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# ACCOUNTABILITY AND INTERNATIONAL LAW

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- > Professor Harold Hongju Koh, Sterling Professor of International Law, Yale Law School
- > Mr Ralph Zacklin CMG, Former Assistant Secretary-General for Legal Affairs, United Nations

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- > Increasing public awareness and understanding of international law
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#### **Venue Locations**

A map of the venue is included on page 4 of this program and are available at the registration desk.

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Conference registration will take place in the Torrance Room.

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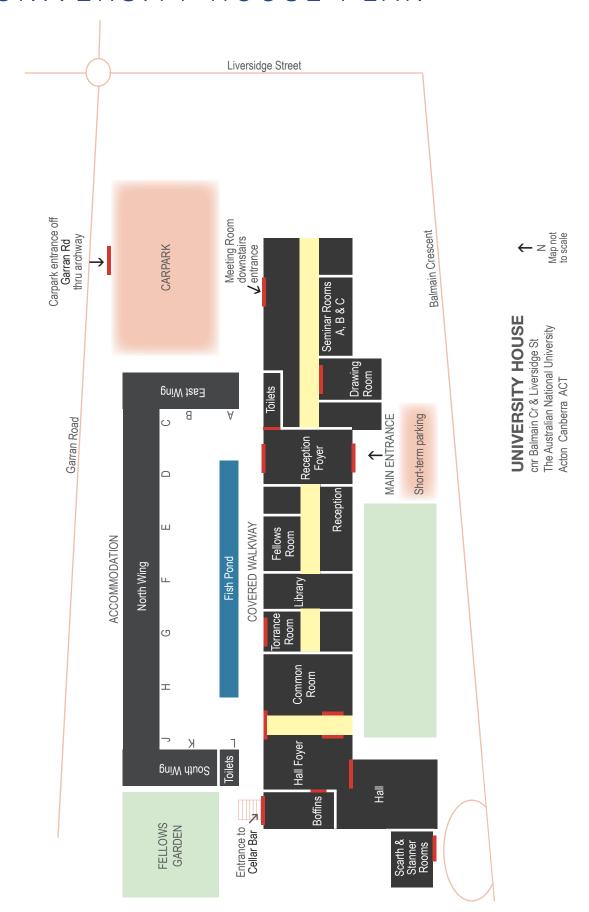
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# OVERVIEW OF SESSIONS

TIME	SESSION	LOCATION		
DAY 1: THURSDAY, 4 JULY 2013				
9-9.10 am	Conference Opening	Main Hall		
9.10-10am	Plenary 1: Keynote Speaker: Harold Hongju Koh	Main Hall		
10.30 am - 12.30 pm	Panel 1: International Legal Histories	Main Hall		
10.30 am - 12.30 pm	Panel 2: Seeking Accountability for Sexual and Gender- based Crimes Through International Criminal Tribunals: Challenges and opportunities	Common Room		
1.30-3.30 pm	Panel 3: International Criminal Law: Issues of process and decision-making	Main Hall		
1.30-3.30 pm	Panel 4: Using Human Rights Approaches to hold States Accountable Under International Law	Common Room		
1.30-3.30 pm	Panel 5: Accountability in the Process and Practice of Counsel, Courts and Tribunals	Scarth Room		
4-5.30 pm	Year In Review	Main Hall		
DAY 2: FRIDAY, 5 JULY	2013			
9-10.30 am	Plenary 2: The Climate Change Law and Policy Debate	Main Hall		
11 – 12.30 pm	Panel 6: International Criminal Law: Crimes, actors and accountability	Main Hall		
11 – 12.30 pm	Panel 7: Queer(y)ing International Law	Common Room		
11 – 12.30 pm	Panel 8: Accountability of Corporations Under International Law	Scarth Room		
12.30-1.30pm	ANZSIL Annual General Meeting	Common Room		
1.30-3 pm	Panel 9: Peacekeeping and Peace Building	Main Hall		
1.30-3 pm	Panel 10: Accountability in International Economic and Trade Law	Common Room		
1.30-3 pm	Panel 11: Using Domestic Approaches to hold States Accountable for International Human Rights Commitments	Scarth Room		
3.30-5pm	Panel 12: Accountability in Armed Conflict	Main Hall		
3.30-5pm	Panel 13: The Public/Private International Law Intersection	Common Room		
5.30-6.30pm	Panel 14: International Law, Social Media and Accountability	Common Room		
DAY 3: SATURDAY, 6 JULY 2013				
9.15 – 11 am	Panel 15: Accountability of International Organisations Under International Law	Main Hall		
9.15 – 11 am	Panel 16: Accountability and the Environment	Common Room		
11.30 am - 1 pm	President's Plenary	Main Hall		
1–1.15 pm	Close	Main Hall		

