today Armed Conflicts’ and Discussion

Chair

- Professor Gloria Gaggioli

Panellists

- Ms Ana Srovin Coralli, ‘Criminal Responsibility for War Crimes by Omission’
- Ms Alizea-Maiwenn Ciftcisooy, ‘From Torture to Rape, the Treatment of Sexual Violence against Men during Armed Conflicts by International Criminal Courts’

- Mr Raphael Oidtmann, 'Fact-Finding, Open-Source Intelligence, and Digital Evidence – Documenting Violations of International Humanitarian Law in a Modern Age'
- Dr Mykola Lazarenko, 'Armed Conflicts and Representative Actions: Unfulfilled Potential for Access to Justice'

13:40 – 14:10

Lunch Break

14:10 – 15:35

Third Panel 'Victims of Armed Conflicts and their Need for Protection' and Discussion

Chair

- Professor Geoff Gilbert

Panellists

- Dr Luke Eda, 'Between Human Dignity and Public Order: States and Refugees' Contestations and Conflicting Claims to Shared Values of Human Dignity in International Law in the Context of the Global Refugee Crisis'
- Dr Faiz Bakhsh, '*Simultaneous Application of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights in the Context Internally Displaced Persons Affected by non-international armed conflict in Pakistan*'
- Ms Kate McInnes, 'Seeking Victim-Centred Accountability for Violence against Persons with Disabilities at the United Nations Independent International Commission of Inquiry for Ukraine'

15:35 – 15:50

Coffee Break

15:50 – 16:35

Fourth Panel, 'Transitional Justice and the Post-Conflict Period' and Discussion

Chair

- Professor Sabine Michalowski

Panellists

- Dr María García Casas, 'The Leading Role of the Council of Europe in Framing the Post Conflict Landscape'
- Mr Vittorio Cama, 'Unravelling the Complexity of Transitional Justice in Non-International Armed Conflicts: a Deeper Examination'
- Mr Germán Parra Gallego & Andrea Camacho Rincón, 'Addressing Environmental Damages in Contexts of Armed Conflict by Transitional Justice in Colombia'
- Ms Lucie George, 'The New Transitional Justice's Agenda for Change: How Can Transitional Justice Be Transformative for Women in the Central African Republic?'

17:35 – 17:50

Closing Remarks

- Professor Gloria Gaggioli and Professor Noam Lubell

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