

CONFERENCE ON INTERNATIONAL LAW IN AFRICA
HUMAN SECURITY, PEACE AND DEVELOPMENT: CHALLENGES & RESPONSES
5-6 OCTOBER 2012 – MAPUTO [MOZAMBIQUE] --- FINAL PROGRAM

DAY 1, 5 October 2012

Introductory Session

08.30-09.00 Welcome and Introductory Remarks

Universidade Eduardo Mondlane

Prof [Ms] MONDJANA Ana, Vice-President for Academic Affairs

University of Pretoria

Prof VILJOEN Frans, Director, Centre for Human Rights

African Foundation for International Law

Prof. ABI-SAAB Georges

Judge YUSUF Abdulqawi A.

09.00-09.30 Keynote: Rule of Law and Good Governance in Africa

Prof. ABI-SAAB Georges

09:30-09:45 *Health Break*

Panel 1 Human Security

Chair: Prof. HEYNS Christof

09.50-10.10 Threats to Human Security by Non State Actors: Responses in the African Instruments

SSENYONJO Manisuli

10.10-10.30 Role for the African Court of Human and Peoples' Rights in Developing a Binding Regional Framework for Refugee Protection

PANGILINAN Christian

10.30-11.00 Discussion

11:00-11:15 *Coffee Break*

Panel 2 Development and Human Rights

Chair: ILLY Ousseni

- 11.20-11.40 WTO Special and Different Treatment: Africa's Golden Fleece or Trojan Horse?
ODUWOLE Jumoke
- 11.40-12.00 Regional Integration and the African Economic Community
PETER Chris Maina
- 12.00-12.20 NEPAD and its Peer-Review Mechanism: What Contribution to African
Development?
BABINGTON-ASHAYE Adejoke
- 12.20-12.50 Discussion
- 13.00-13.55 *Free Time for Lunch*

Panel 3 Peace and Good Governance

Chair: MOUELLE KOMBI Narcisse

- 4:00-14:20 Article 4(h) + Responsibility to Protect: How Can the African Union and the
United Nations End Mass Atrocities in Africa?
KUWALI Dan
- 14:20-14:40 Consolider l'état de droit et la bonne gouvernance a travers les instruments
africains
LAGUAD Mayeul Alex
- 14 :40-15 :00 Democratic Succession in Africa : The Quest for an Orderly Transition
NKANSAH Lydia Apori
- 15:00-15:30 Discussion
- 15:30-15:45 *Coffee Break*

Panel 4 Towards 50 Years of African Unity

Chair: Amb, MOHAMMED Sani L.

- 15:50-16:10 Panafricanism and International Law: The Relevance of the Convergence in the
21st Century
IGE Rhoda Asikia

16:10-16:30 From the Organization of the African Unity the African Union
TEHINDRAZANARIVELO Djacoba

16:30-16:50 Looking back, Thinking forward: Understanding the Feasibility of Normative
Supranationalism in the African Union
FAGBAYIBO Babatunde

16:50-17:20 Discussion

17:20-17:35 *Health Break*

Closing Session

17:40-18:10 Closing Observations, Judge YUSUF Abdulqawi

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DAY 2, 6 OCTOBER 2012

- 08:00-08:30 Guest Presentations
ANDERSEN Elizabeth
Executive Director, American Society of International Law
SMITH Fedelma Claire
Legal Counsel, Permanent Court of Arbitration, Representative in Mauritius
TAPSOBA Josaine Somdata
IHRDA Fellow, African Human Rights Case Law Analyzer
- 08:30-09:15 United Nations International Law Audiovisual Library
MORRIS Virginia, United Nations Office of Legal Affairs
- 09:15-09:30 *Coffee Break*
- 09:35-12:35 Meeting of the African Association for International Law
Agenda
1. From Creation to Reactivation, Presentation by Judge YUSUF Abdulqawi A.
 2. Debate on the Statute of the African Association of International Law
 3. Elections for the Organs of the African Association of International Law
 4. Scheduling the Next Conference of the African Association of International Law
- 12:45-14:00 *Free Time for Lunch*
- 14:00-17:00 Final of the Moot Competition**