# 2013 ANZSIL CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Program and speakers are subject to change without notice

THURSDAY 4 J	ULY				
8.30am	REGISTRATION (Torrance Room)				
olog alli	WELCOME TEA/COFFEE (Hall Foyer)				
9am	CONFERENCE OPENING				
	Location: Main Hall Andrew Byrnes, ANZSIL President Stephen Bottomley, Dean, ANU Colle	ge of Law			
9.10am	KEYNOTE SPEAKER				
	Harold Hongju Koh, Sterling Professor of former Legal Adviser, United States Department				
10-10.30 am	MORNING TEA (Hall Foyer)				
10.30-12.30pm	PANEL 1	PANEL 2			
	International Legal Histories	Seeking accountability for Sexual			
	Location: Main Hall	and Gender-based Crimes Through International Criminal Tribunals:			
	Chair: Gerry Simpson, University of Melbourne  Dam(med) If You Do: The Tasmanian Dams Case and international legal discourse in Australia  Madelaine Chiam, University of Melbourne  Internationalising the Suez Canal	Challenges and opportunities			
		Location: Common Room			
		Chair: Damien van der Toorn, Department of Climate Change & Efficiency			
		The Gender Justice Shadow of Complementarity: Lessons from the ICC's preliminary examinations in Colombia			
		and Guinea			
	Charlotte Peevers, University of Technology, Sydney	Rosemary Grey, Emily Waller & Louise Chappell, University of New South Wales			
	Imperial Ethiopia, the League of Nations and the Corruption of the Disciplinary Self	Leaving Behind the Age of Impunity: Victims of gender violence and the promise of reparations			
	Rose Parfitt, University of Melbourne & The American University, Cairo  International Peoples' Tribunals as Archives?  Gabrielle Simm, University of New South Wales	Andrea Durbach & Louise Chappell, University of New South Wales			
		The ICC as Site for Enhancing Women's Rights?: Challenges, possibilities, strategies Kiran Grewal, University of Sydney			
	The Stillbirth of International Criminal Law at the Paris Peace Conference Kirsten Sellars, National University of Singapore	The Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia: A wasted opportunity for victims of sexual and gender-based violence?  Sarah Williams & Emma Palmer, University of New South Wales			
12.30pm	<b>LUNCH</b> (Hall Foyer)				

#### 1.30-3.30pm

#### PANEL 3

# International Criminal Law: Issues of process and decision-making

Location: Main Hall

Chair: Richard Rowe, Department of

Foreign Affairs & Trade

An Arresting Spectacle? Political assassination within the purview of international criminal law

Michelle Burgis-Kasthala, University of St Andrews

Accountability for War Crimes Involving Cultural Property: A look at the International Tribunals' approach

Jadranka Petrovic, Monash University

Terrorism in International Law: The role of the special tribunal for Lebanon in the quest for accountability

Jordina Rust, Appeals Chamber, Special Tribunal for Lebanon

#### PANEL 4

# Using Human Rights Approaches to hold States Accountable Under International Law

Location: Common Room

Chair: Wendy Lacey, University

of South Australia

Learning From Mabo: Uncontacted peoples, culture and sovereignty

**Christine Storry** 

Indigenous Australian Peoples and the Right of Self-determination: Using a human rights approach to promote the accountability of the Australian state

Amy Maguire, University of Newcastle

Will Ratifying the Third Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child Improve the Protection of Children's Rights in Australia?

