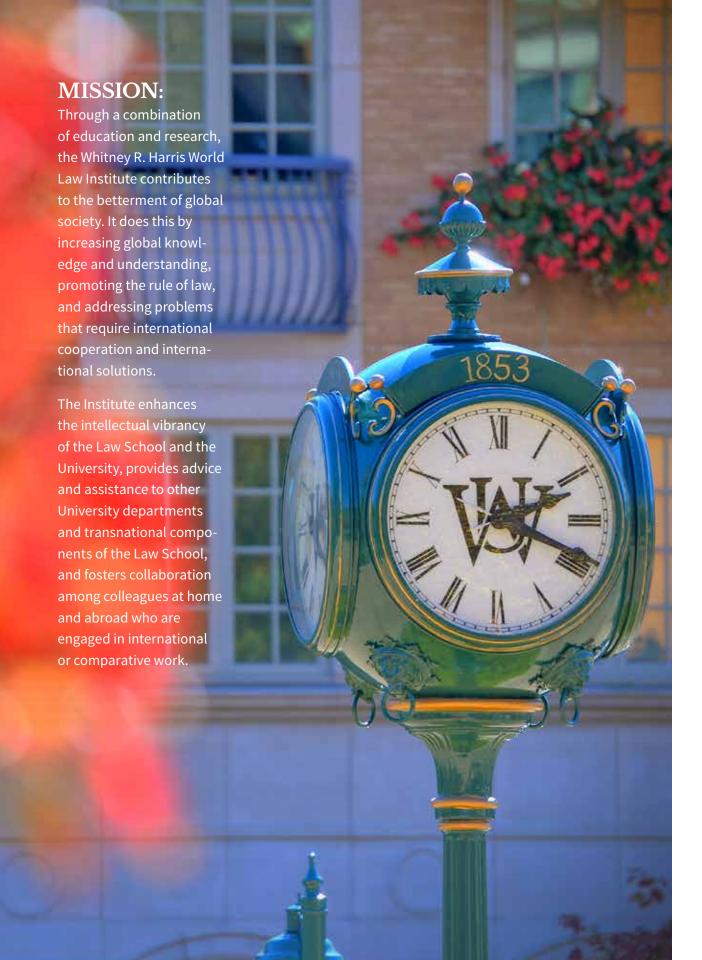


# Whitney R. Harris World Law Institute

Report of Activities | 2017-2020

# **International Programs**





# Whitney R. Harris World Law Institute Washington University School of Law

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20th Anniversary Overview

The Whitney R. Harris World Law Institute at Washington University School of Law was established in 2000 as the Institute for Global Legal Studies. It was renamed in 2002 in honor and recognition of Whitney R. Harris's lifelong achievements in the field of international justice. Over its 20 year history, the Harris Institute has sponsored more than 125 lectures and held or co-sponsored more than 70 conferences, workshops, and experts' meetings. Its work has led to the publication of 7 books, 18 law review volumes, 1 documentary film, and the world's first crimes against humanity treaty.

## **Special Moments**



Stephen Legomsky, Founding Director (2000-2004) at the panel on "Immigration and Family Reunification in Europe, Israel, and the United States" (2012)



John Haley, Former Director (2004-2007), at the Law in Japan Symposium (2008)



Harris Institute Director Leila Sadat at the Brookings Institution meeting of the Crimes Against Humanity Initiative (2010)



Noleen Goldstone, Justice Richard Goldstone, Whitney Harris, and Anna Harris (2008)



Crimes Against Humanity Initiative St. Louis Experts' Meeting (2009)



Former Nuremberg Prosecutor Benjamin Ferencz

66 Leila Sadat has certainly done an excellent job in overseeing the Harris Institute's operations and its many successes in bringing people together to promote the advancement of international law and a more humane world for all. Never give up, never give up, and never give up!

- Benjamin B. Ferencz, former Nuremberg Prosecutor



ACLU National Security Project Director Hina Shamsi (2016)



Anna Harris and Theresa Galakatos at the International Humanitarian Law Dialogs (2017)



**Special Moments** 

World Peace Through Law Award Recipient Sir Christopher Greenwood (2013)

Special Moments (continued)

Special Moments

66 It must be very satisfying to know that Whitney's remarkable life's work in service of humanity will truly go on for decades to come as the scholars and prosecutors he has so deeply inspired (myself certainly included!) continue to fight for peace through law, and that it will go on forever via the extraordinary institute that bears his name.

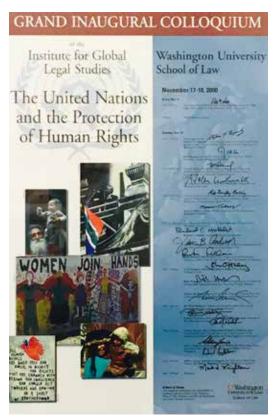
- Eli Rosenbaum, former Director, U.S. DOJ Office of Special Investigations



Former Nuremberg prosecutors Henry King, Benjamin Ferencz, and Whitney R. Harris at the three-day Judgment at Nuremberg Conference (2006)



Participants at the opening ceremony for the new Institute for Global Legal Studies in conjunction with The United Nations and the Protection of Human Rights Conference (2000)





Judge Hisashi Owada delivers the keynote address at the Law in Japan Symposium (2008)



Judge Hans-Peter Kaul at the ICC at 10 Conference (2012)



Karen Tokarz with Gautam Yadama (2015)

Special Moments (continued)

Special Moments



Harris Institute benefactors and leaders cut the ribbon at the rededication of the Whitney R. Harris World Law Institute. From left: Justice Richard Goldstone, Dean Kent Syverud, Anna and Whitney Harris, Michael Peil, Leila Sadat, Stephen Legomsky, and John Haley (2008)



International Criminal Court Prosecutor Fatou Bensouda receives the World Peace Through Law Award (2011)



Brian Tamanaha installed as the John S. Lehmann University Professor (2018)



Carlos Moore and Ronald Hall at the Global Perspectives on Colorism Conference (2015)



Chancellor Emeritus Mark S. Wrighton (left) looks on as Grand Marshall John N. Drobak awards Michael R. Bloomberg his honorary doctor of laws degree (2019)



Prince Zeid Ra'ad Zeid Al Hussein with Mrs. Treiman, Whitney Harris, and Leila Sadat (2004)



Kim Norwood at the Global Perspectives on Colorism Conference (2015)



M. Cherif Bassiouni and Ambassador Hussein A. Hassouna at the Crimes Against Humanity Initiative Geneva Conference (2014)



