Conference

Transitional Justice in Sub-Saharan Africa

Berlin, 20\textsuperscript{th} – 24\textsuperscript{th} November 2019

Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
### 20th November 2019: Arrival Day

- **All day** Arrival of participants
- **19:00** Welcome Dinner at L’Osteria Alexanderplatz (Memhardstraße 3, 10178 Berlin)

### 21st November 2019: Conference Day 1

**Conference Venue:**
Berlin-Brandenburgische Akademie der Wissenschaften
Jägerstraße 22/23, 10117 Berlin

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Panel 3: Case Studies: Transitional Justice in Uganda – Chair: Dr. Hannah Woolaver

- Dr. Michael Mukwana: Amnesty on Trial: Analysis of the Courts Jurisprudence on Thomas Kwoyelo’s Amnesty Application (Uganda)
- Brenda Nanyunja: Victimisation and Challenges to Integration: Transitional Justice Response to Children Born of War in Northern Uganda
- Discussion

Wrap up

Dinner at Maximilians (Friedrichstraße 185-190, 10117 Berlin)

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Panel 4: Case Studies: Transitional Justice in Zimbabwe – Chair: Dr. Marshet Tadesse Tessema

- Felisters Francisco: Dealing with Past Human Rights Violations in Post Robert Mugabe Zimbabwe
- Sheilla Maribha: Is Transitional Justice in Zimbabwe a Charade? A Review of the National Peace and Reconciliation Commission
- Annet Matebwe: The Impact of Social Media on Transitional Justice: Zimbabwean Case Study
- Discussion

Coffee Break

Panel 5: Case Studies on Completed Situations – Chair: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Kemp

- Dr. Windell Nortje: The Non-Prosecution of Apartheid Criminals in South Africa: A Critical Analysis of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission’s Recommendations
- Dr. Marian Yankson: Transitional Justice and Constitutionalism: The Case of Ghana
- Discussion

Lunch Break
14:30 – 15:30  Panel 6/I: Transitional Justice Policies – Chair: Dr. Marian Yankson (tbc)

- Dr. Prosper Maguchu: Modelling Transitional Justice in Africa through Policies: A Comparative Analysis of the AU and EU Transitional Justice Policies
- Donnet Rose Odhiambo: The Enigma of Transitional Justice in Africa: Accessing the AU’s Commitment to Promote Accountability, Achieve Sustainable Peace and Foster Reconciliation
- Dr. Juliet Okoth: An Overview of the African Union Draft Transitional Justice Policy Framework with Focus on the Criminal Justice Initiatives

15:30 – 16:00  Coffee Break

16:00 – 17:00  Panel 6/II: Transitional Justice Policies – Discussion

17:00  Wrap up

19:00  Dinner at Via Nova (Universitätsstraße 2, 10117 Berlin)

23rd November 2019: Conference Day 3

Conference Venue:
Law Faculty, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Room 140/142)
Unter den Linden 6, 10099 Berlin

10:00 – 12:00  Panel 7: Transitional Justice and Economics – Chair: Dr. Juliet Okoth (tbc)

- Nelly Kamunde: Transitional Justice in Africa: Assessing the Role of Corporations
- Victoria Ojo/ Nicksoni Filbert: Too Much of a Good Thing: When Transitional Justice Prescriptions Fail to Work

- Discussion

12:00 – 13:00  Closing Remarks

13:00  Lunch Break

14:00 – 17:00  Meeting of the Directors and the Advisory Board of the African-German Research Network for Transnational Criminal Justice

- Time for Library Studies

18:30  Dinner at L’Osteria Alexanderplatz (Memhardstraße 3, 10178 Berlin)

24th November 2019: Departure Day