**Alice Weekes**, Attorney-General's Department

#### PANEL 5

# Accountability in the Process and Practice of Counsel, Courts and Tribunals

Location: Scarth Room

Chair: Karen Scott, University

of Canterbury

The Role of the International Lawyer and the Structural Tensions in an Era of Transnationalism

Caroline Foster, University of Auckland

Holding Accountable Those Who Improperly Switch Between Arbitrator and Counsel in Investment Arbitration

James Fry & Agnes Chong, University of Hong Kong

Greater Expectations: Accountability and the WTO dispute settlement system

**Suzanne McCourt** & **Thea Lau**, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

3.30 pm	AFTERNOON TEA (Hall Foyer)
4-5.30pm	YEAR IN REVIEW
	Location: Main Hall
	Chair: Tim Stephens, University of Sydney
	Richard Rowe, Department of Foreign Affairs & Trade Greg Manning, Attorney-General's Department Rosemary Paterson, Ministry of Foreign Affairs & Trade Lani Inverarity, New Zealand Crown Law Office
6pm	ANNUAL Kirby Lecture RECEPTION
	Location: Finkel Theatre, John Curtin School of Medical Research, Garran Rd, Australian National University
6.30-7.30pm	ANNUAL Kirby Lecture on International Law
	Freedom of Speech and Giving Offence: Can a balance be struck?  Professor Gillian Triggs, President, Australian Human Rights Commission and Acting Race Discrimination Commissioner
	Location: Finkel Theatre, John Curtin School of Medical Research, Garran Rd, Australian National University

FRIDAY 5 JULY	
8.30 am	REGISTRATION (Torrance Room)
	WELCOME TEA/COFFEE (Hall Foyer)
9am	PLENARY 2
	The Climate Change Law and Policy Debate
	Location: Main Hall
	Chair: Clive Hamilton, Charles Sturt University (Canberra)
	Ocean Acidification and Accountability to Nature: Climate change law and earth systems  Tim Stephens, University of Sydney
	The 2015 Climate Agreement: Distilling the 'value add' to the international regime  Damien van der Toorn, Department of Climate Change & Energy Efficiency
	Designing an Effective Climate Change Agreement  Jo Tyndall, New Zealand Ministry of Foreign Affairs & Trade
	Abandoning the Climate Change Regime: A long overdue step forward?  Shirley Scott, University of New South Wales
10.30 am	MORNING TEA (Hall Foyer)

#### 11 am - 12.30 pm

#### PANEL 6

# International Criminal Law: Crimes, actors and accountability

Location: Main Hall

Chair: Rosemary Paterson, Ministry of Foreign Affairs & Trade

Accountability for Aggression Under International Criminal Law

Matthew Gillett, International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia

Accountability of Non-State Actors at the Contemporary International Criminal Courts and Tribunals

**Sara Wharton**, University of New South Wales

Prosecution of Maritime Terrorists:
The role of national courts in
ensuring accountability

**Saiful Karim**, Queensland University of Technology

#### PANEL 7

#### Queer(y)ing International Law

Location: Common Room

Chair: Gabrielle Simm, University of New South Wales

Preliminary Thoughts on Queer(Y)Ing International Trade Law

**Wayne Morgan**, Australian National University

Transnational Homo-assemblages: Contesting 'gender' in counter-terrorism discourses

Dianne Otto, University of Melbourne

A Queer Reading of Singapore's Continuing Criminalisation of Sodomy: Balancing state power and an international commitment to the rule of law with the maintenance of sexual discipline

**Dean Edwards,** University of Melbourne

#### PANEL 8

#### Accountability of Corporations Under International Law

Location: Scarth Room

Chair: Vivienne Bath, University of Sydney

Global Business and Global Governance: Are energy resources corporations accountable for 'good governance' outcomes in the states and communities in which they operate?