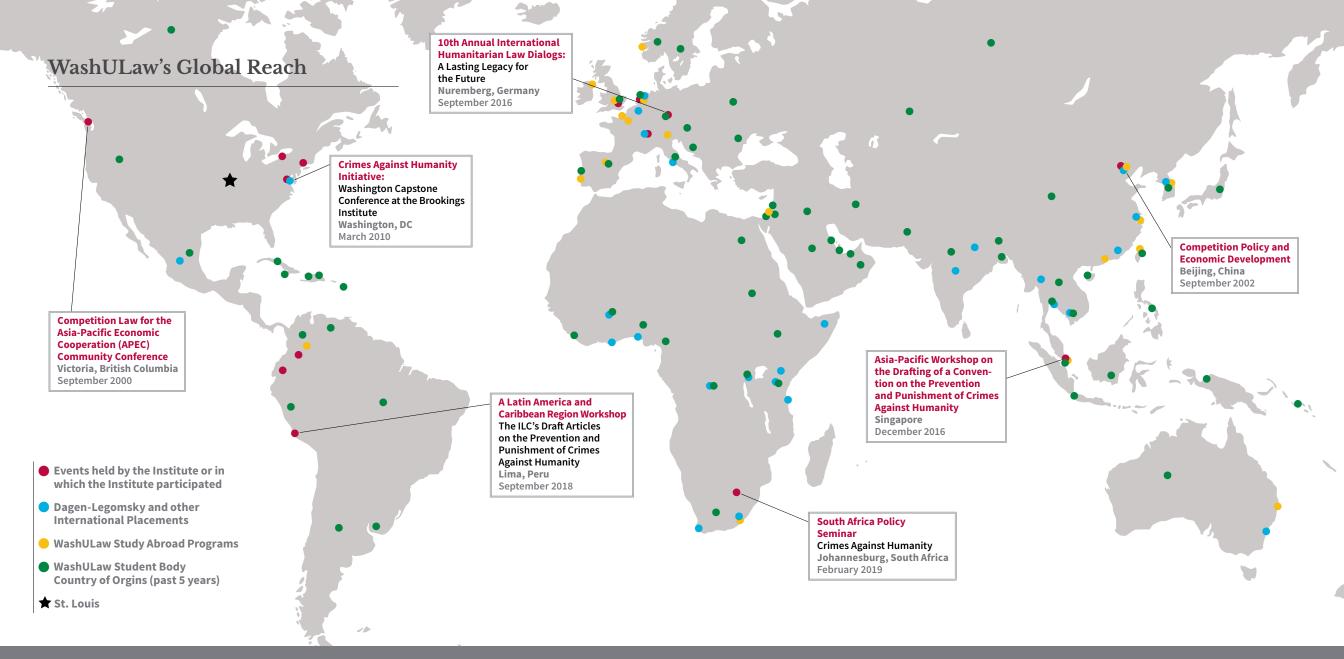
Dorsey D. Ellis, Jr. with the Transnational Law Program memorandum of understanding (2009)



David Scheffer (2014)



Melissa Waters at the Faculty International Legal Theory Colloquium (2011)



Fulfilling the Dictates of Public Conscience: Moving Forward with a Convention on Crimes Against Humanity Experts Meeting on Crimes against Humanity Geneva, Switzerland 2014

Presentation on the Crimes Against Humanity Initiative at the Universidade Católica Portuguesa Lisbon, Portugal Matrix Chambers meeting on the International Law Commission's 2017 Draft Articles on Crimes Against Humanity London, United Kingdom

Screening of Never Again: Forging a Convention on Crimes Against Humanity at JDP School of Law University of Fiji 2018 International Criminal Court Scholars Forum The Hague, The Netherlands 2018 and 2019

Inter-American Commission on Human Rights hearing on The Impact of Gun Violence in the United States Quito, Ecuador Debate: Rethinking the Kyoto Protocol: Are There Legal Solutions to Global Warming and Climate Change? St. Louis, MO, USA 2005

U.N. International Law Commission Summer Research Fellowship Geneva, Switzerland 2020 Side Events at the International Criminal Court Assembly of States Parties The Hague, The Netherlands; New York, USA 2011, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2019

International Humanitarian Law Roundtable (formerly Dialogs) Chautauqua, NY, USA 2007-2016; 2017-2019 Summer Institute for International Law & Policy in The Netherlands Utrecht, The Netherlands 2003-2013

Inter-American Commission on Human Rights hearing on Regulation of Gun Sales and Social Violence in the United States Bogota, Colombia 2019



## Leadership



I am proud to be the Dean of the Law School where the prestigious Harris Institute is housed. The ambitious research agenda and programmatic activities of the Institute, as well as the many international students it attracts to our campus, increases the intellectual vibrancy of the University and secures our place as one of the world's great global law schools.



Law Institute has become one of the world's premier centers for international legal scholarship and research. Through collaboration, innovation, and by employing an interdisciplinary approach, the Institute has been able to network with scholars and students all over the globe to make progress on some of the world's most vexing problems.

International Council International Council



Steven "Cash" Nickerson with Chancellor Emeritus Mark Wrighton at the Crimes Against Humanity Initiative Capstone Conference in Washington, D.C. (2010)

There are just a few human rights-based institutes that truly make a difference in their practical approach to seeking justice for the oppressed. The Harris Institute at Washington University in St. Louis and and its School of Law is one of those leading centers.

I have been associated with this great law school and the Harris Institute for almost 20 years. I had the honor and privilege to know and work with Whitney Harris and his family in facing down the beast of impunity. His legacy continues through the institute that carries his name and as a former international chief prosecutor I look to the Harris Institute to lead the world in ensuring that the rule of law is more powerful than the rule of the gun.

