



Introductory Statement of the President on the 2023 results and 2024 perspectives



As the President of the Sanremo Institute, it is my distinct privilege to present the outcome of our endeavors throughout 2023. With heartfelt appreciation, I extend my gratitude to the Directors of our three Departments, their dedicated teams of professionals, and the continuous support of our general Secretariat. I am pleased to announce that in the past year, the Institute facilitated over 70 courses and initiatives, engaging more than 3100 participants representing 156 countries. This achievement stands as proof of the Institute's unwavering dedication to its mission, as it enters its 54th year of activity, and continues to demonstrate unparalleled resilience and commitment to its founding principles. In an increasingly complex international landscape, grieved by armed conflicts and humanitarian crises, I am proud to

affirm that the Institute is keen to expand its efforts in 2024, both autonomously and in collaboration with traditional and new partners. Our aim for the new year is to further enhance our training and dissemination efforts, renewing our action to better foster universal compliance with the principles of International Humanitarian Law and all its related fields.

Lt. General (retired) Giorgio Battisti
President of the Sanremo Institute

SAVE THE DATE!

47th Sanremo Round Table on current issues of IHL

The Institute is glad to announce that the programme and dates for the 47th Sanremo Round table on Current Issues of IHL, traditionally organized in close cooperation with the International Committee of the Red Cross, have been officially released!

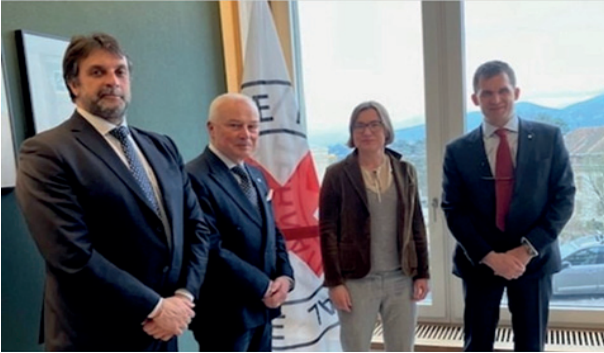
This year's Round Table will take place on 12th-13th September 2024 with the title: **"From the Battle of Solferino of 1859 to the Geneva Conventions of 1949: Challenges and Future Prospects of International Humanitarian Law"**. For the third consecutive edition this year, the event will be held in a hybrid format, allowing for both in-person and online attendance live from Villa Ormond.

With the participation of high-level international experts and practitioners, the Round Table will explore the historical continuum from the Battle of Solferino to the codification of the Geneva Conventions in 1949. Through different thematic panels, the conference will aim to shed light on the transformative journey of IHL, acknowledging the importance of humanitarian principles to shape the landscape of modern conflict resolution and strengthen the protection of vulnerable populations.

Registration will open soon. Visit the web page on the IHL website dedicated to the Round Table for updates, and seize the unique opportunity to participate in the Institute's flagship event.

The President visits the ICRC President, Mirjana Spoljaric

Geneva, 27th February 2024



On Tuesday 27th February in Geneva, the President of the Institute, General (retired) Giorgio Battisti, and the Secretary-General a.i., Mr Gian Luca Beruto met the President of the International Committee of the Red Cross, Ms Mirjana Spoljaric Egger.

During the visit, General Battisti had the opportunity to discuss with Ms Spoljaric the state of existing collaboration between the Sanremo Institute and the ICRC, while also examining future perspectives and possible synergies in the fields of training and dissemination of IHL.

The visit was further extended to discuss details of the 47th Sanremo Round Table on current issues of IHL with Professor Nils Melzer, ICRC Director of International Law, Policy and Humanitarian Diplomacy, and other important ICRC officers.

This year, the annual Round Table will take place on 12th-13th September and will address the relevance of the Fourth Geneva Conventions in contemporary armed conflicts, marking their 75th anniversary.

The President visits the President of the Italian Red Cross Rosario Valastro

Rome, 15th March 2024



On 15th March, the President of the Institute, General (retired) Giorgio Battisti, and the Secretary-General a.i. Mr Gian Luca Beruto met in Rome with Mr Rosario Valastro, the President of the Italian Red Cross.

Given the strong bond between the Institute and the Italian Red Cross, as evidenced by the latter's ex officio membership in the governing Council of the Sanremo Institute, the meeting provided

a valuable opportunity to discuss the growing synergies between the two organizations.

