

GENERAL PROFILE OF THE COURSE

The Course on the Law of Internal Displacement is organized annually by the International Institute for Humanitarian Law in cooperation with the Special Rapporteur on the Human Rights of Internally Displaced Persons. This year the Course will be a special edition to commemorate the 10th anniversary of the Kampala Convention.

The Course is designed for government officials and civil society representatives responsible for and dealing with internal displacement issues. The Course, which lasts five days and is conducted in English, responds to the increasing demand for up-to-date information on and understanding of internal displacement and the applicable law. Participants will strengthen their skills and knowledge through tailored exercises and case studies, and will have the opportunity to interact with the Special Rapporteur as well as with practitioners and experts in the field of internal displacement.

The Course objectives are:

- enhancing the participants' understanding of the international norms underpinning the protection of internally displaced persons;
- promoting the use and implementation of the Guiding Principles of Internal Displacement;
- building up capacities of governments to establish or improve existing legislation and policies on the protection of internally displaced persons;
- encouraging the sharing of experiences and best practices among the participants regarding protection of IDPs and the search for solutions.

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Monday, 10 June 2019

- 08.45–09.00 **Welcome address**
Prof. Fausto Pocar, President, Institute
- 09.00–09.30 **Course outline and introductions**
- 09.30–09.45 **Initial assessment**
Melissa Amisano
- 09.45–10.45 **Opening lecture**
Protection of IDPs: opportunities and challenges
Cecilia Jimenez–Damary
- 10.45–11.00 Coffee break
- 11.00–12.30 **Who is an IDP**
Claudio Delfabro
- 12.30–13.30 Lunch
- 13.30–15.00 **Legal protection of IDPs: the Guiding Principles and the Kampala Convention**
Nancy Polutan–Teulieres
- 15.00–15.15 Coffee break
- 15.15–16.45 **Managing and reducing disaster displacement risk**
Michelle Yonetani
- 16.45–17.00 **Plenary discussion**
- 17.00 Welcome cocktail

Tuesday, 11 June 2019

- 08.45–09.00 **Recap**
- 09.00–10.30 **Data collection for the protection of the IDPs**
Margharita Lundkvist–Houndoumadi
- 10.30–10.45 Group photo
Coffee break
- 10.45–12.30 **Interactive exercise**
Margharita Lundkvist–Houndoumadi
- 12.30–13.30 Lunch
- 13.30–15.00 **Protection within diversity and IDP participation**
Martina Caterina
- 15.00–15.15 Coffee break
- 15.15–16.45 **Sexual and gender–based violence in displacement**
Nancy Polutan–Teulieres
- 16.45–17.00 **Plenary discussion**

Wednesday, 12 June 2019

- 08.45–09.00 **Recap**
- 09.00–10.30 **Applicability of the Guiding Principles and Kampala Convention**
Raphaël Goncalves Alves
- 10.30–10.45 Coffee break
- 10.45–12.30 **Durable solutions; Criteria and indicators**
Margharita Lundkvist–Houndoumadi
- 12.30–13.30 Lunch
- Free Afternoon

Thursday, 13 June 2019

- 08.45–09.00 **Recap**
- 09.00–10.45 **Current protection issues in internal displacement; Housing, land and property, and civil documentation**
Dalia Aranki
- 10.45–11.00 Coffee break
- 11.00–12.30 **Transitional justice and reconciliation**
Igor Cvetkovski
- 12.30–13.30 Lunch
- 13.30–15.00 **Humanitarian negotiation – Role Play**
Claudio Delfabro
- 15.00–15.15 Coffee break
- 15.15–16.45 **Humanitarian negotiation – Presentation and debrief**
Claudio Delfabro
- 16.45–17.00 **Plenary discussion**
- 20.00 Dinner

Friday, 14 June 2019

- 08.45–09.00 **Recap**
- 09.00–10.00 **Law, policy, governance and coordination**
Martina Caterina
- 10.00–10.15 Coffee break
- 10.15–11.45 **Best practices and capstone activity**
- 11.45–12.30 **Assessment review**
Closing ceremony
Certificates
- 12.30–13.30 Lunch