PROGRAMME

6th Nelson Mandela
World Human Rights Moot Court Competition

PALAIS DES NATIONS, GENEVA, SWITZERLAND
8 - 10 December 2014

GENERAL INFORMATION

ACCOMMODATION

Hôtel Ibis Genève Centre Nations
Rue du Grand Pr 33-35
1201 GENEVE
SWITZERLAND

Tel: +41 22 919 2030
Fax: +41 22 919 2040
Email: h8069@accor.com

Students in shared (double) rooms
Faculty Representatives in single rooms

Check in: 12:00 / Check out: 12:00

MEALS

Students receive CHF 300 (CHF 75 per day x 4 days)
from which they are required to pay
for all their own lunches and suppers.
This amount will be paid in full at registration.

Breakfast
Hôtel Ibis Genève Centre Nations
The organisers will pay for all participants’ breakfasts
(students and Faculty Representatives)
on 8, 9, 10 and 11 December

Lunch
Palais des Nations Cafeteria (1st floor, Palais des Nations)

Supper
Personal arrangements

VENUES

Briefing and opening ceremony
Palais Wilson

Preliminary Rounds
Third Floor, Palais des Nations

Final round
Human Rights Council (Room XX), Palais des Nations

AIRPORT TRANSFERS

Participants are required to make their own way to
Hôtel Ibis Centre Nations on arrival, and to
Geneva Airport on departure.
See final letter from organisers for full details.

Participants are advised to leave for the airport
three (3) hours prior to take-off time.

EMERGENCY

In the event of an emergency please call:

Organisers
Ms Yolandi Meyer + 41 (0) 79 450 8699
Mr Armand Tanoh + 41 (0) 79 449 5996

General numbers
Police 117
Ambulance 144
Fire 118
**SUNDAY**  
7 DECEMBER 2014  

**ARRIVALS & REGISTRATION**  
Hôtel Ibis Genève Centre Nations  
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| 16:00 – 17:00 | Registration  
Foyer of Hôtel Ibis                                                                      |
| 17:00 – 19:00 | **BRIEFING**  
Mr Norman Taku, Assistant Director, Centre for Human Rights  
Ms Yolandi Meyer, Centre for Human Rights  
Briefing for all participants  
Draw of lots to determine opponents |
| 19:00 – 21:00 | Supper  
Moot participants: own arrangements                                                        |

**MONDAY**  
8 DECEMBER 2014  

**BRIEFING, OPENING CEREMONY**  
Palais Wilson, 52 rue des Pâquis CH-1201 Geneva

**PRELIMINARY ROUND 1**  
Palais des Nations, Pregny Gate, 14 Avenue de la Paix, Geneva (opposite the Red Cross Museum)

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| 08:00       | Departure by bus for opening ceremony  
Bus Hire Transfer  
Please dress for preliminary rounds                                                           |
| 08:30 – 09:30 | Security processing and issuing of UN badges                                                |
| 09:30 – 10:00 | **OPENING CEREMONY**  
Mr Eric Tistounet  
Chief of the Human Rights Council Branch  
Prof Christof Heyns  
Co-director of the Institute for International and Comparative Law in Africa at the University of Pretoria,  
United Nations Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions  
Guest speaker  
*His Excellency Baudelaire Ndong Ella*  
President of the Human Rights Council |
| 10:00 – 10:30 | Welcoming tea and coffee                                                                    |
| 11:00       | Departure by bus for preliminary rounds  
Bus Hire Transfer                                                                           |
| 12:00 – 13:00 | Lunch  
Palais des Nations Cafetena (1st Floor)  
Participants are welcome to have lunch at their convenience, when they are not in court       |
| 13:00 – 16:30 | **PRELIMINARY ROUND I**  
Palais de Nations (3rd floor)                                                               |
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**TUESDAY**  
9 DECEMBER 2014  
PRELIMINARY ROUND 2  
*Palais des Nations, Pregny Gate, 14 Avenue de la Paix, Geneva (opposite the Red Cross Museum)*  

**EXCURSION**  
*International Red Cross and Red Crescent Museum, 17 Avenue de la Paix, Geneva*

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<td>14:00</td>
<td>Departure on foot for ICRC Museum</td>
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<td>14:30 – 16:30</td>
<td>Guided tour of the ICRC Museum</td>
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<td>Announcement of finalists and drawing of lots</td>
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<td>19:00 – 21:00</td>
<td>Dinner in honour of final round judges</td>
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<td><em>Restaurant La Perle du Lac</em></td>
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<td><em>126 Rue de Lausanne, Geneva - Tel: 022 909 1020</em></td>
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<td><em>A judges’ briefing will be conducted at the dinner, and the judges invited to sign the certificates of participation.</em></td>
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**WEDNESDAY**  
**10 DECEMBER 2014**

**FINAL ROUND AND CLOSING CEREMONY**  
Room XX, Palais des Nations  
Pregny Gate, 14 Avenue de la Paix, Geneva (opposite the Red Cross Museum)

**LAUNCH OF THE ‘WAR REPORT’**  
Geneva Academy of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights  
Villa Moynier – 120 B Rue de Lausanne, Geneva

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Geneva Public Transport (TPG)  
Go to Canonnière bus stop (opposite Hôtel Ibis). Take bus 8 in the direction of OMS. Get off at Appia bus stop. |
| 10:00 – 11:00 | **FINAL ROUND**  
11:00 – 11:30 | Deliberation of judges  
Tea break for participants |
| 11:30 – 12:00 | Judges’ comments |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | Keynote address  
Zeid Ra'ad Al Hussein  
United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights |
| 12:30 – 13:00 | Announcement of results and award of prizes  
Mr Norman Taku  
Assistant Director: Centre for Human Rights, University of Pretoria |
| 13:00 – 14:00 | Cocktail  
Foyer of Room XX |
| 14:00 – 15:00 | Lunch for Moot participants: Own arrangements  
Palais des Nations Cafeteria (1st Floor) |
| 15:00 | Departure by bus for Hôtel Ibis  
Geneva Public Transport (TPG)  
Go to Appia bus stop. Take bus 8 in the direction of Veyrier Douane. Get off at Canonnière bus stop. |
| 17:00 | Moot participants: Departure by bus from Hôtel Ibis to Geneva Academy  
Bus Hire Transfer |
| 18:00 – 20:00 | Launch of ‘The War Report’  
Geneva Academy of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights |
| 20:00 | Departure by bus for Hôtel Ibis  
Bus Hire Transfer |

**THURSDAY**  
**11 DECEMBER 2014**

**DEPARTURES**  
Participants are advised to leave for the airport **three (3) hours** prior to take-off time.  
Participants are required to make their own way to Geneva Airport for departure.