Centre for Human Rights

Advanced Human Rights Course
Disability Rights in an African Context

The Centre for Human Rights, University of Pretoria, will host a 5-day intensive short course on Disability Rights in an African Context from 9 to 13 March 2020.


Course Outline

Broadly stated, the aims and objectives of the intensive course are to provide learners with knowledge and techniques that enable them to:

- Understand the development of disability as a global human rights issue.
- Understand and apply provisions of the CRPD.
- Apply the CRPD to selected areas.
- Understand the development of disability as a human rights issue as the African regional and sub-regional levels.
- Understand and apply the intersection between the human rights and cultural aspects of disability in an African context.
- Understand and apply disability from a comparative human rights law perspective in other regions, including the European and Latin American regions.
- Understand and apply the regulation of disability from a comparative law perspective in selected non-African countries.
- Understand and apply theoretical approaches to equality and non-discrimination in a disability context.
- The course is presented by lecturers who are drawn from a variety of countries and are experts in disability rights law.

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