Tony Denholder & Katie Allan, Ashurst-Australia

Accountability 2.0: Towards a special responsibility for internet intermediaries

Nicolo Zingales, New York University

Who Watches the 'Brand Police'? Critiquing online anti-counterfeiting measures

**Natasha Tusikov**, Australian National University

#### 12.30 pm

#### **LUNCH** (Hall Foyer) & **Annual General Meeting of ANZSIL** (Common Room)

#### 1.30-3pm

#### PANEL 9

#### Peacekeeping & Peace Building

Location: Main Hall

Chair: Rain Liivoja, University

of Melbourne

#### KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Mr Ralph Zacklin CMG, Former Assistant Secretary-General for Legal Affairs, United Nations

Finding Common Ground for the Protection of Civilians

Phoebe Wynn-Pope, Humanitarian Advisory Group, Melbourne & University of Melbourne

What Happens on Mission Stays on Mission? Accountability for peacekeeping troops' violations of international law

Kelisiana Thynne, Australian Civil-Military Centre

#### PANEL 10

#### Accountability in International **Economic and Trade Law**

Location: Common Room

Chair: Caroline Foster, University of Auckland

Accountability Mechanisms Within the International Financial Architecture: Fit for purpose?

Alberto Costi & Monique Egli Costi, Victoria University of Wellington

Accountability of a Host State and International Investment Law

Valeriy N Lisitsa, Novosibirsk National Research State University

Accountability, Interoperability Standards and International Trade Law

Simon Brinsmead, Attorney-General's Department

# 3-3.30 pm

# **AFTERNOON TEA** (Hall Foyer)

#### PANEL 11

# **Using Domestic Approaches to hold States Accountable for International Human Rights Commitments**

Location: Scarth Room

Chair: Petra Butler, Victoria University of Wellington

Moving in the Right Direction: The rights of asylum seekers and the introduction of an independent reviewer of adverse security assessments in Australia

Jennifer Cavenagh, Attorney-General's Department

Does 'No Advantage' Mean 'No Accountability'?

Dilan Thampapillai, Deakin University

'Satisfaction' as a Means of Achieving State Accountability for Breaches of Peremptory International Norms

**GN Barrie**, University of Johannesburg

3.30-5pm	PANEL 12	PANEL 13		
	Accountability in Armed Conflict Location: Main Hall	The public/private international law intersection		
	Chair: Treasa Dunworth, University of Auckland	Location: Common Room		
		Chair: Thomas John, Attorney-		
	Mutual Accountability in Non-	General's Department		
	International Armed Conflict Gerard O'Shea, Australian Defence Force	International Laws: Public and private: (Is there) A bridge over troubled waters Verónica Ruiz Abou-Nigm,		
	The Role of the ICRC in Improving Respect for International Humanitarian	University of Sheffield & <b>Duncan French</b> , University of Lincoln		
	Law in Armed Conflict  Monica Silverwood, International	Potestativité, Party Autonomy and the Limits of Private Power		
	Committee of the Red Cross Regional Delegation in the Pacific	Mary Keyes, Griffith University & Brooke Marshall, Lawyer, Allens		
	NGOs and the Construction of International Humanitarian Law Amanda Alexander, Australian National University	Using Private International Law Concepts to Resolve Nationality Disputes Rishi Gulati, Attorney- General's Department		
	International Law and Non-State Actors: Problems and prospects	Writing the Fine Print: Climate risk insurance for Pacific island states		
	Carmel Lee, Barrister, Seven Wentworth Chambers	Jeffrey McGee & Liam Phelan, University of Newcastle		
5.30-6.30 pm	PANEL 14			
	International Law, Social Media and	Accountability-A Q&A-style Panel		
	Location: Common Room			
	Chair: Madelaine Chiam, University of M	1elbourne		
	Don Anton, Australian National University Kevin Heller, University of Melbourne Marius Smith, Castan Centre for Human Rights Law, Monash University Thomas John, Attorney-General's Department			
7.30 pm	CONFERENCE DINNER			
	Vanillabean Café, John Curtin School of N Australian National University	Medical Research,		