— David M. Crane (SES, Ret.), founding Chief Prosecutor, Special Court for Sierra Leone

### Mrs. Anna Harris

**Honorary Chair** 

#### Ms. Elizabeth Andersen

Executive Director, World Justice Project

#### The Honorable Louise Arbour

Special Representative of the United Nations Secretary-General for International Migration; former U.N. High Commissioner for Human Rights; former Chief Prosecutor, International Criminal Tribunals for the former Yugoslavia and for Rwanda



Judge Patrick Lipton Robinson

### Professor George A. Bermann

Jean Monnet Professor of EU Law, Walter Gellhorn Professor of Law, and Director for the Center of International Commercial and Investment Arbitration, Columbia University School of Law

### Professor Raj Bhala

Leo S. Brenneisen Distinguished Professor of Law, University of Kansas School of Law

### Professor Paul P. Craig

Emeritus Professor of English Law, University of Oxford

### The Honorable Judge Liu Daqun

Judge and former Vice-President, International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia; Judge, International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals



Raj Bhala



Elizabeth Andersen

### **Ambassador Francis Mading Deng**

Former Special Adviser of the U.N. Secretary-General on the Prevention of Genocide; former Ambassador to the United Nations, South Sudan

### Mr. David W. Detjen

Senior Counsel, Alston & Bird LLP

### **Professor Claudio Grossman**

Professor of Law, Dean Emeritus, Raymond I. Geraldson Scholar for International and Humanitarian Law, Washington College of Law at American University

### The Honorable Richard J. Goldstone

Former Justice, Constitutional Court of South Africa; former Chief Prosecutor, International Criminal Tribunals for the former Yugoslavia and for Rwanda

### The Honorable Hassan Bubacar Jallow

Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Gambia; former Chief Prosecutor, International Criminal

Tribunal for Rwanda

### Dr. Susan F. Martin

Donald G. Herzberg Professor Emerita, Edmund A. Walsh School of Foreign Service, Georgetown University; former Executive Director, U.S. Commission on Immigration Reform

### **Mr. Steven "Cash" Nickerson** Chairman, AKKA North America Business Unit

### The Honorable H.E. Hisashi Owada

Former Judge and President, International Court of Justice



### The Right Honorable Sir Geoffrey Palmer Former Prime Minister,

# New Zealand

### The Honorable Navanethem (Navi) Pillay

Former U.N. High Commissioner for Human Rights; former judge, International Criminal Court & International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda

### **Professor Asha Ramgobin**

Executive Director, Human Rights Development Initiative

### The Honorable Judge Patrick Lipton Robinson Judge, International Court of Justice

### Ms. Jennifer Schwesig

Partner, Armstrong Teasdale LLP

### Ambassador Louis B. Susman

Former U.S. Ambassador to the United Kingdom

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Joseph Strauss Professor of Law, European Union Jean Monnet Chair, and Co-Director, Jean Monnet Center for International and Regional Economic Law and Justice, New York University School of Law

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### The Honorable Jorge Arrate

Former Chilean Cabinet Minister and Ambassador to Argentina

### The Honorable Professor Rudolf Bernhardt

Former President, European Court of Human Rights

#### Ambassador Aída González Martínez

Former Chairperson, U.N. Committee for the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women

### **Professor Jung-Gun Kim**

Former Dean, Yonsei University Graduate School of Intellectual Property & Law

### The Honorable Professor Herbert H.P. Ma

Former Grand Justice, Taiwan Judicial Yuan; Professor of Law Emeritus, National Taiwan University College of Law

### **IN MEMORIAM:**

The Honorable John B. Anderson (1922-2017)

Professor M. Cherif Bassiouni (1937-2017)

Thomas M. Franck (1931-2009)

Whitney R. Harris (1912-2010)

**Anthony Lewis** (1927-2013)

The Honorable Patricia M. Wald (1928-2019)

### IN MEMORIAM: M. CHERIF BASSIOUNI

On September 25, 2017, the world lost a great soul, Professor M. Cherif Bassiouni. Cherif was an active supporter and friend of Washington University School of Law, and especially the Whitney R. Harris World Law Institute. He delivered an Assembly Series Lecture in 1999, joined the Institute's International Council in 2001, received the World Peace Through Law Award in 2010, and spearheaded the drafting of a new global treaty on crimes against humanity as part of the Institute's Crimes Against Humanity Initiative. He also gave many lectures and much good advice over the years, helping to build the fledgling Institute into the globally-recognized entity it is today. The Institute, and the School of Law, are deeply indebted to him.



M. Cherif Bassiouni

### Leila Nadya Sadat, Chair

James Carr Professor of International Criminal Law; Director, Whitney R. Harris World Law Institute

### **Elizabeth Borgwardt**

Associate Professor of History and Law (by courtesy)

#### **Kevin E. Collins**

Professor of Law; Director, Intellectual Property and **Technology Law Program** 

### **Kurt T. Dirks**

Vice Chancellor of International Affairs; Bank of America Professor of Leadership, Olin Business School

#### John N. Drobak

George Alexander Madill **Professor of Real Property** & Equity Jurisprudence; **Professor of Economics** 

### Dorsey D. Ellis, Jr.

Dean Emeritus; William R. Orthwein Distinguished Professor of Law Emeritus

### Lee Epstein

Ethan A.H. Shepley **Distinguished University** Professor

### **Andrea Katz**

Associate Professor of Law

### Michael Koby

Associate Dean for International and Graduate Programs

### David Konig

Professor of Practice, Associate Dean for International and **Graduate Program** 

### Katie Herbert Meyer

Assistant Professor of Practice

### **Kimberly Jade Norwood**

Henry H. Oberschelp Professor of Law

### Rupa Patel

Assistant Professor of Medicine

### Vetta Sanders Thompson

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Professor of Law

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Director, Center for Human Rights, Gender and Migration

### **Peggie Smith**

Vice Dean; Charles F. Nagel Professor of Employment and Labor Law

### **Andrew Sobel**

**Director and Professor** of International and Area Studies

### **Brian Tamanaha**

John S. Lehmann University Professor

### Karen L. Tokarz

Charles Nagel Professor of Public Interest Law and Policy: Director, Negotiation & Dispute Resolution Program

### **Andrew Tuch**

Professor of Law

### **Melissa Waters**

Professor of Law









John Drobak













Adam Rosenzweig Kim Thuy Seelinger Peggie Smith





Andrew Sobel



Vetta Sanders

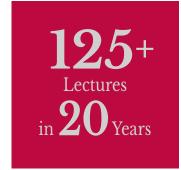
Karen Tokarz



### **Research Activities** Overview

The Harris Institute sponsors over 35 events each academic year including:

- » The Ambassador-in-Residence program
- » Assembly Series Lectures
- » Council on Foreign Relations Academic Conference Calls
- » Crimes Against Humanity Initiative activities
- » Debate Series
- » Holocaust Memorial Lectures
- » Human rights documentaries and films brought to campus by the Pulitzer Center for Crisis Reporting
- » Informal coffee and Q&A sessions with guest speakers and visiting scholars
- » The International Criminal Court Scholarship Forum
- » The International Humanitarian Law Roundtable
- » Red Cross International Humanitarian Law Workshop for Professionals
- » Language Conversation Tables
- » Midwest LGBTQ Law Conferences
- » Public Interest Law and Policy Speakers
- » St. Louis International Film Festival



Conferences, Workshops, and Symposia



Gerrit De Geest, Charles F. Nagel Professor of International and Comparative Law



Elizabeth Borgwardt, Associate Professor of History and Law (by courtesy)

**Crimes Against Humanity Initiative** 

In 2008, the Institute launched a global initiative for a new treaty on crimes against humanity, the first true effort to remedy an historic gap in the law. Following the Institute's lead, the U.N. International Law Commission (ILC) began work on drafting articles for a future convention in 2014.

