

## Selected Presentations

### Prof. Dr. Erika de Wet, LL.M. (Harvard)

- **Chairperson:** ‘NATO, CSTO and the United Nations: The Uneasy Overlap of Regional and Universal Collective Security Organizations’, panel during the *Fourth Research Forum of the European Society of International Law*, 26-28 May 2011 (Tallin).
- **Lecture:** *Regional Courts as a Substitute for the Domestic Rule of Law: the Campbell Case before the SADC Tribunal*, organised by the Institute of European and Comparative Law, Oxford University, 23 May 2011 (Oxford)
- **Chairperson:** ‘Domestic Courts as Agents of Legal Development – the Law of State Responsibility’, expert panel during the Third ILDC Colloquium on *Domestic Courts as Agents of Legal Development*, organised by the Amsterdam Center for International Law and the University of Glasgow School of Law 19-20 May 2011 (Glasgow)
- **Presentation:** ‘Norm Conflicts and Hierarchy in Public International Law: The Place of Human Rights’, presentation during a workshop on *Changing Subjects: Rights, Remedies and Responsibilities of Individuals under Global Legal Pluralism*, organised by the Robert Schumann Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, 7 May 2011 (Florence)
- **Presentation:** ‘Paradigmen in der internationalen Praxis: Normenhierarchie versus systemische Integration’, presentation during the 32nd meeting of the German Society of International Law on *Paradigmen im internationalen Recht*, 31 March – 2 April 2011 (Cologne).
- **Lectures:** *Internationales Wirtschaftsrecht und Menschenrechte*, block seminar organised by the Faculty of Law of the University of Bonn, 21-23/ 28-30 October 2010 (Bonn).
- **Panellist:** *Die Umsetzung völkerstrafrechtlicher Verbrechen in die österreichische Rechtsordnung*, expert workshop organised by the Faculty of Law of the University of Salzburg, 23-24 September 2010 (Salzburg).
- **Presentation:** ‘The Relevance of the Use of International Law before Domestic Courts’, presentation during the workshop *International Law and Human Rights Litigation in Southern Africa*, organised by the Centre of Human Rights of the University of Pretoria, 17 September 2010 (Pretoria).
- **Panellist:** *Expert Group Meeting on Article 16 of the Rome Statute*, organised by the Institute for Security Studies, 18-19 June 2010 (Addis Ababa).
- **Chairperson:** ‘Current Challenges for Freedom of Expression and the New General

Comment on Article 19, ICCPR”, expert panel during the conference on *The United Nations and Freedom of Expression and Information: Critical Perspectives*, organised by the Universities of Amsterdam and Essex, 23 April 2010 (Amsterdam).

- **Panellist:** “Africa and International Justice: Participant or Target?”, expert panel during the South/ North Dialogue on *The Al Basheer Arrest Warrant: The World vs Africa or the African Union vs the People of Africa?*, organised by Africa Legal Aid, 26 April 2010 (The Hague).
- **Moderator:** “Transnational Legal Dialogue, a Human Rights-Based Hierarchy and the Creation of Norms”, expert panel during the 104th ASIL meeting on *International Law in a Time of Change*, 26 March 2010 (Washington, DC).
- **Lecture(s):** “Use of Force”; “International Law in Domestic Courts”, expert lectures during the *Good Governance Programme*, organised by the Center for Human Rights of the University of Pretoria, 29 January 2010 (Pretoria).
- **Presentation:** “Judicial Review of International Organizations”, expert workshop on *The Responsibility of International Organizations*, organised by the ASIL Interest Group on International Organizations, 30 October 2009 (New York).
- **Presentation:** “Distilling “Principles of Judicial Protection from Judicial and Quasi Judicial Decisions”, expert workshop on *Due Process Aspects in the Implementation of Targeted United Nations Security Council Sanctions*, organised by the Fourth Freedom Forum and Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies at the University of Notre Dame, 30 October 2009 (New York).
- **Presentation:** “The relationship between Article 53 of the UN Charter and Article 4(h) of the AU Constitutive Act”, *Second Annual South African International Law Seminar*, organised by the South African Institute for Advanced Constitutional, Public, Human Rights and International Law (SAIFAC), 25 August 2009 (Johannesburg).
- **Lecture series:** “Human Rights Considerations in the Enforcement of Security Council Sanctions in the EU Legal Order”, seminar during the *20th Session of the Academy of European Law*, 15.-26. Juni 2009 (Florence).
- **Lecture(s):** “Use of Force”; “International Law in Domestic Courts”, expert lectures during the *Good Governance Programme*, organised by the Center for Human Rights of the University of Pretoria, 25 January 2009 (Pretoria).
- **Presentation:** "The Role of Domestic Courts in Balancing Human Rights with International Peace and Security: the Kadi Case", international conference on *Transnational Public Interest Litigation in Domestic Courts*, organised by the Department of Law of the University of Cyprus, 31 October 2008 (Nicosia).
- **Lecture:** "Holding the UN Security Council Accountable for Human Rights Violations through Domestic and Regional Courts: A Case of Be Careful What You Wish For?", expert lecture on invitation of the University of Oxford Public International Law Discussion Group, 24 April 2008 (Oxford).