SATURDAY 6 JULY				
9am	WELCOME TEA/COFFEE (Hall Foyer)			
9am 9.15 am	PANEL 15 Accountability of International Organisations under International Law Location: Main Hall Chair: John Reid, Attorney-General's Department Holding International Organisations to Account Stephen Bouwhuis, Attorney-General's Department Actio Popularis: Accountability of the ICJ vis-à-vis international society Dai Tamada, Kobe University The Administration of Justice in Protected Refugee Situations: A study of the UNHCR's international obligations Emma Dunlop, International Criminal Court	PANEL 16  Accountability and the Environment Location: Common Room Chair: David Leary, University of Technology Sydney  Accountability and the Global Environment: Non-compliance mechanisms under MEAs Karen Scott, University of Canterbury International Accountability Beyond 'Polluter Pays': Oil exploitation on the Continental Shelf Johannes Fuchs & Erik van Doorn, Kiel University  SRM Geoengineering and Liability for Damage to the Global Atmospheric Commons Kerryn Brent & Jeffrey McGee, University of Newcastle  Addressing the Absence of Regional Governance Regulating Marine Pollution from Offshore Oil and Gas Activities in South East Asia		
		<b>Muhammad Taufan</b> , Flinders University		
11 am	MORNING TEA (Hall Foyer)			
11.30-1 pm	PRESIDENT'S PLENARY  Location: Main Hall  Chair: Andrew Byrnes, ANZSIL President, University of South Australia Treasa Dunworth, University of Auckland Anne Orford, University of Melbourne Harold Koh, Yale Law School			
1-1.15 pm	CLOSE			

# SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES

#### **Amanda Alexander**

Australian National University

Amanda Alexander has recently completed her PhD at the Australian National University. Her research traces the history of the civilian during the twentieth century, in order to understand the nature of change in international humanitarian law. The first part of this project has been published as 'The Genesis of the Civilian' in the *Leiden Journal of International Law*.

#### **Katie Allan**

Ashurst-Australia

Acting for clients developing major resource and energy projects in Queensland, NSW and the Northern Territory, Katie Allan provides advice on native title, cultural heritage and indigenous engagement for mining and gas development.

In negotiating and drafting agreements with indigenous groups and advising on project approvals, Katie advises on statutory requirements under Commonwealth, State and Territory laws, as well as engagement strategies with government, statutory authorities, community corporations and indigenous groups.

Katie has recently advised clients on domestic and public international law requirements to manage social, community and human rights impacts of major energy projects.

Katie has previously served as Associate to the Honourable Justice Margaret McMurdo AC, President of the Queensland Court of Appeal. Katie has also interned at the Department for International Development (UK) and completed a thesis on democratic governance in the Pacific Islands through the London School of Economics.

# **Don Anton**

Australian National University

Don Anton is an Associate Professor at the ANU College of Law, where he teaches and researches across the curriculum of international

law. He is recognised as an expert in international environmental law. Don maintains an active pro bono international law practice and he serves in leadership roles on a number of professional international law bodies.

#### **George Barrie**

University of Johannesburg

George Barrie is the Special Professor of Public Law at the Law Faculty of the University of Johannesburg and former Dean of that Faculty. He was previously Senior Law Adviser of the Department of Foreign Affairs and of the South African Mission to the United Nations. He is a Visiting Professor of the Free University of Brussels. He is the author of Topical International Law; Self-Determination in International Law and contributing editor to various text books and loose-leaf publications. He is on the editorial board of the South African Yearbook of International Law and Southern African Public Law.

#### **Vivienne Bath**

University of Sydney

Vivienne Bath is Professor of Chinese and International Business Law at Sydney Law School, University of Sydney, Director of the Centre for Asian and Pacific Law and Chair of the China Studies Centre Research Committee at the University of Sydney. Her teaching and research interests are in International Business Law and Chinese law (particularly Chinese investment and commercial law.