In 2019, the ILC completed a second reading of "Draft Articles on the Prevention and Punishment of Crimes against Humanity" and recommended "the elaboration of a convention by the General Assembly or by an international conference of plenipotentiaries on the basis of the draft articles." The Draft Articles will be considered by the U.N. Sixth (Legal) Committee in 2020.

The Harris Institute has sponsored workshops and meetings around the world in support of the ILC's work, including at the Assembly of States Parties of the International Criminal Court in The Hague and New York City, and in France, Germany, Singapore, Peru, South Africa, Switzerland, and the United Kingdom.

### Side Event on Crimes Against Humanity During the U.N. Sixth Committee

Cosponsored by the Permanent Mission of the Federal Republic of Germany, the Republic of Sierra Leone, and the Permanent Mission of Chile to the United Nations

New York City, NY | October 29, 2019





From top left: Ki-Gab Park, Charles Jalloh, Mariana Durney, and Leila Sadat; Ambassador Hans Corell; the audience at the German Mission; and Madaline George at the U.N. Sixth Committee



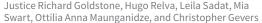


## Crimes Against Humanity Initiative (continued)

### **South Africa Policy Seminar on Crimes Against Humanity**

Johannesburg, South Africa | February 21, 2019







Constitutional Court of South Africa

# Latin America and the Caribbean Workshop on the Drafting of a Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of Crimes Against Humanity

Lima, Peru | September 27-28, 2018





## **Crimes Against Humanity Initiative**

# Asia-Pacific Workshop on the Drafting of a Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of Crimes Against Humanity

Singapore | December 12-13, 2016







Above: William A Schabas (Middlesex University London) Left: Tae-Ung Baik (William S. Richardson School of Law, University of Hawaii)

66 The Harris Institute draws on a vast pool of overseas and national expertise to promote dialogue and exchange between the students and faculty of Washington University and their counterparts around the world.

-Stephen Legomsky, founding Director

### **Gun Violence & Human Rights**

In 2017, the Institute launched the Gun Violence and Human Rights Initiative to examine the U.S. government's response to gun violence in light of U.S. obligations under international human rights law. WashULaw students and the Harris Institute Fellow are conducting in-depth research articulating mechanisms to rectify the crisis and suggesting international fora that can examine the issue.

# The U.S. Gun Violence Crisis: An Interdisciplinary & Human Rights Approach - Conference & Experts' Meeting

St. Louis, MO | November 2-3, 2018







William G. Powderly (J. William Campbell Professor of Medicine, Assoc. Dean for Clinical and Translational Sciences, & Larry J. Shapiro Director, Institute for Public Health)



David Konig, Professor of Law, Emeritus Professor of History



Poli Rijos, Gun Violence Initiative, Institute for Public Health

### **Gun Violence & Human Rights**

The Harris Institute has engaged with international human rights bodies on this crisis. In addition to taking part in hearings before the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights, the Institute has submitted stakeholder reports to the U.N. Human Rights Committee and U.N. Human Rights Council.

### Inter-American Commission on Human Rights Hearings on U.S. Gun Violence

November 12, 2019 | February 27, 2018 Quito, Ecuador | Bogota, Colombia



Madaline George testifies before the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights in 2018 alongside victims of gun violence and other civil society representatives

66 The real question is: who has the responsibility to uphold human rights?
The answer to that is: everyone.

-Madeleine Albright



Jiyeon Kim, JD '19 and Nicole Smith, JD '19, with members of civil society at the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights Hearing on the Regulation of Gun Sales and Social Violence in the United States

### International Arbitration & Dispute Resolution Symposium

The Harris Institute collaborates with the Negotiation & Dispute Resolution Program to provide a forum in which top practitioners, academics, attorneys, and students gather on an annual basis to explore sophisticated topics in, and advance the development of, international arbitration and dispute resolution; educate the next generation of lawyers; and provide networking opportunities. It brings together private practitioners, in-house and government counsel, academics, arbitration and mediation institutions, and engaged users of international arbitration and dispute resolution, particularly those from the Midwest.

### **Challenges and Controversies in International Arbitration**

March 1, 2019







David Detjen (Alston & Bird LLP)

### What Happens Before & After International Arbitration?

February 21, 2020



Mahnaz Malik (Twenty Essex)

### Other Conferences, Workshops & Roundtables

The Harris Institute has sponsored more than 75 major conferences, experts' meetings, workshops, debates, and roundtables and hosted more than 125 lectures in its 20 year history. The Institute regularly collaborates with local and global partners to bring together world-class speakers and host events on a variety of international and comparative law topics.

# Symposium: The Role of the ICTY in Understanding the War and Genocide in Bosnia-Herzegovina

October 4, 2019



Diane Orentlicher (American University, Washington College of Law; former Deputy for War Crimes Issues in the U.S. Department of State)





Dermot Groome (Senior Prosecutor, ICTY) and Elvedin Pasic (witness in the trial of Ratko Mladic)



Russ Carnahan (former U.S. Representative), Patrick McCarthy (Saint Louis University), Leila Sadat, and Benjamin Moore (Fontbonne University, Bosnia Memory Project)

### Other Conferences, Workshops & Roundtables (continued)

### **American Society of International Law Midyear Meeting**

October 26-28, 2017



Julian Arato (Brooklyn Law School)



Ambassador Louis Susman, Lucinda A. Low (Steptoe & Johnson LLP), Leila Sadat, and Sara Yang Bosco (Emerson Electric Co.)







### **COVID-19 & International Law Webinar Series**

Spring & Summer 2020

The Harris Institute hosted a series of free online webinars on COVID-19 and International Law during the spring and early summer of 2020, when the global pandemic forced in-person programming to be halted. Topics included "COVID-19 and International Law: A Snapshot," "Immigrants & Refugees during COVID-19: State Responses and Responsibilities," and "Security vs. Liberty? COVID-19 and Challenges to National Security Law."