During the meeting, delegates from both entities focused on evaluating the existing training and dissemination needs in the field of IHL on both the national and global scales. Building on this assessment, they highlighted the clear advantage of strengthening cooperation between the two institutions, particularly considering their common international vocation.

In this framework, the two presidents reached a firm consensus on the added value of intensifying the collaborative endeavours of the IHL and the Italian Red Cross.

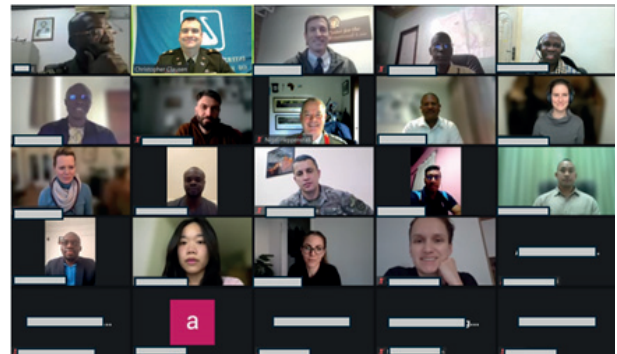
Council Meeting of the Institute

Sanremo, 22nd March 2024

The Council of the Institute was held online on Friday afternoon 22nd March 2024. The agenda of the meeting included the approval of the 2023 final accounts and the adoption of the draft budget for 2024; the preparation of the 47th Round Table planned to take place in Sanremo from 12th to 13th September 2024; the presentation of the reports from the Director of the Military Department, the Director of the Department of International Refugee Law and Migration Law, and the Director of the Special Projects Department respectively.

Introduction to International Humanitarian Law Online course

29th January – 26th February 2024



The goal of this new online course is to provide military Officers, including operators, military lawyers and civilians, with the opportunity to learn the basic principles and rules of IHL and the Law of Armed Conflict (LOAC), and how to apply them. This course also serves as a primer for many of the specialized courses offered at the Institute by providing introductory level instruction on a wide array of subjects.

The online training adapted the standard Sanremo methodology of presentations and practical work taking advantage of the IHL online learning platform. The Institute intends to run the online course again in January and February 2025 to fill out what is a quiet period in the calendar of the Military Department.

A warm thank you goes to the Course Director, Major Christopher Clausen, and the entire teaching staff for making the course possible.

Introduction to International Humanitarian Law Sri Lanka, 12th – 16th February 2024



From 12th to 16th February 2024, the Director of the Military Department, Colonel Nigel Heppenstall and the Deputy Director, Colonel Rudolph Stamminger, conducted an introductory course on International Humanitarian Law in Colombo, Sri Lanka.

This course is sponsored by the British High Commission Colombo and supported by the ICRC in Sri Lanka.

The lessons covered a range of subjects, including basic rules and principles, conflict classifications, means and methods of warfare, rules of engagements and international human rights law. This year the course saw the participation of 25 military Officers drawn from all three of Sri Lanka's Armed Forces. Now in its fourth year, this series of courses aims to expand knowledge and understanding of International Humanitarian Law, across the Armed Forces of Sri Lanka.

The course consists of a mixture of presentations and syndicate exercise work. This edition saw an increase in training delivered by Sri Lankan Officers. Colonel Heppenstall and the Institute would like to thank the British High Commission Colombo, and the ICRC in Sri Lanka for their support in the training.

22nd Competition on IHL for Military Academies Sanremo, 18th – 22nd March 2024



Starting from 18th March, the Military Department launched the 22nd edition of the Competition on IHL for Military Academies. This year, we saw the highest number of participants: 33 teams

with a total of 101 cadets. This is the maximum number of cadets that we can host in the current format. The President, Lieutenant General (ret'd) Giorgio Battisti, opened the competition. The Co-Directors were once again Brigadier General (ret'd) Karl Edlinger and Lieutenant Colonel (ret'd) Shawn McKelvy.

The nations represented were Colombia, France, Germany, Georgia, Italy, Japan, the Netherlands, Norway, Switzerland, Thailand, Taiwan, Turkey, United States. We were very pleased to have Mozambique attending the Competition for the first time as Africa is underrepresented in the competition.

The cadets were introduced to the Law of Armed Conflict and asked to build an international understanding not only of the legal, but also moral aspects of warfare. Participants advised upon issues based on real operations and current challenges.