She has first class honours in Chinese and in Law from the Australian National University, and a Master of Laws from Harvard University. She is admitted to practice in Australia, New York, England and Wales and Hong Kong and, prior to joining Sydney Law School, was a partner of international law firm Coudert Brothers. She has extensive professional experience in Sydney, New York and Hong Kong, specialising in international commercial law, with a focus on foreign investment and commercial transactions in the People's Republic of China and the Asian region and was recently appointed to the Shanghai Arbitration Commission list of arbitrators.

Representative publications include: Burnett and Bath, Law of International Business in Australasia, Federation Press 2009; Bath, V, 'Foreign investment, the national interest and national security-foreign direct investment in Australia and China,' (2012) 34 Sydney Law Review 5-34); Bath and Nottage (eds), Foreign Investment and Dispute Resolution Law and Practice in Asia, Routledge, 2011. Professor Bath speaks Chinese (Mandarin) and German.

# **Stephen Bouwhuis**

#### Attorney-General's Department

Stephen Bouwhuis is Assistant Secretary, Human Rights Policy in the Australian Government. He was previously the Legal Counsel of the Commonwealth Secretariat during which time he provided advice to the Commonwealth Secretariat on issues including its corporate processes and policies, staffing matters and institutional reform. Prior to that he was Assistant Secretary of the Office of International Law in the Australian Government, where he was responsible for the provision of international legal advice on matters including trade, investment, the environment, maritime, arbitration, security and general international law. His academic qualifications include a Masters of Public Administration from the John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard and a Masters of International Law from the Australian National University.

### **Kerryn Brent**

#### University of Newcastle

Kerryn Brent is a PhD candidate and sessional academic at the University of Newcastle, Australia. Her research topic is titled *The International* Governance of Solar Radiation Management Methods of Geoengineering. Kerryn also teaches Legal Systems and Method and tutors in Public International Law.

# Simon Brinsmead

# Attorney-General's Department

Simon Brinsmead is a Senior Legal Officer with the Attorney-General's Department, Office of International Law. Simon provides legal advice

to the Australian Government concerning its international trade and investment law obligations, including in relation to preferential trade agreement negotiations and WTO dispute settlement. Simon holds bachelor's degrees in economics and law from the Australian National University, a master's degree in law from the University of New South Wales and is currently a PhD candidate in international economic law at the University of Bern, Switzerland, supervised by Professor Thomas Cottier. Simon previously practiced commercial law, with a focus on competition and telecommunications law, with King & Wood Mallesons in Sydney, and has also worked for the Australian Competition & Consumer Commission, drafting economic regulatory determinations in relation to the telecommunications and energy industries.

# Michelle Burgis-Kasthala

University of St Andrews, Scotland

Michelle Burgis-Kasthala is a lecturer in the School of International Relations at the University of St Andrews where she teaches courses on International Law and Middle East Politics. Michelle has an interest in the role of international law across the Middle East, particularly as this relates to legitimacy and international courts.

#### **Petra Butler**

#### Victoria University of Wellington

Petra Butler is an Associate Director of the New Zealand Centre for Public Law at Victoria University of Wellington. Petra has been admitted as a barrister and solicitor of the High Court of New Zealand and has also practised law in Germany. Her academic areas of interest centre on human rights law, comparative law and conflict of laws, in particular international commercial law. She is New Zealand's rapporteur for UNICITRAL in the area of the international sale of goods. Petra has also contributed to books and published many articles on human rights and international commercial contracts in both English and German.

# **Andrew Byrnes**

ANZSIL President, University of New South Wales

Andrew Byrnes has served as President of the Australian and New Zealand Society of International Law since mid-2010, and will complete his second and final term in that role in July 2013. He is Professor of Law at the University of New South Wales and Chair of the Australian Human Rights Centre based in the UNSW Law School. He teaches and writes in the fields of public international law, human rights. and international criminal/humanitarian law. His recent publications include the co-authored Bills of Rights in Australia: History, Theory and Practice (2009) and the co-edited proceedings of the 2010 Four Societies Conference (A Byrnes, M Hayashi and C Michaelsen (eds), International Law in the New Age of Globalization (2013), and articles on gender and human rights, national human rights institutions, economic and social rights, and the incorporation of human rights in Australia law. He has served as co-rapporteur of the International Law Association's Committee on International Human Rights Law and Practice, and as a member of the Asian Development Bank's Forum on Gender and Development. Since November 2012 he has been part-time external legal adviser to the Commonwealth Parliamentary Joint Committee on Human Rights.