Gian Luca Burci, former Legal Counsel, World Health Organization



Neema Singh Guliani, Senior Legislative Counsel, ACLU

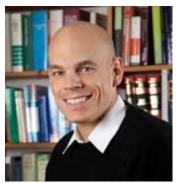


Andrew C. Weber, fmr. Ass't Sec'y of Defense for Nuclear, Chemical, and Biological Defense Programs

### Other Conferences, Workshops & Roundtables

### **Public Corporation at a Crossroads Symposium**

September 11-12, 2020 | held via Zoom



Holger Spamann (Harvard Law School)



Mariana Pargendler (NYU School of Law)



Edward Rock (NYU School of Law)



Andrew Tuch (Washington University School of Law)



Danielle D'Onfro (Washington University School of Law)



Joel Seligman (Washington University School of Law)



Brian R. Cheffins (University of Cambridge's Faculty of Law)



Deborah DeMott (Duke University)



Afra Afsharipour (UC Davis School of Law)

### Red Cross International Humanitarian Law Workshop for Professionals

April 12, 2019

# Introduction to Medicine & Global Human Rights: Annual Forensic Documentation Workshop

November 16, 2019

## Other Conferences, Workshops & Roundtables (continued)

### **International Criminal Court Scholars Forum**

The Hague, The Netherlands | St. Louis, MO June 20-22, 2019 | June 15-16, 2018 | June 1, 2017

Since 2017, the Harris Institute has jointly convened the ICC Scholars Forum in Europe, the United States, or online to provide academics who work on and teach about the International Criminal Court a space to gather and discuss some of their common challenges. The Forum is a great opportunity for scholars from the United States and Europe to connect with each other and engage with practitioners from the Court. The law faculties of Leiden University and the University of Illinois have been co-sponsors of the Forum.







## Other Conferences, Workshops & Roundtables

### International Humanitarian Law Roundtable (formerly Dialogs)

Chautauqua, NY | Nuremberg, Germany (2016)

August 25–27, 2019 | August 26-28, 2018 | August 27-29, 2017 | September 29-30, 2016



ICC Deputy Prosecutor James Stewart and ICTY Prosecutor Serge Brammertz

Judge Patricia M. Wald with WashULaw students and Tamara Slater



Global prosecutors and U.S. Attorney General Loretta Lynch gathered in historic Courtroom 600 of the Nuremberg Palace of Justice

Selected Lectures Selected Lectures

### WORLD PEACE THROUGH LAW

1. **H.E. Judge Christine Van Den Wyngaert** International Criminal Court

### WILLIAM C. JONES LECTURE SERIES

- 2. **Dr. Kirsten Sellars**Australian National University
- 3. **Professor Marie Seong-Hak Kim** St. Cloud State University
- 4. **H.E. Judge Liu Daqun** International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia





















### HARRIS INSTITUTE SPEAKER SERIES

- 5. **Professor Valerie Oosterveld** Western Law
- 6. **Mr. Hugo Relva** Amnesty International
- 7. **Professor Leslye Obiora** University of Arizona Law
- 8. **Ms. Marguerite R. Roy**Formerly of United Nations Peacekeeping
- 9. **Professor Ann Laquer Estin** University of Iowa College of Law
- 10. **Hon. Viviene Harris**Supreme Court of Jamaica

Selected Lectures (continued)

Selected Lectures



- 11. **Dr. Rifat Azam**Visiting Professor from Radzyner
  School of Law at the IDC
- 12. **Professor Margo Bagley** Emory University School of Law
- 13.**Professor Michael Newton**Vanderbilt University Law School
- 14. **Professor Goncalo Matías** Católica Global School of Law
- 15. **Mme. Christiane Taubira**Former French Minister of Justice
- 16. **Professor David J. Gerber** Chicago-Kent College of Law