The Law of Armed Conflict (LOAC) Competition for Military Academies is intended to complement the national training of LOAC and to ensure that military cadets develop an early appreciation of the critical importance of LOAC in multinational military operations.

Starting from Tuesday 19th March, the cadets were divided into mixed teams which were then dispersed throughout five separate Joint Operation Centres (JOCs). In the JOC sessions, each mixed team represented a fictitious country which was given specific instructions from its government and had different political and military priorities.

This year's panel of judges was composed of: Major General Salvatore Lato (Italy), Brigadier General Jan Spijk (the Netherlands), Captain Martin Fink (The Netherlands), Colonel James Stythe (United Kingdom), Colonel John Spierin (Ireland), Colonel Robert James (United States), Colonel Chris De Cock (Belgium), Colonel Carl Marchand (Switzerland), Major Barbara Scolart (Italy), and Major Anna Ryder (France).

This year, the competition was made less obviously competitive by awarding prizes in broad categories of 'gold, silver, and bronze' where there can be more than one award in each class. Previously, teams had been ranked in strict numerical hierarchy (first, second, third etc.). It is hoped that this adjustment will encourage participation from countries that do not speak English as a first language who are concerned that they will be penalized not because of their knowledge of English but because they are having to use a second language.

Each JOC was led by an experienced military lawyer who questioned and challenged each team in the various problems that arose during the exercise. We would like to thank this year's JOC Leaders: Colonel Dair Gray (United Kingdom), Colonel Jerry Lane (Ireland), Major John Brown (United Kingdom), Lieutenant Commander Patricia Verkroost (The Netherlands), and Lieutenant Colonel Gretchen Davenport (United States), for their hard work and professionalism.

32nd Online Course on International Refugee Law

29th January – 23rd February 2024



The Department of International Refugee Law and Migration Law organized and implemented the 32nd Online Course on International Refugee Law with the support of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, the Swiss State Secretariat for Migration, and the United States Government (Department of State, Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration), welcoming 52 participants from 29 countries.

The programme, delivered in English, delved into key aspects of international refugee protection, addressing a range of topics. It conducted a thorough examination of international refugee law and its intersections with other legal frameworks, as well as the various phases of displacement. Offering a comprehensive insight into the drivers of displacement and the emergence of protection challenges at different stages, it explored durable and sustainable solutions. Furthermore, the course took a cross-cutting perspective, analyzing issues like gender-based violence, protection for internally displaced and stateless individuals, and the impact of the Global Compact on Refugees on evolving dynamics.

The course specifically targeted government officials, members of judiciary, human rights officials, UN officials, scholars, staff of non-governmental organizations, as well as representatives of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movements. The opening of the course was conducted by Ms Dalila Zenati, Head of the Capacity Development Unit of the Department, who also delivered the institutional remarks on behalf of the Institute. A keynote speech was addressed to the training cohort by Dr Madeline Garlick, Chief of the Protection Policy and Legal Advice Section in UNHCR.

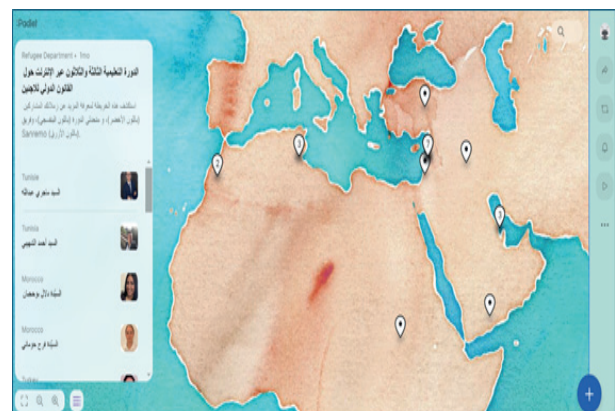
The following guest speakers joined the Sanremo Team in the facilitation of the training: Ms Dalila Zenati, IHL; Ms Silvia Colombo, UNHCR; Mr Kristijan Mihajlovski, IHL; Ms Amanda Stovall, UNHCR; Mr Nikola Kovačević, IDEAS; Ms Hannah Elford, UNHCR; Ms Emily E. Arnold-Fernández, Asylum Access; Dr Aref Fakhry, World Maritime University; Mr Matthew Fader, Swedish Search and Rescue Society; Mr Hayat Akbari, boniği; Ms Eve Lester, boniği; Ms Zoi Sakellidou, UNODC; Mr Matthew Scott, Raoul Wallenberg Institute

of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law; Mr Alexander Oturu, National Commission for Refugees Migrants and Internally Displaced Persons; Mr Abdulwahid Jamal, Médecins Sans Frontières; Ms Ghada Abdullah, Mentorship and capacity-building Consultant; Ms Marie Eychenne, UNHCR; Mr Osama Salem, international expert in humanitarian aid, refugee protection and refugee participation; Ms Jacqueline Strecker, UNHCR.

