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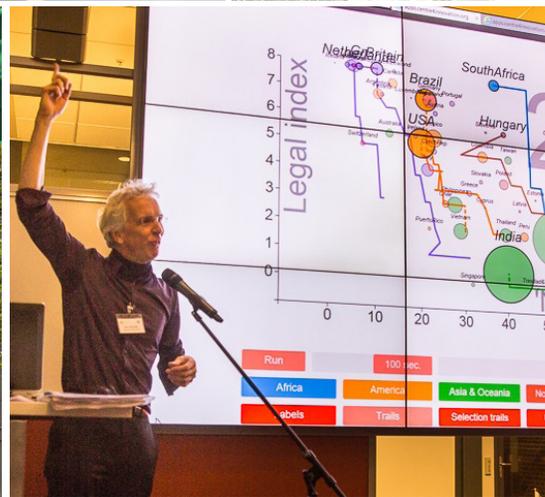


Summer School Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity in International Law

31 July - 4 August 2017



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Programme 31 July - 4 August

Monday 31 July (in The Hague)

- 10.00 – 10.30 **Registration**
- 10.30 – 11.30 **Welcome and a Global Picture**
Kees Waaldijk
Professor of Comparative Sexual Orientation Law
Leiden University
- 11.45 – 12.30 **Poster Presentations about Country Situations**
By participants
- 12.30 – 13.30 **Lunch**
- 13.45 – 14.30 **Poster Presentations about Country Situations**
By participants
- 14.45 – 16.15 **The Emergence of Intersex as a Protected Category in International Law**
Benjamin Moron-Puech
Université Panthéon-Assas, Paris
- 16.30 – 17.45 **The Right to Relate and the Sexual Orientation Cases Decided by the UN Human Rights Committee**
Kees Waaldijk
- 18.30 – 20.30 **Welcome Dinner at Schlemmer Restaurant**

Tuesday 1 August (in The Hague)

- 10.00 – 12.00 **Visit to the International Criminal Court**
- 12.45 – 14.00 **Lunch**
- 14.15 – 15.30 **The Right to Marry**
Kees Waaldijk
- 15.45 – 17.45 **The Role of the African Union in Combating SOGI based Human Rights Violations**
Chair: Kees Waaldijk
Eric Gitari, Director, National Gay and Lesbian Human Rights Commission – Kenya
Christine Sarah Kalibbala, Attorney of the High Court of South Africa, Director at Nanziri Consulting

Wednesday 2 August (in The Hague and Amsterdam)

- 10.30 – 12.00 **Sexual and Gender Minorities in International Refugee Law**
Katinka Ridderbos,
Senior Research and Information Officer in the Division of International Protection at the UN refugee agency
UNHCR
- 12.15 – 13.30 **Lunch**
- 13.30 – 14.30 **Individuals in the Evolving SOGI Case Law of the European Court of Human Rights**
Robert Wintemute
Professor of Human Rights Law
King's College London
- 14.45 – 15.45 **Transfer to Amsterdam**
- 19.30 – 22.00 **“Rights Out There: Freedom and Safety for LGBTIQ Organisations Worldwide” at the Oude Lutherse Kerk**
Chaired by Boris Dittrich, Advocacy Director Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Rights Program at Human Rights Watch

Thursday 3 August (in Amsterdam)

- 10.30 – 11.30 **Couples in the Evolving SOGI Case Law of the European Court of Human Rights**
Robert Wintennute
- 11.45 – 12.30 **Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity in the Inter-American Human Rights System – the Atala Case and Beyond**
Lisa Davis,
Clinical Professor of Law for the Human Rights and Gender Justice Clinic
CUNY School of Law
- 12.45 – 14.00 **Lunch**
- 14.15 – 14.45 **Finding Protection for Women and LGBTIQs in International Criminal Law**
Lisa Davis
- 15.00 – 16.30 **Applying International Law to the Middle East: Policy Strategies to Address the Persecution of LGBT Persons**
Lisa Davis
Jessica Stern, Executive Director of OutRight Action International
- 16.45 – 17.30 **Advancing SOGI Rights through Universal Periodic Review at the UN Human Rights Council**
Jessica Stern

Friday 4 August (in Amsterdam)

- 10.30 – 11.15 **Sexual Orientation & Gender Identity in Different Areas of International Law: Consolidation and Stagnation**
Kees Waaldijk
- 11.30 – 12.45 **The Future of International SOGI Law**
Jessica Stern
- 13.00 – 16.00 **Farewell Lunch at Café de Jaren**

