



Africa Legal Aid (AFLA)

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Presents a Workshop on

AFRICA AND THE ICC: 10 YEARS ON

SNOWCREST HOTEL, ARUSHA, TANZANIA, 28th FEBRUARY- 1ST MARCH 2013

DAY 1

8.30-9.00	Registration, Coffee/Tea
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9.00-10.30	OPENING CEREMONY
Chair	PROF. SHADRACK GUTTO , Centre for African Renaissance Studies, University of South Africa (UNISA), Chair of the Governing Council of Africa Legal Aid (AFLA)
Welcome Address	H.E. BONGANI MAJOLA U.N. Assistant Secretary-General and Registrar, U.N. International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (UN-ICTR)
Address	H.E. TIINA INTELMANN , President of the Assembly of State Parties (ASP) to the ICC
Address	JUSTICE SOPHIA AKUFFO , President of the African Court on Human and Peoples' Rights
Address	EVELYN A. ANKUMAH , Executive Director, Africa Legal Aid (AFLA) <i>The Evolving Regime of International Criminal Justice: African Perspectives</i>
Opening	HIS LORDSHIP JUSTICE MOHAMED CHANDE OTHMAN , Chief Justice of Tanzania
Keynote Address	H.E. FATOU BENSODA , Prosecutor, International Criminal Court (ICC) <i>Africa's Support for the ICC</i>

10.30-10.45	Coffee/Tea
10.45-12.15	<p>PANEL 1</p> <p>THEME: IS THE ICC TODAY WHAT AFRICA EXPECTS OR WANTS?</p>
Chair	<p>ADVOCATE TOM NYANDUGA, Former Member of the African Commission on Human and Peoples Rights (AFCHPR), Member of Africa Legal Aid (AFLA) Governing Council</p>
Presenters	<p>KILENDA KAKENGI, Lead Defense Counsel for Mathieu Ngudjolo</p> <p>Chui case before the ICC</p> <p><i>Is Africa a Participant or Target of International Justice- a Perspective</i></p>
	<p>AKBAR KHAN, International Bar Association (IBA) Independent</p> <p>Expert, Member of the World Economic Forum Global Council on the Rule of Law</p> <p><i>Ten Years of ICC Practice- Trials, Achievements and Tribulations</i> Presented by Jaffer Murtaza, Special Assistant to the prosecutor (ICTR)</p>
	<p>ALPHA SESAY, Legal Officer, Open Society Justice Initiative, The Hague</p> <p><i>From Rome to Kampala and beyond: IS the ICC heading in the right direction?</i></p> <p>KARIM KHAN, Lead Counsel in the Kenya and Darfur Cases before the ICC</p> <p><i>Raising the Bar: Quality of Justice for African Defendants.</i></p>
Floor Discussion	
12.15-13.15	Lunch

13:15- 14:45	PANEL 2 THEME: AFRICAN VICTIMS AND THE ICC- HOPE OR DELUSION ?	
Chair	ROLAND AMOUSSOUGA , Senior Legal Adviser, Chief, External Relations and Strategic Planning, International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (ICTR)	
Panelists	Presenter	PIETER DE BAAN , Executive Director, ICC Victims' Trust Fund for Victims <i>Achieving "Reparative Justice" for Victims of International Crimes: the Dual Mandate</i>
	Presenter	COMMISSIONER ANNE KYALO NGUGI , Ag. Chair, Kenya National Commission on Human Rights, <i>Victims Participation: Challenges and Opportunities</i>
	Presenter	CECILE APTEL , Senior Legal and Policy Adviser, Office of the U.N. High Commissioner for Human Rights, Co-Chair of the IBA War Crimes Committee <i>Victims of Gross Violations of International Human Rights Law and Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law: a Human Rights Perspective</i>
Floor Discussion		
14.45-15.00	Coffee/Tea	
15.00-16.30	PANEL 3 THEME: THE GENDER DIMENSION: ADOPTING A HOLISTIC APPROACH TO GENDER JUSTICE	
Chair	RICHARD KAREGYESA , Chief of Prosecutions (ICTR)	
Panelists	Presenter	GLORIA ATIBA DAVIS , Head of Gender and Children's Unit, Office of the Prosecutor (OTP), International Criminal Court (ICC) <i>An Update on the OTP's Strategy on Gender based Crimes: Beyond Charging to Complementarity</i>

	<p>Presenter</p>	<p>RENIFA MADENGA, Legal Advisor and Focal Person, Sexual Exploitation and Sexual Abuse, International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (ICTR) <i>Carrying forward the Legacy of the ICTR on Gender Justice</i></p>
	<p>Presenter</p>	<p>DR. HELEN KIJO-BISIMBA, Executive Director, Legal and Human Rights Centre, Dar Es Salam, Tanzania <i>Are International Trends on Prosecution of Gender- based Crimes Having an Impact at the National Level?</i></p>
	<p>Presenter</p>	<p>REDSON KAPINDU, University of Johannesburg, South Africa <i>Towards Universality of Gender Justice</i></p>
<p>Floor Discussion</p>		