The online course was directed by Mr Claudio J. Delfabro D., Director of the Department and coordinated by Ms Menna Roshdy, Associate Coordinator, with the support of Ms Yasamin Yousif Yacoub, Online Learning Assistant at the Department.

33rd Online Course on International Refugee Law

6th February – 7th March 2024



A total number of 26 participants, representing ten countries in the Middle East and North Africa, attended the first Refugee Law course delivered in Arabic by the Department in 2024. The course was organized in cooperation with the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, the Swiss State Secretariat for Migration and the United States Government (Department of State, Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration).

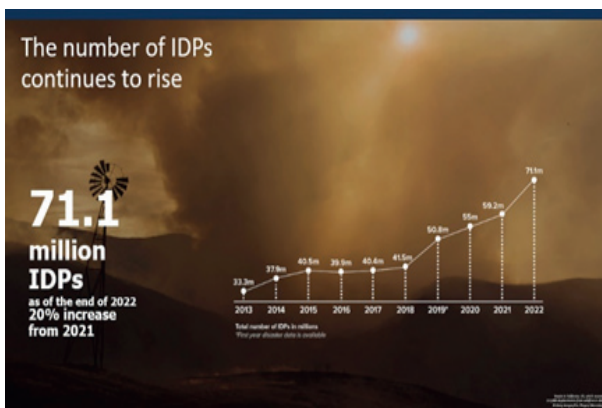
The online course was designed particularly to meet the learning needs and strengthen the protection capacities of government officials involved in the formulation and implementation of legislation and policies affecting persons in need of protection in the MENA region. Over the four weeks, key themes of international refugee law were analyzed through an examination of legal frameworks, the different phases of the displacement cycle, practical case studies, and interactive simulation exercises. Crucial topics such as refugee status determination, statelessness and refugee protection, the legal and operational considerations around protection at sea, alternatives to detention, and trafficking and smuggling were investigated, resulting in vibrant discussions and exchanges among the attendees.

The profiles of the training cohort consisted of government officials, including representatives of ministerial bodies in social development, justice and interior, members of international

and local non-governmental organizations, and academia. Ms Dalila Zenati, Head of the Capacity Development Unit of the Department, opened the online course and also delivered the institutional remarks on behalf of the Institute. Mr Samer Haddadin, UNHCR Yemen representative, addressed the audience with the Keynote Speech. The training was enriched by the high-level profiles featured in the pool of guest speakers and facilitators, namely: Ms Dalila Zenati, IIHL; Ms Malak El Hassan, UNHCR Lebanon; Mr George Fahmy, OHCHR; Mr Alexander Oturu, National Commission for Refugees, Migrants and Internally Displaced Persons; Dr Salma Agnaou, UNHCR Morocco; Dr Aref Fakhry, World Maritime University; Mr Hayat Akbari, boniği; Ms Eve Lester, boniği; Mr Mustafa Znaidi, Moroccan Organization for Human Rights; Mr Osama Salem, International expert in humanitarian aid, refugee protection and refugee participation; Ms Lobna Abdel Hadi, International expert on refugee and IDP protection; Ms Ameera Azzam, UNHCR MENA.

The online course was directed by Mr Claudio J. Delfabro D., Director of the Department and coordinated by Mr Achraf El Hila, Associate Coordinator, with the support of Ms Cyrine Hammemi, Online Learning Assistant of the Department.

14th Online Course on Internal Displacement 19th February – 15th March 2024



Delivered in English, the 14th Online Course on Internal Displacement was co-organized in cooperation with the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, the United States Government (Department of State, Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration), in close collaboration with the mandate of the United Nations Special Rapporteur on the human rights of internally displaced persons.