- **Presentation:** “The Emergence of Hierarchy in International law and the European Union: towards Constitutionalization or Fragmentation?” international conference on *The Relationship between International Law and European Law: Old Question, New Answers?*, organised by the University of Fribourg, 18 April 2008 (Fribourg).
- **Presentation:** “Domestic Courts and Hierarchy in International Law”, *First International Law in Domestic Courts Colloquium*, organised by the University of Amsterdam, 27-28 March 2008 (The Hague).
- **Presentation:** “International Institutional Law and the Accountability of International Bureaucracies”, German-Israeli Minerva School on *Global Public Policy and International Institutional Law*, organised by the University of Tel Aviv, 10-11 March 2008 (Tel Aviv).
- **Presentation:** “The Reception Process in The Netherlands and Belgium”, international expert seminar on *The Reception of the European Convention of Human Rights in the Member States*, organised by Columbia University School of Law, 26-27 October 2007 (New York).
- **Presentation:** “Holding International Bureaucracies Accountable: the Complementary Mechanisms of Non-Judicial Oversight and Judicial Review”, collaborative seminar II on *The Law of International Bureaucracies*, organised by the Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public Law and International Law, 9-10 October 2007 (Heidelberg).
- **Presentation:** “Holding the UN Security Council Accountable for Human Rights Violations: A Role for Domestic and Regional Courts?”, international workshop on *Connecting the Public with the International: the Law's Potential*, organised by the Australian National University College of Law, 2-4 July 2007 (Canberra).
- **Presentation:** “The Emergence of International and Regional Value Systems as Manifestations of the Emerging International Constitutional Order”, international conference on *Restoring the Rule of Law in International Affairs*, organised by the Australian and New Zealand Society of International Law, 28-30 June 2007 (Canberra).
- **Lecture:** “The Emerging International Constitutional Order”, expert lecture on invitation of the Faculty of Law of the University of Ljubljana, 1 June 2007 (Ljubljana).
- **Presentation:** “Governance through Promotion and Persuasion: The 1998 ILO Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work”, collaborative seminar I on *The Law of International Bureaucracies*, organised by the Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public Law and International Law, 25-26 April 2007 (Heidelberg).
- **Presentation:** “Die Bindung des UN-Sicherheitsrats an das zwingende Völkerrecht”, graduate conference (DFG-Graduiertenkolleg) on *Verfassung jenseits des Staates: von*

*der europäischen zur globalen Rechtsgemeinschaft?*, organised by the Humboldt University, 8 December 2006 (Berlin).