16.30-18.00	<p>PANEL 4</p> <p>THEME: COMPLEMENTARITY – LESSONS FROM OTHER JURISDICTIONS</p> <p>THIS PANEL IS SPONSORED BY THE HAGUE INSTITUTE FOR GLOBAL JUSTICE (THIGJ)</p>	
Chair	<p>PROF. ANDRE KLIP, Faculty of Law, Maastricht University, The Netherlands</p>	
Panelists	Presenter	<p>DR. KJELL ANDERSON, Projects Leader, The Hague Institute for Global Justice (THIGJ)</p> <p><i>The Role of the International Criminal Court (ICC) in Building Capacity for Domestic Prosecution</i></p>
	Presenter	<p>THIJS BERGER, Prosecutor, National Division of the Dutch Department of Prosecutions</p> <p><i>Lessons from The Netherlands</i></p>
	Presenter	<p>JOHN McMANUS, War Crimes Unit of the Department of Justice of Canada</p> <p><i>The Canadian Experience</i></p>
Floor discussion		
18:00-19:30	<p>Networking reception</p>	

Day 2

8.30-9.00	Registration, Coffee/Tea
9.00-10.30	PANEL 5 THEME: RATIFICATION AND IMPLEMENTING LEGISLATION
Chair	JAMES ARGUIN , Chief of Appeals & Legal Advisory Division (ICTR)
Panelists	<p>HON. SALIH MAHMOUD OSMAN, Human Rights Advocate and Defender, Darfur, Former Member of the National Parliament of the Republic of Sudan <i>The Sudan Experience</i></p> <p>AMB. MIRJAM BLAAK-SOW, Ugandan Mission to the Benelux, Member of Africa Legal Aid (AFLA) Governing Council <i>Lessons from Uganda</i></p> <p>HON. GITHU MUIGAI, Attorney General of Kenya <i>The Kenya Experience</i> Presented by Belinda Kuilu</p> <p>AMBASSADOR ALLIEU IBRAHIM KANU, <i>Perspectives from Sierra Leone</i></p>
Floor Discussion	Coffee/Tea
10.30-10.45	PANEL 6 THEME: COMPLEMENTARITY AND STRATEGIES FOR
10.45-12.15	INTENSIFYING AFRICAN COOPERATION WITH THE ICC JUSTICE SOPHIA AKUFFO , President, African Court on Human and Peoples' Rights
Chair	DONALD DEYA , Chief Executive Officer, Pan African Lawyers Union (PALU)

Presenters	<i>The Proposed Expansion of the Jurisdiction of the African Court of Justice and Human Rights</i>
	MICHEL CARRIE , Organisation Internationale de la Francophonie <i>Complementarity and Strategies for Intensifying African Cooperation</i>
	DONALD FERENCZ , Executive Director, The Planethood Foundation <i>Criminalizing the Illegal Use of Armed Force: Does it Matter to Africa?</i>
	DR. CHANTAL JOUBERT , Legal and Operational Affairs Department, Ministry of Security and Justice, The Netherlands <i>Fixing the Legal Gap: Judicial Assistance and Extradition</i>
Floor Discussion	Lunch
12.30-13.30	

13.30-15.00	<p>PANEL 7</p> <p>THEME: SPECIAL SESSION – THE SADC TRIBUNAL</p>
Chair	MORAY HATHORN , Partner in Charge of Pro Bono, Webber Wentzel, Johannesburg, South Africa
Presenters	PROF. CHRIS PETER MAINA , School of Law, University of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania
	LLYOD KUYEYA , Programme Head, Regional Advocacy Programme Southern African Litigation Centre (SALC)
	TISEKE KASAMBALA , Africa Advocacy Director, Human Rights Watch
	CLEMENT PHEBE MAVUNGU , Legal Advisor: Africa Regional Program, International Commission of Jurists (ICJ)
15.00-15.15	Coffee/Tea
15.15-16.45	<p>PANEL 8</p> <p>THEME: CARRYING FORWARD THE LEGACY OF THE UN INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL TRIBUNAL FOR RWANDA (ICTR)</p>
Chair	H. E. JUDGE VAGN JOENSEN , President, U.N. International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (UN-ICTR)
Presenters	H. E. HASSAN ABUBACAR JALLOW , Chief Prosecutor, UN-ICTR <i>Prosecutorial Legacy of the ICTR to Humanity</i>
	H. E. BONGANI MAJOLA , Registrar, UN-ICTR <i>Achievements and Challenges of the ICTR</i>
	DIDIER PREIRA , Deputy Registrar, International Criminal Court (ICC) <i>Perspectives from the ICC</i>
	PROF. ANDRE KLIP , Faculty of Law, Maastricht University, The Netherlands
Discussant	

Critical Appraisal of the Work of the ICTR in the last two Decades

Floor Discussion	
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