International Conference

Crucial Developments in the Military Legal Domain

Lima, Peru, 20 – 23 April 2016

Navy Centre, San Borja

DETAILED PROGRAM
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Wednesday, 20 April 2016

15:00h-17:30h  Registration of Participants at the Navy Centre, San Borja

17:30h-19:00h  Welcome Reception & Official Opening Speeches by:
JUAN PABLO RAMOS ESPINOZA, General de Brigada, Peru,
Presidente del Fuero Militar Policial

JAN PETER SPIJK, Brigadier General (ret’d), (The Netherlands),
President of the International Society for Military Law & the Law of War

19.00  Welcome Reception
**Thursday, 21 April 2016**

08:15 – 08:50   Registration of Participants

08:50 – 10:30   **International Humanitarian Law**

Prof. Dr. FAUSTO POCAR (Italy), President of the *International Institute for Humanitarian Law* at San Remo, Italy: A General Overview (tbc)

Director of the *Centre for IHL and HR* of the Armed Forces (or his representative): *The Armed Forces Centre for IHL and HR*, and its role in disseminating IHL

Moderator: Executive Secretary of the *National Committee on the Study and Implementation of International Humanitarian Law* (CONADIH)

10.30 – 11.00 Break

11:00 – 12:30 **UN Peacekeeping Operations throughout the World**

US Speaker: A Legal Perspective

Rear Admiral MARIO SANCHEZ DE BERNARDI (Peru), Commander of a UN contingent in Cyprus: A personal experience.

Moderator: Director of the *Instruction and Training Centre for Peacekeeping Operations* (CECOPAZ)

12:30 – 14:10 Lunch


Rear Admiral JULIO PACHECO GAIGE (Peru), Technical Secretary of FIDEMI / Major-General Arturo GILES FERRE; Member of the Board of Directors of the *International Society for Military Law & the Law of War*

Brigadier General WALDO MARTINEZ CÁCERES (Chile), Auditor General; Vice-President of the *International Society for Military Law & the Law of War*

Moderator: ELIZABETH ROCHA (Brazil), Judge of the Superior Military Tribunal of Brazil and member of the Board of Directors, International Society for Military Law & the Law of

15:50 – 16:20 Break
The Manual of International Law in Peace Operations envisaged by the International Society for Military Law & the Law of War

Mr. ALFONS VANHEUSDEN (Belgium), International Affairs & Human Rights Advisor to the Minister of Justice, Belgium; Assistant Secretary-General of the International Society for Military Law & the Law of War

Moderator: Mr. LUDWIG VAN DER VEKEN (Belgium), Secretary-General of the Ministry of Defence, Belgium; Secretary-General of the International Society for Military Law & the Law of War

Friday 22 April 2016

08:15 – 08:50 Registration of Participants

09:00 – 10:30 Panel on Cyber Law and the Use of Drones during Military Operations

Brigadier General Prof. Dr. PAUL. A.L. DUCHEINE (The Netherlands), Netherlands’ Defence Academy / University of Amsterdam

Colonel GARY P. CORN, Staff Judge Advocate (USA), U.S. Cyber Command (tbc)

Lieutenant Colonel TAMMY TREMBLAY (Canada), Director of Military Justice

Moderator: JAN PETER SPIJK, Brigadier General (ret’d) (The Netherlands), President of the International Society for Military Law & the Law of War

10:35 – 11:00 Break

11:00 – 12:40 Panel: A Global Perspective on Military Justice

Colonel ROBIN HOLMAN (Canada), Deputy Judge Advocate General for Military Justice

Major General (ret’d) ARNE WILLY DAHL (Norway), Former Judge Advocate General of Norway; Honorary President of the International Society for Military Law & the Law of War

Professor GEOFFREY S. CORN (USA), Professor of Law, South Texas College of Law, Houston, Texas, USA (tbc)

Mr. CHRISTOPHER GRIGGS (New Zealand), Barrister, New Zealand; Member of the Board of Directors of the International Society for Military Law & the Law of War
Moderator: Lieutenant General DIMITRIOS ZAFEIROPOULOS (Greece), Senior Vice-President of the *International Society for Military Law & the Law of War*

12:40 – 14:10 Lunch

14:10 – 15:40 **Role of the Armed Forces in Domestic Conflicts in Latin America**

Mexican Speaker

Colombian Speaker

Moderator: General de Brigada JUAN PABLO RAMOS ESPINOZA, Presidente del Fuero Militar Policial del Perú

15:45 - 16:25 Arrival of Authorities

16:30 – 17:30 Closing of the Conference

17:40 – 19:30 Official closing dinner

**Saturday, 23 April 2016**

**Cultural Excursion (meal included)**