The online course welcomed 46 participants from 23 countries, who were given the opportunity to explore key aspects of the protection of internally displaced persons (IDPs) through the analysis of the Guiding Principles on Internal Displacement. The course examined the causes and consequences of internal displacement with a particular focus on conflict- and disaster-induced displacement. The sessions addressed the protection risks faced by individuals throughout the displacement cycle, as well as

other cross-cutting issues affecting IDPs' rights, such as housing, land and property, and access to documentation. Moreover, a series of practical tools for data collection and the development of law and policies on internal displacement was presented. The workshop ultimately addressed the search for and implementation of durable and sustainable solutions for IDPs in line with the work of the United Nations Secretary-General's Action Agenda on Internal Displacement.

The programme targeted included government officials, human rights and military Officers, scholars, representatives of international and local non-profit organizations, legal aid clinics, as well as staff of UNHCR and other relevant international organizations. The course was opened by Mr Claudio J. Delfabro D., Director of the Department, who also delivered the institutional remarks, followed by the Keynote Address, delivered by Ms Paula Gaviria Betancur, United Nations Special Rapporteur on the human rights of internally displaced persons and Mr Vicente Anzellini, Global and Regional Analysis Manager at the Internal Displacement Monitoring Centre.

Participants benefitted from and engaged with the following lecturers and facilitators: Mr Matthew Scott, Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law; Mr Alexander Oturu, National Commission for Refugees Migrants and Internally Displaced Persons; Mr Atle Solberg, Platform on Disaster Displacement; Colonel Mark Dakers, (former) IIHL; Mr Phil Orchard, University of Wollongong; Ms Elodie Lemal, UNHCR Lebanon; Ms Rose, internally displaced person from Cameroon; Mr Jim Robinson, Global Housing, Land and Property Area of Responsibility; Mr Andrés Lizcano Rodriguez, Joint Internal Displacement Profiling Service (JIPS); Ms Clara de Haro Arbona, IIHL; Ms Martina Caterina, UNHCR; Ms Greta Zeender, Office of the United Nations Special Adviser on Solutions to Internal Displacement; Ms Margarita Lundkvist-Houndoumadi, Joint Internal Displacement Profiling Service (JIPS).

The online course was directed by Mr Claudio J. Delfabro D., Director of the Department and coordinated by Ms Clara de Haro Arbona, Coordinator, along with the support of Ms Ludovica Montaldi, Online Learning Assistant and Ms Louanna Herrera Salino, Junior Collaborator of the Department.

15th Online Course on International Migration Law 26th February – 22nd March 2024



A cohort of 39 participants from 17 countries attended the 15th Online Course on International Migration Law, delivered in French and organized in cooperation with the International Organization for Migration, the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, and the Swiss State Secretariat for Migration.

Focused on migration issues contextualized for West and Central Africa, where the majority of participants reside and work, the course explored the main obligations and responsibilities of States, as well as current trends, risks and causes of migration. The course examined the international legal framework and regional instruments and gave special consideration to the Global Compact for Migration. Through the diverse sessions, participants gained a comprehensive understanding of specific protection challenges and solutions related to migration, including considerations on working migrants, trafficking and smuggling of migrants, detention and alternatives to detention, and integration, return and reintegration of migrants.

Among the cohort were officials from ministerial bodies and the judiciary at the government level, diplomats, staff of local and international non-profit organizations as well as representatives of Permanent Missions to the UN Office in Geneva and the National Red Cross. Ms Dalila Zenati, Head of the Capacity Development Unit of the Department, opened the online course and also delivered the institutional remarks on behalf of the Institute, while Ms Paola Pace, Deputy Head of Mission a.i., IOM Nigeria, addressed the remarks on behalf of IOM. The Keynote Speech was made by Ms Maya Sahli Fadel, African Union Special Rapporteur on Refugees, Asylum Seekers, Migrants and Internally Displaced Persons, African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights.

The course featured high-level profiles of guest speakers and facilitators, namely: Dr Namira Negm, African Migration Observatory; Ms Maria Eulalia Figueras Civit, IOM; Dr Gianna Sánchez, IOM; Ms Céline Lemmel, IOM; Ms Hélène Raspail, University of Le Mans; Mr Hayat Akbari, boniği; Ms Eve Lester, boniği; Dr Isidore Ngueuleu, World Organization Against Torture; Ms Noëlle Darbellay, IOM; Ms Iliana Yazmin Flores, IOM; Ms Joanne Irvine, IOM; Mr Mohammed Charef, UN Committee on the Rights of Workers; Mr Stéphane Jaquemet, International Catholic Migration Commission; Ms Dalila Zenati, IIHL.

