

Thursday, 16 June

Regional Approaches to Disaster Prevention and Response . A Focus on Specific Disaster Scenarios.

- 09.00–09.15 Summary of day three and overview of day four
- 09.15–10.45 EU and European law on Disasters. The Role of the EU in the Response to Disasters within and outside its Borders
Federico Casolari
University of Bologna
- 10.45–11.15 *Coffee Break and group photo*
- 11.15–12.30 Overview of other Regional Approaches to Disaster Law
David Fisher
Coordinator, Disaster Law Programme
International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC)
- 12.30–13.30 *Lunch break*
- 13.30–15.00 Group Exercise
- 15.00–16.15 Health Emergencies: International Norms and Systems for Epidemic Prevention and Control
Andraz Zidar
E.MA Programme Director, European Inter-University Centre for Human Rights and Democratisation, Venice (tbc)
- 16.15–16.30 *Coffee Break*
- 16.30–17.15 Food Security
- 20.00 Final social dinner

Friday, 17 June

Disaster Risk Reduction, Climate Change

- 09.00–09.15 Summary of day four and overview of day five
- 09.15–10.15 International and National Legal Frameworks for Disaster Risk Reduction
David Fisher, IFRC
- 10.15–11.15 Environmental Treaties and DRR
- 11.15–11.:45 *Coffee Break.*
- 11.45–12.30 Group exercise
- 12.30–13.30 Lunch
- 13.30–14.00 Climate Change Adaptation and International Law
David Fisher, IFRC
- 15.00–15.30 Closing Ceremony & Awarding of Certificates
Stefania Baldini, Secretary-General, IHL
David Fisher, IFRC
IDL Project Coordinating Team
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PROGRAMME

For applications and further information please refer to:
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Monday, 13 June

Introduction and General Overview on International Disaster Law

- 08.45–09.00 Registration of participants
- 09.00–09.15 **Welcome Address**
- **Prof. Fausto Pocar**
President, International Institute of Humanitarian Law (IIHL)
 - **IDL Project Coordinating Team**
 - **Paulo Cavaleri**, Disaster Law Programme, International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC)
- 09.15–09.45 Overview of the Course
IDL Project Coordinating Team
- 09.45–10.15 **Presentation of the Participants**
- 10.15–11.00 Peer Group Meetings
Paulo Cavaleri
Disaster Law Programme, IFRC
- 11.00–11.15 *Coffee Break*
- 11.15–12.00 Key Legal Issues in Disaster Management
Paulo Cavaleri
Disaster Law Programme, IFRC
- 12.00–13.00 The International Legal Framework on Disaster Law: an Introduction
Emanuele Sommario
Scuola Superiore Sant' Anna
- 13.00–14.00 *Lunch Break*
- 14.00–14.30 Group exercise
- 14.30–15.15 **Keynote Lecture**
The Work of the International Law Commission on the Protection of Persons in the Event of Disaster
Eduardo Valencia-Ospina
Special Rapporteur on the Protection of Persons in the Event of Disasters, International Law Commission
- 15.15–16.15 **Dialogue with the Special Rapporteur**

16.15–16.30

Coffee Break

16.30–17.15

The Work of the Red Cross Movement in Disaster Law
Paulo Cavaleri
Disaster Law Programme, IFRC

17.15–18.30

Reception drink

Tuesday, 14 June

International Cooperation in Disaster Relief: Legal and Operational Challenges

- 09.00–09.15 Summary of day one and overview of day two
- 09.15–10.15 International Disaster Response Law: The Role of the Affected State and the International Community
Flavia Zorzi Giustiniani
Uninettuno University, Rome
- 10.15–11.15 International Disaster Response Law: The Legal Status of Relief Personnel
Giulio Bartolini
University Roma Tre
- 11.15–11.45 *Coffee Break*
- 11.45–12.45 International Disaster Response Law: Goods, Equipment (access and quality)
Giovanna Adinolfi
University of Milan
- 12.45–13.45 *Lunch break*
- 13.45–15.15 Group exercise
- 15.15–15.30 *Coffee Break*
- 15.30–17.00 The International Coordination System for Humanitarian Assistance in Case of Disaster
Representative OCHA (Tbc)

Wednesday, 15 June

Protection Issues in Disasters

- 09.00–09.15 Summary of day two and overview of day three
- 09.15–10.15 Human Rights and Disasters: An Introduction
Emanuele Sommario
- 10.15–11.15 The Protection of Cultural Property in Disaster Scenarios
Flavia Zorzi Giustiniani
- 11.15–11.45 *Coffee Break*
- 11.45–12.45 Disasters and Armed Conflicts
Giulio Bartolini
University Roma Tre
- 12.45–13.45 *Lunch*
- 13.45–15.00 Group Exercise
- 15.00–15.15 *Coffee Break*
- 15.15–16.30 **Keynote Lecture**
The Protection of Persons Displaced by Disasters: Human Rights Challenges
Prof. Walter Kälin
University of Bern
Former Representative of the UN Secretary-General on the Human Rights of Internally Displaced Persons
- 16.30–17.15 Humanitarian Principles in Disaster Scenarios
Federico Casolari
University of Bologna