66 Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much. 99

- Helen Keller

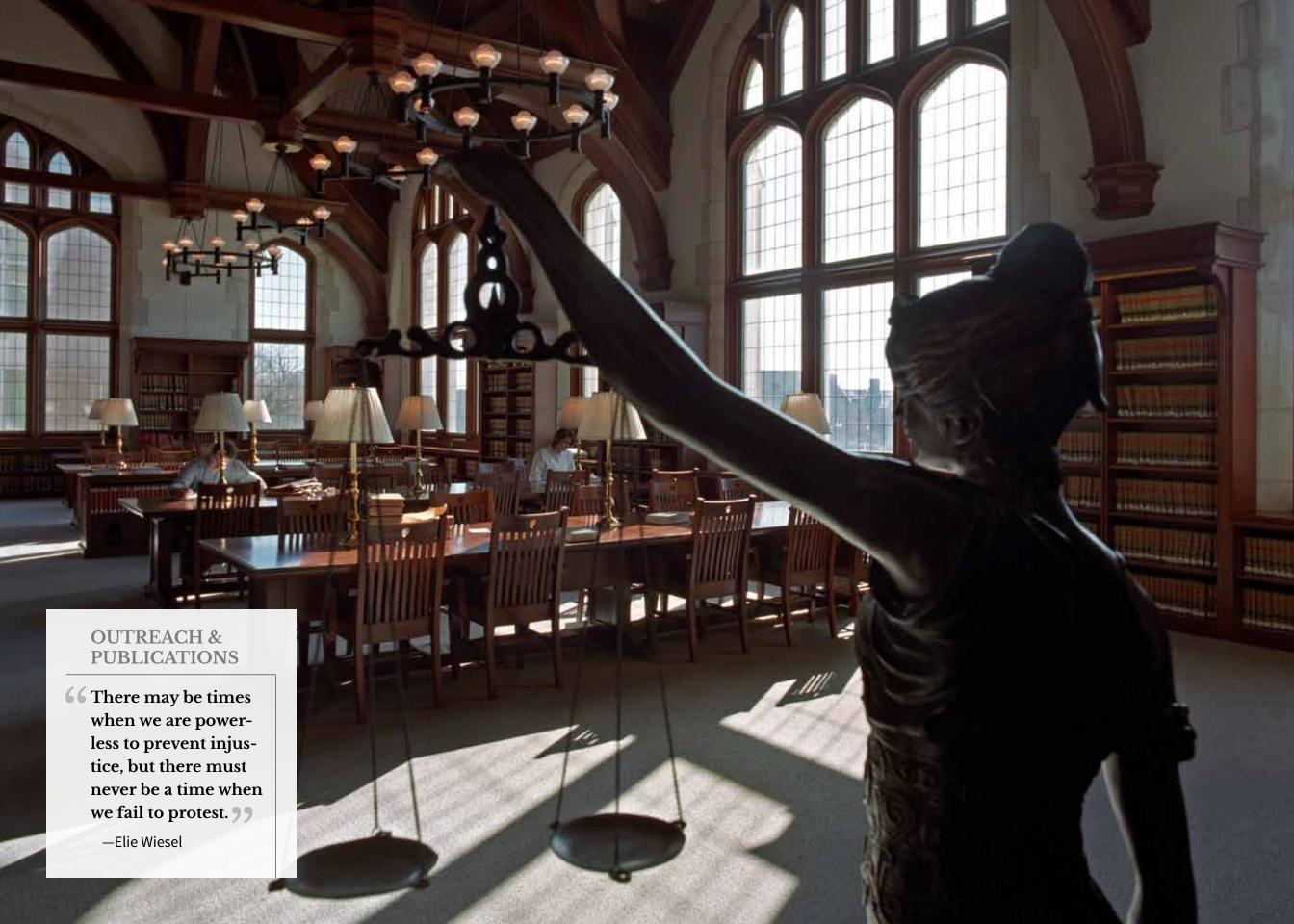






- 17. **Professor Philippe Sands QC**Matrix Chambers
- 18. **Mr. Firas Kayal**United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
- 19. **Prosecutor Brenda J. Hollis**Chief Prosecutor, Residual Special
  Court for Sierra Leone
- 20. **Ms. Sandra Schulberg**Film restoration producer for
  Nuremberg: Its Lesson for Today





The Harris Institute produces a wide range of educational materials and academic publications addressing current issues in international and comparative law. Conference proceedings are published in the Washington University Global Studies Law Review, the Washington University Journal of Law and Policy, the Washington University Law Review, or in edited volumes with academic presses. The Institute also publishes debates, occasional papers, and essays and has its own blog, Lex lata lex ferenda. The Institute released its first documentary film, Never Again: Forging a Convention for Crimes Against Humanity, in fall 2016, and the French version was released in 2019.

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Submission United Na Regional Rights I

Documentary Film

18
Law Review
Volumes

Essay Contest

7 Books

Submissions to the United Nations and Regional Human Rights Bodies

145
Blog Posts
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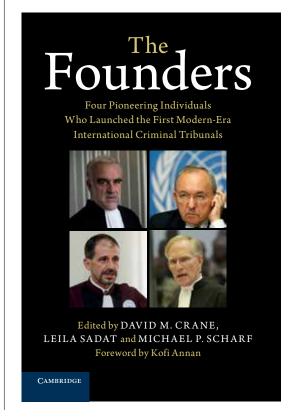
Book launch for Seeking Accountability for the Unlawful Use of Force in The Hague (2018)

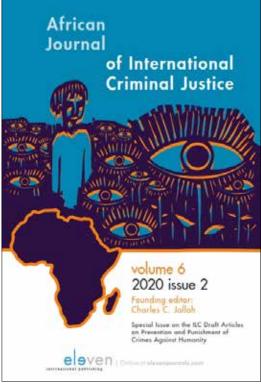
### Seeking Accountability for the Unlawful Use of Force

(Leila Nadya Sadat ed., Cambridge University Press, 2018)

# The Founders: Four Pioneering Individuals Who Launched the First Modern-Era International Criminal Tribunals

(co-edited by Leila Sadat, Cambridge University Press, 2018)





Never Again is a 45-minute documentary film exposing the commission of crimes against humanity around the world, and the need for a new global treaty to prevent and punish them. Told through the voices of the victims, interspersed with commentary from world experts, the film is a testament to the power of the human spirit and to the potential of law to bring healing and change. The film was featured in four international film festivals, and has been shown at universities, high schools, and civil society events around the world.



### **United Nations Submissions**

The Harris Institute contributes to the progressive development of international law through engagement with the work of the United Nations. During the past three years, the Institute has submitted formal reports to various U.N. bodies as well as informal reports and comments.

Comments and Observations on the 2017 Draft Articles on Crimes against Humanity as Adopted on First Reading at the Sixty-ninth Session of the International Law Commission Submission to the U.N. Secretary-General (2018)

### The U.S. Gun Violence Crisis

Submission to the U.N. Human Rights Council in Relation to the Third Universal Periodic Review of the United States (2019)

The U.S. Gun Violence Crisis as a Violation of U.S. Obligations Under The ICCPR Submission ahead of the U.N. Human Rights Committee's Periodic Review of the United States at its 125<sup>th</sup> session (2019)





# JD Students

### WashULaw Class of 2022

25
Students from
7
Countries
Among JD Class

24
Languages
Spoken

14%

1st Generation
College Students

55
International
JSD Students from

Students from 9 Countries

139
International
JSD, LLM, MLS
Students
(Residential)

592
International
JSD, LLM, MLS
Students
(Online)

Alumni in All

50
States and
75
Countries



Andrew D. Martin, Washington University's 15th Chancellor



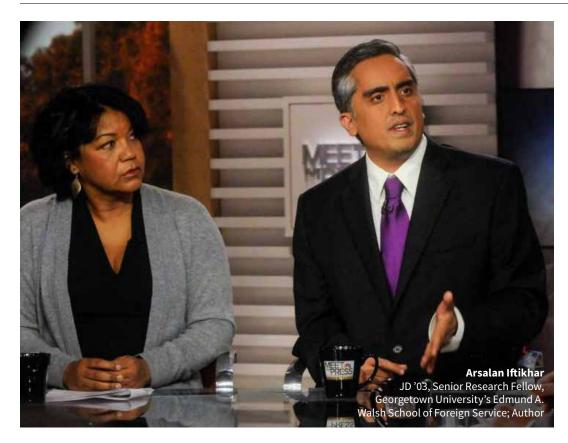
66 The Harris Institute offered me unprecedented opportunities to explore my interest in international law. During my time in law school, I was able to work and study in four continents including Asia, Africa, Europe, and North America. The Institute supported me not only financially, but presented me with opportunities, professional development, placements, and faculty support. 9 9





JD Students (continued)

JD Students



As a 2nd year law student during the 9/11 attacks, my alma mater will always hold a special place in my heart. In my career as a human rights lawyer, author, and journalist, although I have appeared on virtually every media outlet in the world, my proudest accomplishment as a double alumnus was being awarded the 2013 Distinguished Young Alumni Award from Washington University.