# **Jennifer Cavenagh**

Attorney-General's Department

Jennifer Cavenagh is currently a Senior Legal Officer in the International Human Rights Law Section of the Office of International Law, in the Attorney-General's Department. She has worked in the Office of International Law since 2010. As a lawyer with OIL, Ms Cavenagh has provided legal and policy advice on issues ranging from international refugee law to international environmental law and international human rights law.

Jennifer joined the Attorney-General's Department in 2008. Since that time, she has worked in a number of positions across the Department, including Family Law and the Access to Justice Taskforce, which released the Strategic Framework for Access to Justice in 2009.

In addition, in 2009–10, Jennifer Cavenagh undertook a nine-month internship at the International Court of Justice in The Hague, during which she was an associate to Judges Keith and Shi. As part of her role, Jennifer undertook research for Judges Keith and Shi on questions of international law and arguments presented by States in cases before the Court. She also attended hearings and assisted the Judges with additional work, as required.

# **Louise Chappell**

University of New South Wales

Louise Chappell is a Professor and ARC Future Fellow in the School of Social Sciences at the University of New South Wales where she is working on a project assessing the implementation of the ICC's gender justice mandate during the Court's first decade in operation. Her project looks across the ICC, including its prosecutorial, judicial, administrative and reparative functions to show how informal gendered rules and 'logics of appropriateness' have continued to influence court outcomes, despite the ground-breaking gender mandate of the Rome Statute. Louise is currently writing a book on the subject, to be published by Oxford University Press in 2014.

Louise's work on the ICC builds on her earlier research on women's rights and comparative research on the obstacles confronting feminist activists in pursuing gender just reforms in bureaucratic, legislative and legal arenas. Her first book, which addressed the Australian and Canadian women's movements engagement with the state, was awarded the American Political Science Associations prize for the best book in the field of women and politics. Louise also has a strong research interest in the gendered dimensions of federalism and has recently co-edited a special issue on the topic in Publius: The Journal of Federalism (January 2013) and a chapter with Deborah Brennan and Kim Rubenstein in Kildea, Lynch and Williams' (eds) Tomorrow's Federation (2012).

With Andrea Durbach, Andrew Byrnes, Sarah Williams and Beth Goldblatt, Louise organised the 2012 ICC conference Justice for All? at the University of New South Wales as well as a workshop on gender justice and the ICC in conjunction with the

Hague-based Women's Initiatives for Gender Justice for NGOs across the Asia-Pacific Region. Louise regularly attends the ICC's Assembly of States Parties meetings and engages closely with ICC officials and NGOs.

#### **Madelaine Chiam**

#### University of Melbourne

Madelaine Chiam is a PhD Candidate and sessional lecturer at the Melbourne Law School. Her research interests are in international legal histories, the interactions of international laws with the local and international human rights law. Her PhD examines the role of international law in public debate around war in Australia during three conflicts: the 2003 Iraq War, the Vietnam War and World War I. Madelaine was previously a Research Fellow and Lecturer at the ANU College of Law and in legal practice. Madelaine is Secretary of ANZSIL until the end of her term in June 2013.