The online course was directed by Ms Dalila Zenati, Head of the Capacity Development Unit in IIH, and coordinated by Ms Muriel Sognigbé-Sangbana, Associate Coordinator, with the support of Ms Yasamin Yousif Yacoub, Online Learning Assistant of the Department.

Mission to Morocco: exploring collaboration opportunities in Morocco with diverse Organizations

Morocco, 26th – 28th February 2024

Between 26th and 28th February, Ms Dalila Zenati,

Head of the Capacity Development Unit of the Department, conducted an exploratory mission to Morocco, aiming to identify capacity development needs and potential collaboration with various stakeholders at national and African levels.



Ms Zenati engaged with key actors of protection and migration management, including UNHCR, the UN Refugee Agency, the African Migration Observatory (AMO), Ministries, the National Council for Human Rights (CNDH) and the Moroccan Organization of Human Rights (OMDH). The mission included meetings with key figures such as Mr Reybet-Degat François, Representative of UNHCR Morocco, Her Excellence Amb. Namira Negm (Dr), Director of the African Migration Observatory, and Mr. Khalid Ramli, Director of Cooperation and International Relations at the National Council for Human Rights (CNDH).

Participation in ICVA's 2024 Annual Conference *Geneva, 21st March 2024*



On 21st March, the 2024 ICVA Annual Conference was attended by the Refugee Department's team, led by Ms Martina Ranieli, Head of Institutional Engagement, and Ms Fiorella Spizzuoco, Outreach Assistant, to explore strategies for enhancing trust within and between humanitarian actors, enabling them to navigate competing priorities and mandates while upholding humanitarian principles. Discussions revolved around the effectiveness of 'boundary setting' in addressing challenges stemming from developmental or political failures, and improving the credibility of the humanitarian system. Additionally, the conference sought to foster dialogue on advancing system-wide commitments to authentic inclusion

and participation of affected individuals and local actors.

The Department continually aims to explore ways to uphold humanitarian principles, forge new synergies and advance traditional partnerships.

Collaboration with The Egyptian Museum

Turin, 11th March 2024



In early 2024, the Special Projects Department of the Sanremo Institute launched the initial phases of the UNESCO-funded project aimed at developing a Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) on "Cultural Property Protection".

Within this initiative, the Department established a new partnership with the Egyptian Museum of Turin (Italy), renowned not only as one of Italy's most important museums but also recognized as the world's second-largest Egyptological collection, following Cairo. In close collaboration with the Museum's personnel and following a validation process conducted in conjunction with UNESCO, the Institute coordinated a full professional shooting day on 11th March to produce the first in a series of 10 video tutorials, addressing the theme of "Safeguarding Cultural Heritage in the Event of Armed Conflict: Preparedness and Emergency Measures."

In addition to advocating for the importance of implementing readiness measures to protect various forms of movable and immovable cultural assets during armed conflicts and emergencies, the MOOC will encompass a range of topics, including the significance and historical context of cultural property protection, its definition and identification processes, the pertinent legal frameworks, engagement strategies involving various actors such as military and civilian personnel, non-state entities, media representatives, and humanitarian practitioners, as well as the integration of new technologies in cultural heritage preservation efforts.

Liceal Transnational Project Meeting in Turkey

Istanbul 21st - 22nd March 2024

The LICEAL partners gathered in Istanbul on 21st and 22nd March for the 4th Transnational Meeting of the project. The meeting served to further implement the project activities, especially for the production of the document: "Empowering Adults: Life, Career Path, and Active Citizen -



Practice-Oriented Guidance for Educators" and of the document "Support Toolkit for Integrated (Citizenship and Employability) Learning", which will be publicly available in the next months. The meeting also served to lay the foundations for the policy labs sessions, which will take place in Italy, France, Turkey, Spain and Austria at the end of 2024.

Policy Workshops - Arguing at School (LaS)

Milan, 27th January 2024

On Saturday 27th January, the second Italian Policy Lab was held in Milan, welcoming a group of teachers, school leaders, educators and journalists. During the Policy Labs, the group discussed the activities planned and promoted following the first Policy Lab and agreed on the next steps to undertake before the last Policy Lab.