- Arsalan Iftikhar







JD Students (continued)

## LLM & JSD & MLS Students

Evelyn Chuang
JD '13, Staff Attorney,
Disability Rights Louisiana

66 My experiences as a law student at WashULaw and as a former Harris Institute Fellow continue to inspire me. These experiences motivated me to move to Fiji and work for a law school there. Although I am back in the States. I know that my journey that began in St. Louis has not yet finished. I am grateful to WashU and the Harris Institute for all the incredible opportunities. 9 9





66 As a result of the onset of the global pandemic this spring, my negotiating and contract management skills were challenged due to the immediate cancellation of hundreds of event contracts. I saw a need to enhance and to continue to develop my skills in these areas and began taking courses at the law school, where I was immediately able to put my new knowledge to use. 9 9



Gina Tramelli (right) with Jeanne Heil-Chapdelaine, Assistant Dean, Director of Graduate & International Programs, at the U.S. Supreme Court





## LLM & JSD & MLS Students (continued)

Washington University
Law School and, in particular, the Harris Institute
were instrumental in preparing me for my career
as an Australian diplomat
and in my current role
as the Legal Adviser for
Australia's Embassy in
The Hague.





6 To become an international laywer, each of us should first lay down the foundations. The Harris Institute was the place where I laid down mine. Thanks to the exceptional training I received, I discovered the subject matter I feel passionate about and devoted to. 9 9

66 Real change, enduring change, happens one step at a time.

—Ruth Bader Ginsburg

## **International Programs & Student Opportunities**

Each year, Washington University law students enhance their studies through specialized programs and projects at home and abroad. Through clinics, internships, and fellowships, these student-lawyers gain invaluable firsthand experience while working for positive change around the world. Through competitions, international academic programs, and research opportunities, students receive training and education in international and human rights law – all designed to prepare them for a changing and increasingly international legal market. WashULaw students have the opportunity to pursue a wide range of international academic and experiential learning programs, including:

- » Transnational Law Program
- » Specialized LLM and JSD Programs
- » Certificate in International Law for JD candidates
- » Exchange and Study Abroad Programs
- » International Court of Justice Traineeship Program
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- » Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Team
- » Crimes Against Humanity Research Project
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- » Global Studies Law Review
- » Global Public Interest Law Fellowship Program
- » Dagen-Legomsky Fellowship Program
- » Harris Institute Student Fellowships
- » ICC Legal Tools Project
- » Languages at Lunch Program
- » Subscribe and contribute to Lex Lata, Lex Ferenda blog
- » Attend international conferences such as International Law Weekend in New York and the ASIL Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C.



Washington University Global Studies Law Review's Symposium Editor John Ukenye and Editor-in-Chief Rocky Esposito (seventh & eighth from left) attend the International Law Review Editors Roundtable at the 2019 American Society of International Law Annual Meeting

# The Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition

Washington University has one of the top Jessup International Law Moot Court programs in the United States and the world. Its teams have won 10 regional championships and advanced to the international rounds of the competition 12 times. They have placed in the top 16 teams in the world 3 times and in the top 8 twice. The School has won every writing award given by the Jessup competition and WashULaw oralists have often placed in the top spots, including placing two oralists in the top five of the 2019 International Rounds.



2020 WashULaw Jessup Team: Peiran Zhang, Jessica Yu, Christian Rose, Kristina Houchins, and Megan Ferguson



2019 WashULaw Jessup Team: Kristina Houchins, Wenlan Geng, Gilbert Sison, Megan Ferguson, Lola Awobokun, and Emily Brewster

66 In the future, world leaders will look at each other differently because they first met here as friends. 99

Jessup motto

### Dagen-Legomsky Fellowship Program

Each year, 3-5 students are selected for prestigious Dagen-Legomsky Fellowships, serving as global public interest law fellows, studying at The Hague or Xiamen Academies of International Law, or working as research assistants to members of the U.N. International Law Commission. More than 100 students have participated over the course of the program and have studied or worked in more than 15 countries. Over the past 20 years, another 200 students have participated in Global Public Interest Law Fellowships, interning with legal aid offices, NGOs, and tribunals in Africa, South America, Europe, and Asia.



Dylan Davis, JD '20, with ICJ Judge Yusuf at the Xiamen Academy of International Law



Fizza Batool, JD '17 (far left) with the Ambassador of the Republic of Iraq to the Netherlands, His Excellency Saywan Barzani (center), during the Hague Academy of International Law



Marla Borkson, JD '17, at the U.S. Consulate in Chengdu, China



Nicole Gougeon, JD '18, in front of the Seoul International Dispute Resolution Center



Hague Academy of International Law Fellowship (2007)



Haipeng Xiao, JD '17, at the Xiamen Academy of International Law



WashULaw students during their Global Public Interest Fellowships in Durban, South Africa (2014)

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Faculty & Staff Overview



Deans Nancy Staudt, Michael Koby, and Gail Boker at the Kuwait Bar Association in Kuwait City (2018)



At the heart of any great law school is a worldclass faculty. The Harris Institute benefits from the pioneering scholarship and inspiring teaching of Washington University School of Law faculty, as well as the passion and dedication of its staff.

WashULaw students have been taught by distinguished faculty who have earned a host of prestigious awards, fellowships, and recognition for their scholarship including a **Nobel Prize** in economics, the **Princeton Law and Public Affairs** Fellowship, the **Guggenheim** Fellowship, and **Fulbright** awards and distinguished chairs including the **Alexis de Tocqueville Chair** (Paris). Many have also served or are serving in the U.S. government or in international institutions as counsellors and advisors.

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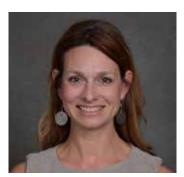
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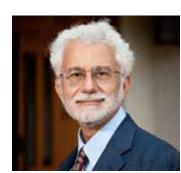
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Adrienne Davis (right) speaks to other presenters at the Global Perspectives on Colorism Conference (2015)

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### IN MEMORIAM FOR FRANCES H. FOSTER

Frances H. Foster, J.D. 1981, passed away on October 4, 2019 after a lengthy illness. Professor Foster was a beloved member of Washington University in St. Louis School of Law, where she began her law teaching career in 1988 and remained until her retirement in 2018. In 2005, Washington University appointed her as the Edward T. Foote II Professor of Law. She specialized in trusts and estates and in the legal systems of socialist countries. She is best known for her critique of the family paradigm in American inheritance and her descriptions of individualized justice under Chinese inheritance law. She was a dear friend and colleague and is sorely missed.