- **Lecture:** “Zur Zukunft der Völkerrechtswissenschaft in Deutschland”, expert lecture on invitation of the Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public Law and International Law, 15 November 2006 (Heidelberg).
- **Presentation:** “The Netherlands and the European Convention on Human Rights (ECHR)”, international workshop on *The Reception of the ECHR in Europe*, organised by the University of Zurich, 26-27 October 2006 (Zurich).
- **Presentation:** “The Legitimacy of the Security Council in its Fight against Terrorism and the Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction”, symposium on *Legitimacy in International Law*, organised by the Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public Law and International Law, 13-14 June 2006 (Heidelberg).
- **Presentation:** “International Constitutional Law: Do we Need it?”, expert presentation at biannual conference of the European Society of International Law, 19-21 May 2006 (Paris).
- **Lecture:** “The Security Council and the Adoption of Quasi-Judicial Decisions: The consequences of the Kadi case”, expert lecture on invitation of the Faculty of Law, University of Bergen, 24 March 2006 (Bergen).
- **Lecture:** “The Prohibition of Torture as an International Norm of Jus Cogens and its Implications for National and Customary Law”, expert lecture on invitation of the International Law Association, Norwegian Branch, 24 January 2006 (Oslo).
- **Lecture:** “The Security Council and the Adoption of Quasi-Judicial Decisions: Implications for Due Process”, expert lecture on invitation of the Faculty of Law, University of Oslo, 24 January 2006 (Oslo).
- **Lecture:** “The Emerging International Constitutional Order”, expert lecture on invitation of the International Law Association, British Branch, 2 December 2005 (Nottingham).
- **Presentation:** “Sozialstandards nach der Inter-Amerikanischen Konvention der Menschenrechte und –Pflichten und der Afrikanischen Charta der Menschenrechte und Rechte der Völker”, international workshop on *Implementierung internationaler Sozialstandards und –Rechte (IISR) - Bestandsaufnahme und Weiterentwicklung*, organised by the Max Planck Institute for Comparative and International Social Law, 28-29 October 2005 (Munich).
- **Presentation:** “The Beginning and End of Occupation”, *Sixth Bruges Colloquium: Current Challenges to the Law of Occupation*, organised by the College of Europe, 20 October 2005 (Bruges).
- **Chairperson:** “The Expanding Powers of the Security Council”, Panel Convenor and Chairperson at 7<sup>th</sup> *Hague Joint Conference on Contemporary Issues of International Law*, organised by the American Society of International Law and the Netherlands

Society of International Law, 30 June – 2 July 2005 (The Hague).

- **Inaugural Lecture:** “The International Constitutional Order”, inauguration as Professor of International Constitutional Law at the Faculty of Law, University of Amsterdam, 25 February 2005 (Amsterdam).
- **Presentation:** “The (Potential) Meaning of the Principle of Institutional Balance for the United Nations”, international conference on *New Foundations for European and Global Governance. The Achievements of Europe’s Constitutionalization*, organised by the Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration, 29-30 November 2004 (Vienna).
- **Lecture:** “The Forgotten Prisoners: The Legal Position of the Guantanamo Detainees under International Humanitarian and Human Rights Law”, *Swanepoel Expert Lecture Series* of the North-West University, South Africa, 18 August 2004 (Potchefstroom).
- **Presentation:** “Customary Law: Are Rumours of its Death Exaggerated?”, inaugural conference of the European Society of International Law, 13-15 May 2004 (Florence).
- **Inaugural Lecture:** “Die Konstitutionalisierung des Völkerrechts”, inauguration as *Privatdozentin* at the Faculty of Law, University of Zurich, 26 January 2004 (Zurich).
- **Presentation:** “Hierarchy in International Law”, international workshop on *The Future of International Constitutional Law*, organised by the University of Amsterdam, 28 November 2003 (Amsterdam).
- **Presentation:** “Lawmaking through the Security Council”, international conference on *The Development of International Law: Alternatives to Treaty Making*, organised by the Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public Law and International Law, 14-15 November 2003 (Heidelberg).
- **Lecture:** “Die Resolutionen des Sicherheitsrates zum Irak und die Anwendung militärischer Gewalt”, bilingual international conference on *Reflections on the Iraq War, Institute for International Law of Peace and Armed Conflict*, organised by the University of Bochum, 27 June 2003 (The Hague).
- **Presentation:** “The Reception of Public International Law by the South African Constitutional Court: a Commentary to Judge Albie Sachs”, international seminar lead by Albie Sachs, Justice of the Constitutional Court of South Africa, on *The Reception of Public International Law in the South African Legal Order*, organised by the University of Amsterdam, 7 March 2003 (Amsterdam).
- **Presentation:** “Review of Security Council Resolutions by Member States: a Principled Approach”, international workshop on *Judicial Review of the Security Council by Member States after 11 September 2001*, organised by the University of Amsterdam, 11 October 2002 (Amsterdam).