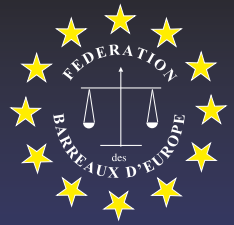


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# PROGRAM



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JUNE 1, 2017

13.30

Meeting of the Presidents of the Commissions and the FBE Presidency

14.30

Meeting of the Commissions

17.00

End of the meetings  
Location : The Hague Bar

18.00

Welcome reception with warm buffet  
Location: Hilton Hotel The Hague

20.00

Dean's concert with drinks afterwards  
Location : Nieuwe Kerk

JUNE 2, 2017

LOCATION :  
INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT (ICC)

8.15

Registration

9.00 - 9.30

Welcoming remarks

9.30 - 10.45

The International Criminal Court, various speakers of the ICC organization

10.45 - 11.15

Coffee break

11.15 - 13.00

Panel 1: Introduction to the ICC Bar Association

Panel 2: Role of Bar

Associations, deontology, code of conduct, court room incidents, local and national bars, disciplinary system

13.00 - 14.00

Lunch

14.00 - 15.30

Afternoon part I :  
Practical experiences  
Practical challenges for the Defense before international tribunals: working in big teams, working with digital files, having to conduct investigations in war zones, political pressure etc.

Legal challenges:

Privilege and professional in the practice before international courts

15.30 - 16.00

Coffee break

16.00 - 17.30

Afternoon part II :  
Achievements of the ICC and other tribunals , expectations and the Future

Challenges faced by the ICC, active complementarity and development of specialized international courts and mixed special criminal courts

17.30 - 18.00

Closing remarks

19.30

Gala dinner (black tie)  
Location: Grand Hotel Amrâth Kurhaus

JUNE 3, 2017

LOCATION: HILTON HOTEL

10.00

Conference of deans

11.00

General Assembly

13.00

Farewell lunch

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**June 1, 2017**

time	<b>Meeting of the Presidency</b>
location : The Hague Bar	<b>Meeting of the Commission Presidents with the Presidency</b> <b>Commission meetings</b> <b>Reception</b> <b>Concert :</b>
Time Location:	<b>Reception – welcome speech by the Major or a member of the Counsel of the Municipality of The Hague</b>
Time Location: Nieuwe Kerk	<b>Dean’s concert with drinks afterwards</b>

**June 2, 2017****location: ICC building**

08:30	<b>Registration (shouldn’t this be a little later? Time to clear security ? )</b>
09:00 – 9:45	<b>Welcoming remarks</b>  <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Mr Yves OSCHINSKY, President of Fédération des Barreaux d’Europe</li> <li>2) Mrs Sylvia FERNANDEZ DE GURMENDI, President of the International Criminal Court</li> <li>3) Mr David DE KNIJF, President of the Hague Bar</li> <li>4) Mr David HOOPER, President of the International Criminal Court Bar Association</li> </ol>
9 :45 – 11 :00	<b>Introduction to the ICC, its organs and current activities</b>  <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Mrs Fatou BENSOU DA, Prosecutor, International Criminal Court (TBC)</li> <li>2) Mr Marc DUBUISSON, Director, Division of Judicial Services of the Registry, International Criminal Court</li> </ol>
11:00 – 11:15	<b>CB</b>
11:15 – 13:00	<b>Deontology before the ICC, the code of conduct for counsels, the settlement of court room incident, confidentiality and disciplinary issues before the Court, the role of local and national bars and the role of the ICCBA</b> <b>Moderator : Mr Pascal Vanderveeren (TBC)</b> <b>Pannel :</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Mr David HOOPER, President of the International Criminal Court Bar Association</li> <li>2. Mr Ernst VAN WIN, Attorney-at-Law, The Hague</li> <li>3. Member of the ICC Disciplinary Board (TBC)</li> </ol> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. Discussions /Question time</li> </ol>
13:00 – 14:00	<b>LUNCH</b>

14:00 – 15:45	<p><b>I : Practical experiences</b></p> <p>Practical challenges for the Defense before international criminal courts : having to conduct investigations in war zones, discovering and contributing to a new procedure, the management of legal aid, the relationship with the organs of the in charge of Defense issues, working with digital files (e-court system)...</p> <p>Moderator: Mr Alphons Orié,</p> <p>Panel:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Mrs Caroline BUISMAN, Defence Counsel before the ICC</li> <li>2) Mrs Paolina MASSIDDA, Principal Counsel, Office of the Public Counsel for Victims, ICC</li> <li>3) Mr Xavier-Jean KEITA, Principal Counsel, Office of the Public Counsel for the Defence, ICC</li> <li>4) Mr Esteban PERLATA LOSILLA, Head of the Counsel Support Section, ICC</li> <li>5) Mrs Julie GOFFIN , member of a victims’ legal representation team before the ICC</li> </ol>
15.45 – 16.00	<b>CB</b>
16.00 – 17.30	<p><b>II : Achievements of the ICC and other tribunals , expectations and the Future</b></p> <p>Challenges faced by the ICC, active complementarity and development of specialized international courts and mixed special criminal courts</p> <p>Moderator : Mr Steven Kay (TBC)</p> <p>Panel :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Mr Ian EDWARDS,</li> <li>2) Mrs Nicole VOGELZANG, Prosecutor in international crimes, Rotterdam, The Netherlands</li> <li>3) Mr Francois ROUX, Head of Defence Office, Special Tribunal for Lebanon</li> </ol> <p>Question time</p>
16.30 – 17.00	<b>Closing remarks. Speaker to be confirmed</b>
	<b>June 3</b>
10.00 location: ?	<b>General Assembly</b>
12.30 location: ?	<b>Farewell Lunch</b>