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PROGRAMME

Beyond 50 and 10, beyond the rhetoric

International conference on the protection of forced migrants in Africa

6 – 7 September 2019

presented by the Centre for Human Rights, University of Pretoria

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DAY 1

Friday 6 September 2019

08:00 – 08:30	REGISTRATION <i>Future Africa Campus (located inside the University's Hillcrest Campus)</i>
08:30 – 08:45	OPENING REMARKS <i>Prof Frans Viljoen, Director, Centre for Human Rights, University of Pretoria</i>
08:45 – 09:45	KEYNOTE PRESENTATION <i>Dr Allehone Mulugeta Abebe, Senior Legal Officer, African Union / UNHCR</i>
09:45 – 11:15	SESSION ONE <i>Moderator: Ms Mutsa Mugangavari, International Committee of the Red Cross</i>
	How South Sudan is dealing with internal displacement through a draft national legislation on internal displacement <i>Rose Mwebi</i>
	Mediating protection of forcibly displaced populations in the front-lines in Central African Republic <i>Walters Samah</i>
	Adequacy of domestic legal and policy frameworks responding to the needs and vulnerabilities of Internally Displaced Persons in Ethiopia: Critical appraisal <i>Eshine Mekele Ashine</i>
	Whither the responsibility to protect IDPs in Africa's Great Lakes Region: Norms, policy and practice in Kenya <i>Olivia Lwabukuna</i>
	The Kampala Convention and the protection of internally displaced persons in Africa <i>Romola Adeola</i>
11:15 – 11:30	GROUP PHOTO TEA BREAK
11:30 – 13:00	SESSION TWO <i>Moderator: Dr Romola Adeola, Centre for Human Rights, University of Pretoria</i>
	Development induced internal displacement in Zimbabwe: Finding solutions in the indigenous peoples' rights discourse <i>Ngobizitha Ndlovu and Enyinna Nwauche</i>
	Beyond accountability and imminent domain: Development rights and internal displacement of persons by development projects in Africa <i>Nelly Chepngetich</i>
	The protection of internally displaced persons in Africa: Lessons from Kenya <i>Ken Obura</i>
	Adequacy of state in preparedness and response to climate change disasters as a route of avoiding internal displacement of people: Socio-economic perspectives on legislation and policy in Zimbabwe <i>Hoitsimolimo Mutlokwa</i>
	Migration data capturing using big data <i>Kingsley Kwame Abrokwa</i>

13:00 – 14:30	<p>SESSION THREE Moderator: <i>Dr Cristiano d'Orsi, University of Johannesburg</i></p> <hr/> <p>The African Union and the Responsibility to Protect (R2P): Providing a protection framework for internally displaced persons <i>Edwin Yingi</i></p> <hr/> <p>Ratified, dead and buried? How lack of domestication efforts of the Kampala Convention are a disservice to internally displaced persons in Malawi <i>Joe Mlenga</i></p> <hr/> <p>The Kampala Convention on internal displacement: Its codification issues, scope, and enforcement challenges in Nigeria <i>Adenitan Adefemi</i></p> <hr/> <p>Beyond use of international treaties in complying with international humanitarian law in Africa: Use of principles of <i>Ubuntu</i> to protect the rights of forced migrants in Malawi <i>Wesley Mwafurirwa</i></p> <hr/> <p>Beyond enhancing the rights of IDPs in the protection of forced migrants in Africa: A critical appraisal <i>Leonard Opara</i></p>
14:30 – 15:30	LUNCH
15:30 – 17:30	<p>SESSION FOUR (EXTENDED) Moderator: <i>Dr Walters Samah, African Union Mission In Somalia</i></p> <hr/> <p>Straddled between government forces, separatist insurgency and harsh environmental conditions: The plight of IDPs in the anglophone crisis in Cameroon <i>Tata Emmanuel Sunjo</i></p> <hr/> <p>The protection of IDPs: The case of the Cameroon crisis <i>Awa Linus Tamba</i></p> <hr/> <p>Struggling against all odds: Psycho-social implications of the anglophone crisis on internally displaced youths in Cameroon <i>Delphine Fanfon</i></p> <hr/> <p>Christian missionary's response to the plight of internally displaced persons in Nigeria <i>Daniel Olisa Iweze</i></p> <hr/> <p>Addressing humanitarian crisis in north-eastern Nigeria: Responses and sustainable solutions <i>Okunade Samuel and Olusola Ogunnubi</i></p> <hr/> <p>The Kampala Convention and the assistance and protection of internally displaced persons in Nigeria: A comparison of Adamawa and Cross Rivers' legislative Initiatives <i>Akinola Akinlayo</i></p> <hr/> <p>Humanitarian law and IDP protection in the age of Boko Haram: 'Necessity to protect' versus sovereignty? <i>Aaron O Salau</i></p>
18:30	Bus depart from Future Africa Campus
19:00	<p>DINNER <i>Kream Restaurant</i> 283 Dey Street Nieuw Muckleneuk Pretoria 0181</p>

DAY 2

Saturday 7 September 2019

08:30 – 09:30	KEYNOTE PRESENTATION <i>Prof David Cantor</i> <i>Professor, University of London</i>
09:30 – 11:45	SESSION ONE (EXTENDED) <i>Moderator:</i> <i>Prof Lutz Oette, SOAS University Of London</i> <hr/> <p>Unfolding Africa's impact on the development of international refugee law <i>Sara Palacios Arapiles</i></p> <hr/> <p>'Voluntary' repatriation of Burundian refugees in Tanzania: Linkages between law and practice <i>Simon Ngalomba</i></p> <hr/> <p>Asylum applicants in Kenya: The challenges faced by children with disabilities <i>Edwin Odhiambo Abuya</i></p> <hr/> <p>The African refugee convention, refugees and asylum seekers in South Africa: Assessing implementation and compliance issues <i>Clayton Hazvinei Vhumbunu</i></p> <hr/> <p>Freely settled and urban based forced migrants: Examining their access to social protection in South Africa <i>Sikanyiso Masuku and Sharmila Rama</i></p> <hr/> <p>Imagining a new omelette for Africa: Reflection on the recent xenophobia attacks in South Africa <i>Bonolo Makgale</i></p> <hr/> <p>Reasons and response to xenophobia in South Africa <i>Mashudu Malema</i></p> <hr/> <p>Rising xenophobia in Europe: The case of Italy <i>Cristiano D'Orsi</i></p>
11:45 – 12:00	TEA BREAK
12:00 – 13:00	CLOSING KEYNOTE PRESENTATION <i>Prof Bonaventure Rutinwa</i> <i>Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic), University of Dar es Salaam</i>
13:00 – 14:30	FINAL SESSION <hr/> <p>Introduction: GENIDA and INDCaP <i>David Cantor, Hana Asfour, Beatriz Sanchez and Romola Adeola</i></p> <hr/> <p>Knowledge process <i>Lutz Oette and Romola Adeola</i></p> <hr/> <p>Closing remarks <i>Prof Frans Viljoen</i></p>
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