Perfect: European School-Based Cultural Production Festival

Sanremo, 29th February 2024



The European School-based Cultural Production Festival achieved remarkable success on Thursday 29th February 2024. The multicultural and youth-centred event took place in Sanremo at the Cinema Teatro Centrale Tabarin from 3.00 pm to 6.30 pm. The multiplier event was organized by the International Institute of Humanitarian Law (Sanremo, Italy) in the framework of the ERASMUS+ project PERFECT - "PERForming and Sharing of Local Histories PROJECT". The project (2021 - 2024) represents a unique opportunity for the students of the schools involved and for local communities to explore and share their own stories and cultural heritage. The main objective of the

project is the promotion of an innovative approach to multiculturalism in the context of secondary education, pursued by proposing an approach based on collaborative, cultural production and intercultural exchange among young people. The final goal is, therefore, the development of key transversal skills such as awareness and interculturality, active citizenship, multilingualism, digital skills, entrepreneurship and sociality. During the initiative, the five European schools partner of the project, coming from four European countries (Austria, Malta, Romania, Italy), staged original artistic performances including theatrical, dance and musical performances. The creation of these cultural products included several phases of research in the fields of history, literature, history of art, music, performing arts and digital skills, all conducted by students in their respective countries.

LAS - Lyon Tpm

Lyon, 12th - 13th March 2024



The Litigare a Scuola partnership gathered in Lyon on 12th-13th March for the 5th Transnational Project Meeting of the project. During the meeting, partners discussed the finalization of the Guidelines for a Whole School Approach to Pupils Quarrelling and the next steps of the Policy Labs, which will take place in Italy, Romania, Croatia and Malta. Partners who had already conducted the policy labs updated the others on their development.

Throughout the meeting, the final preparation of the Multiplier Event, which took place the day after the TPM, was also discussed.

LAS - Lyon Multiplier Event

Venissieux, 13th March 2024



On 13th March, the Multiplier Event "Children Acting for Wellbeing in an Open School" took place in Venissieux, France. During the Multiplier Event, several speakers from Romania, Croatia, Slovenia, France and Malta took the floor to share their experiences on conflict transformation in educational contexts. The ME also included a World Café Session which included tables: "1) how to open collaboration between schools and parents? 2) how to open the school to the city and bring back the city into school?". The session allowed for new insights and inputs for the project and for its future developments.

Course On "Law Applicable in scenarios of Armed Conflict and other situations of violence" - ENAJUM

Online and in Brasilia (Brazil), 19th February - 20th March 2024



The first phase of the course began on 19th February for three weeks and took place entirely virtually. The second phase lasted eight days and took place in person at ENAJUM's headquarters (Brasilia).

Aimed at judges, members of the Public Prosecutor's Office, lawyers, civil servants and military personnel, the main objective of the course was to provide professional qualification in this specific field of law to 40 participants.

The partnership between ENAJUM and IHL aims not only to provide training, but also to improve the jurisdictional practice of Military Justice in times of armed conflict. The course encourages collaboration between judicial schools and national and international institutions, promoting a multidisciplinary and practical approach to the teaching of Military Law and International Humanitarian Law.

"Women and Security: Better Police = + Urban Security - Violence Against Women"

This publication has been produced in the framework of the Project "Women and Security: Better Police = + Urban Security - Violence against Women", developed by the Department of Special Projects and Initiatives for Latin America, with the financial support of the Direzione Generale per gli Affari Politici e di Sicurezza of the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, together with the collaboration of Global Thought Mx.

Its general objective was to prevent violence against women by strengthening the "community policing" capacities of local security institutions and to promote the participation of women in decision-making processes related to citizen security, with a view to obtaining conclusions that can be exported to other scenarios.



This publication describes the activities carried out with women's groups in Los Castillos Polygon (Municipality of León, State of Guanajuato, United Mexican States), as well as with members of the local police force, the experiences gathered and the results obtained in both cases.

It also includes a "Guide for Women's Access to the Security and Justice System" and a "Guide for the Use and Application of the Municipal Police Protocol for the Care and Protection of Women Victims of Gender Violence".

Both "Guides" are accompanied by graphic designs and specially produced videos to aid their understanding and dissemination. The publications and videos can be consulted on the IHL website.