# **Agnes Chong**

# University of Hong Kong

Agnes Chong is a PhD candidate at the University of Hong Kong and Solicitor of the High Court of Hong Kong (non-practising). She holds a BA (Hons) in Chinese and Management Studies from the University of Leeds, England; a Graduate Certificate in International Relations and Economics from Johns Hopkins University Nanjing Center, China; an MSc in Development Studies from the London School of Economics and Political Science; a Graduate Diploma of Law from BPP Law School, England; a Postgraduate Certificate in Laws from the City University of Hong Kong; and a Master of Laws in Human Rights from the University of Hong Kong. In her professional experience, she has held positions as Consultant of the United Nation's Resident Co-ordinator's Office both in Thailand and China, Paralegal at the International Finance Corporation (World Bank Group) in Beijing, Paralegal at Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer in Hong Kong, and Associate practising in corporate finance with the international law firms O'Melveny & Myers and Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton in Hong Kong. Her research interests include international human rights law, the rule of law, constitutionalism,

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#### Alberto Costi

#### Victoria University of Wellington

Alberto Costi is an Associate Professor of Law at Victoria University of Wellington. He holds degrees from the Université de Montréal, the College of Europe in Bruges and Harvard Law School. His research interests relate to international law, including the law of international institutions, international human rights law and international criminal law, areas in which he has published, spoken at international conferences and commented in the media and before parliamentary committees. He has also provided legal advice to governments and other bodies on international law and EU law. Alberto has recently edited a special issue of the New Zealand Journal of Public and International Law entitled 'Enhancing Stability in the International Economic Order' (with Susy Frankel) and he is currently completing the second edition of The Laws of New Zealand - International Law: Principles (LexisNexis, Wellington, forthcoming 2013). He currently sits on the editorial boards of six journals and serves as Vice-President of the New Zealand Association for Comparative Law and Secretary-General of the International Law Association New Zealand Branch.

#### Monique Egli Costi

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# **Tony Denholder**

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Tony has also been advising BHP Billiton on native title matters for its Bowen Basin coal projects. He has been advising Santos on the proposed development of its \$7.7 billion LNG project in Gladstone, resulting in a number of indigenous land use agreements being negotiated with relevant native title groups.

Tony has also advised a consortium of coal companies (including the world's largest diversified resources companies—BHP Billiton, Rio Tinto Coal Australia, Vale and Xstrata Coal) on native title issues in respect to the proposed Wiggins Island Coal Export Terminal project in Gladstone. Similarly, he has been advising a consortium including Queensland Rail and Xstrata on native title strategy to enable the development of the Surat Basin Rail project, and Hancock Coal on the Alpha Project (which involves a new coal mine, 500km railway and port facility).

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Tony was on the native title policy working group for the Australian Petroleum Production & Exploration Association, and has served on the board of Cape York Partnerships which delivers welfare reform and capacity building programs to indigenous communities on Cape York in Queensland.

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Andrea has held numerous appointments, including part-time commissioner of the NSW Law Reform Commission and part-time judicial member of the Administrative Decisions Tribunal (Legal Services Division). She is a Foundation Fellow of the Australian Academy of Law and is currently a member of the board of the NSW Legal Aid Commission, the editorial board of the Australian Journal of Human Rights and the Advisory Council of Jurists of the Asia Pacific Forum of National Human Rights Institutions.

In February 2012, Andrea was co-convenor of a major international conference at UNSW which marked the 10th anniversary of the International Criminal Court (ICC). The conference considered the work and impact of the ICC during its first decade, with a particular focus on the role and success of the ICC in achieving gender justice. The conference was followed by a one-day workshop organised in

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Harold Koh is Sterling Professor of International Law, Yale Law School and former Legal Adviser, United States Department of State. Professor Koh is one of the United States' leading experts in public and private international law, national security law, and human rights. He first began teaching at Yale Law School in 1985 and served as Dean from 2004-09, when he took leave as the Martin R. Flug '55 Professor of International Law to join the State Department. From 1993-2009, he was the Gerard C. & Bernice Latrobe Smith Professor of International Law at Yale Law School, and from 1998-2001. he served as US Assistant Secretary of State for Democracy, Human Rights and Labor.

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Legal work to date includes working as research assistant to QUT Environmental Law professor Douglas Fisher, as tutor and lecturer in land stewardship at Queensland University of Technology, working as a legal researcher for a Sydney based planning lawyer and assisting Don Anton as a subeditor of the *International Law Digest*.

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