Frances H. Foster

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Fizzal Batool and Leila Sadat at the ICC Assembly of States Parties in New York City (2017)



WashULaw faculty, staff, and students on International Justice Day (2015)



Kristin Smith, Bethel Mandefro, and Madaline George (2016)



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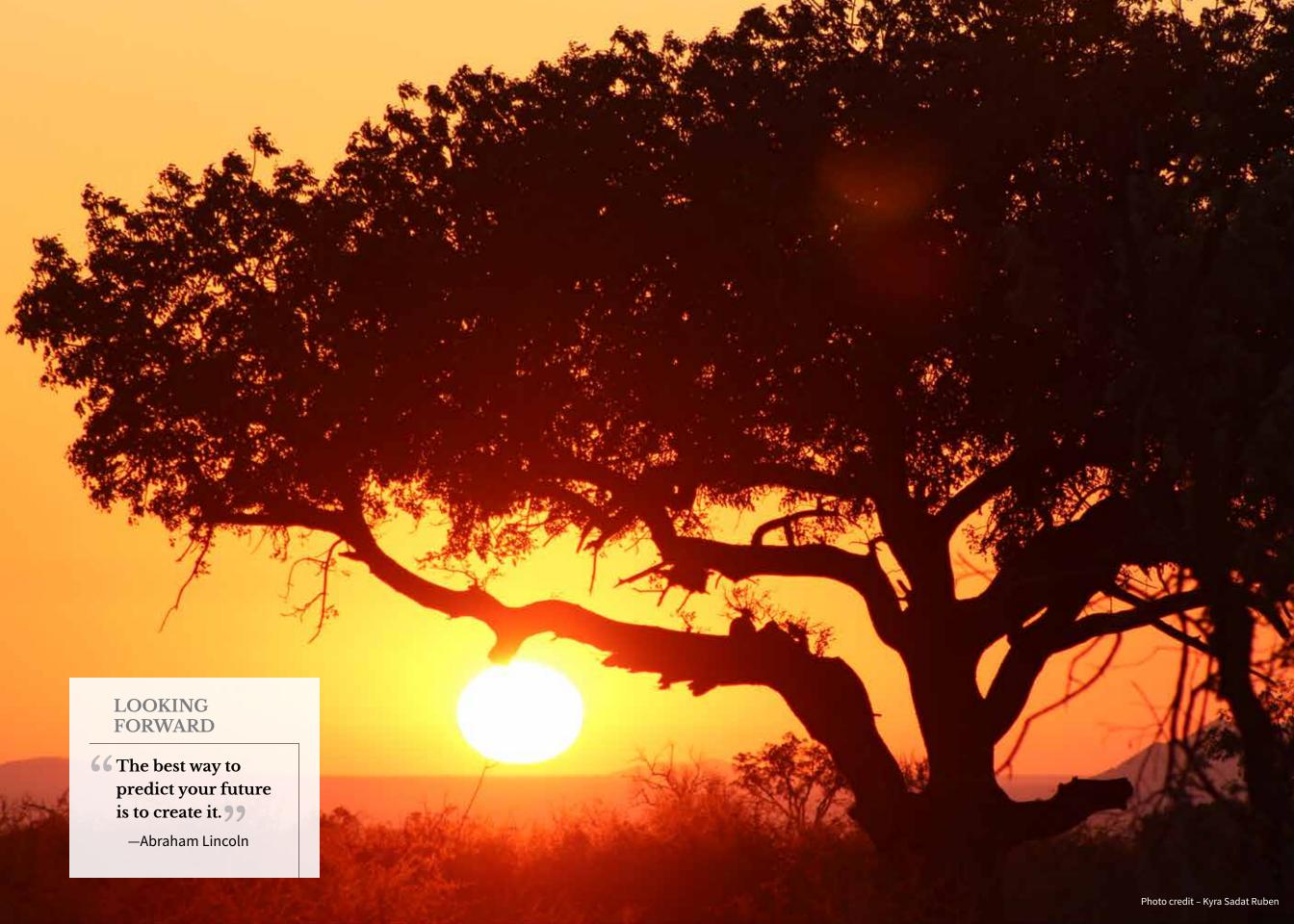
Judge Christine van den Wyngaert with Tove Klovning at the World Peace Through Law Award ceremony (2018)



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## **Upcoming Events**

### Fall 2020 Events

### **SEPTEMBER 11-12, 2020**

**Comparative Corporate Governance Conference** 

### **OCTOBER 9, 2020**

### Global Town Hall: Hope in a Time of Uncertainty

8th McDonnell International Scholars Academy International Symposium: Forces Reshaping the World

### **OCTOBER 22-24, 2020**

### International Law Weekend (ILW): International Law in Challenging Times

Annual Meeting of the American Branch of the International Law Association, New York, New York

### **OCTOBER 23, 2020**

Gun Violence as a Human Rights Issue and the U.S. Government's Failure to Fulfill its International Obligations (part of ILW 2020)

### **NOVEMBER 2, 2020**

Using Law to Enhance Innovation and Global Access to Medicines, Vaccines, and Health Technologies

### **NOVEMBER 18, 2020**

20th Anniversary Celebration & World Peace Through Law Award-Patricia Viseur Sellers NOVEMBER 23, 2020

The Likely Trajectory of US Foreign Policy and Global Governance in Light of the US Election: A Comparative Perspective



Patricia Viseur Sellers

As the former recipient of the World Peace Through Law Award I am really thrilled that Patricia Viseur Sellers is my successor. Her work as a legal advisor for gender at the Offices of the Prosecutor at the ICTY, ICTR and ICC has been of crucial importance for the many victims of gender crimes.

Happy 20th anniversary, dear Harris Institute! I am sure that Whitney, looking down from his cloud in heaven, will be extremely proud of the Institute's achievements. He will be very happy to see the progress of the Crimes

Against Humanity Initiative, thanks to the relentless work of Professor Leila Sadat and the invaluable moral support of Anna Harris.

— Christine Van Den Wyngaert, former Judge, International Criminal Court

### 2021 WashULaw Global Activities

#### **FEBRUARY 2021**

**Fourth Annual International Arbitration and Dispute Resolution Symposium** 

#### **MARCH 2021**

**13th Annual William C. Jones Lecture: The Ideological Foundations of the Qing Fiscal States**Professor Taisu Zhang, Yale Law School

#### **MARCH 2021**

### **Brexit's Implications for International Law**

Professor Olympia Bekou, University of Nottingham

### **APRIL 2021**

**Annual Meeting of the American Society of International Law** 

### **AUGUST 2021**

### A Leap of Faith, From London to Rome... and Beyond

Fourteenth International Humanitarian Law Roundtable, London, England

### **OCTOBER 28-30 2021**

### **International Law Weekend 2021**

Annual Meeting of the American Branch of the International Law Association, New York, New York













...the struggle for peace, law, and justice in the world is eternal.— Whitney R. Harris



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