

International Humanitarian Law in Theory and Practice

4 - 8 July 2022, The Hague

Programme

Monday 4 July

- 09.00 – 09.30** **Registration**
- 09.30 – 10.00** **Welcome and Introduction**
Dr. Robert Heinsch, *Associate Professor of Public International Law, Leiden University*
& Ms. Johanna Trittenbach, LL.M., *PhD Candidate, Leiden University*
- 10.00 – 12.00** **Introduction to International Humanitarian Law**
Dr. Robert Heinsch, *Associate Professor of Public International Law, Leiden University*
- 12.00 – 13.30** **Lunch**
- 13.30 – 15.30** **Classification of Conflicts**
Ms. Sofia Pouloupoulou, *Independent Consultant in International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights & External PhD Candidate, Leiden University*
- 18.00** **Welcome Dinner at Very Italian Pizza**

Tuesday 5 July

- 09.00 – 11.00** **Protection of the Civilian Population**
Prof. Horst Fischer, *Professor Emeritus of International Humanitarian Law, Leiden University*
- 11.15 – 13.15** **Combatants and Prisoners of War**
Dr. Jeroen van den Boogaard, *Legal Counsel, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of The Netherlands & Lecturer, University of Amsterdam*
- 13.15 – 14.15** **Lunch**

14.15 – 16.15 **The Role of ICRC in Disseminating International Humanitarian Law**
Ms. Nele Verlinden, *Legal Adviser, International Committee of the Red Cross* (online)

16.15 – 17.00 **Presentation of a Leiden IHL Clinic Project**
Dr. Robert Heinsch, *Associate Professor of Public International Law, Leiden University*
& Ms. Johanna Trittenbach, LL.M., *PhD Candidate, Leiden University*

Wednesday 6 July

09.00 – 11.00 **Conduct of Hostilities: General Principles and the Targeting Cycle**
Prof. Dr. Terry Gill, *Professor of Military Law, University of Amsterdam and the Netherlands Defence Academy*

11.15 – 13.15 **Limitation and Prohibition of Weapons in the Conduct of Hostilities & New forms of warfare**
Prof. Dr. Paul Ducheine, *Professor for Military Law of Cyber Operations and Cyber Security, University of Amsterdam & Professor for Cyber Warfare, the Netherlands Defence Academy*

13.15 – 13.45 **Lunch**

14.30 – 16.00 **Visit to the International Criminal Court – Public Hearing**

Thursday 7 July

09.00 – 11.00 **The Law of Non-International Armed Conflict**
Ms. Wieteke Theeuwen LL.M, *Legal Officer, International Law Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of The Netherlands*

11.15 – 13.15 **Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Response Law**
Dr. Heike Spieker, *German Red Cross*

13.15 – 14.15 **Lunch**

14.15 – 16.15 **The Interplay between International Humanitarian Law and International Human Rights Law**
Prof. Helen Duffy, *Gieskes Chair of International Humanitarian Rights and Humanitarian Law, Leiden University*

Friday 8 July

- 09.00 – 11.00** **Enforcement and Implementation of International Humanitarian Law**
Ms. Mirjam de Bruin, *Expert in International Humanitarian Law*
- 11.15 – 13.15** **The Interplay between International Humanitarian Law and International Criminal Law**
Dr. Robert Heinsch, *Associate Professor of Public International Law, Leiden University*
- 13.15 – 14.15** **Lunch**
- 14.15 – 16.30** **IHL Moot Court**
- 17.00** **Closing Remarks & Certificate Ceremony**
- 18.00** **Farewell Drinks at Luden**