



Georgetown University Law Center (Washington, DC)
March 29 – 30, 2016

Day I: Tuesday, March 29, Hart Auditorium

8:45-9:15 Registration/Informal Networking Breakfast

9:15-9:30 Welcome & Opening Remarks
Anne-Marie Carstens & Elizabeth Varner

9:30 – 10:40 International Human Rights & Cultural Heritage: Intangible Cultural Heritage, Indigenous Cultures, and Human Remains

- Alison Renteln (University of Southern California): *Intangible Cultural Heritage: Philosophy, Terminology and Complications*
- Vanessa Tuensmeyer (Maastricht University): *Bridging International Human Rights Law and Cultural Heritage Law*
- Christopher Frerking (University of New Hampshire School of Law) & Heather Gill-Frerking (JD Candidate, Vermont Law School): *Addressing the Need for International, Legal Frameworks for the Protection of Ancient Human Remains*

10:40 – 10:55 Coffee Break

10:55 – 12:15 Law of Armed Conflict & Cultural Heritage

- Elizabeth Varner (Indiana University Robert H. McKinney School of Law, U.S. Department of the Interior): *Evolution of International Treaties and US Policies, and Procedures Affecting Cultural Heritage in Armed Conflict and Occupation*
- Kristin Hausler (British Institute of International & Comparative Law): *The Protection of Cultural Heritage in Armed Conflict under Customary International Law*
- Alberto Costi (Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand): *Failure to Legally Protect Cultural Heritage in Armed Conflicts: Recommendations for the Future*
- Roger O'Keefe (University College London, Faculty of Law): *Cultural Heritage and the Laws of Armed Conflict: Ecce Homo*

12:30 – 1:45 Lunch Keynote: Five-Year Retrospective on the Cultural Heritage of Syria and Iraq
(Venue change: *Gewirz Student Center, 12th floor)

- Patty Gerstenblith (DePaul University College of Law)

2:00 – 3:10 International Criminal Law & Cultural Heritage

- Anne-Marie Carstens (Georgetown University Law Center): *Origins of International Criminal Law for Cultural Heritage Crimes*
- Karolina Wierczynska & Andrzej Jakubowski (Institute of Law Studies, Polish Academy of Sciences): *Cultural Heritage Crimes in the Sahara before the International Criminal Court: Lessons from the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and Beyond*
- Derek Fincham (South Texas College of Law): *Individual Criminal Responsibility for the Intentional Destruction of Cultural Heritage in Mali*

3:10 – 4:15 **Extraterritorial Protection of Cultural Heritage**

- **Vincent Negri** (Le Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique): *Collective Responsibility to Preserve the Cultural Heritage of Humanity: The Role of the UN Security Council in the New Millennium*
- **Lucas Lixinski** (UNSW, Australia): *Concurrent State Responsibility in International Cultural Heritage Law, between Erga Omnes Obligations and Territoriality*
- **Sabine von Schorlemer** (Technical University of Dresden): *Military Intervention, the UN Security Council, and the Role of UNESCO: The Case of Mali*

4:15 – 4:25 **Coffee Break**

4:25 – 5:30 **The International Movement and Restitution of Cultural Artifacts**

- **Rachelle Browne** (Smithsonian Institution): *UNESCO's Intersections with Museum Standards and Practices*
- **Martin Bell** (United States Attorney's Office, Southern District of New York): *Civil Forfeiture as a Tool for International Repatriation of Cultural Objects*
- **Nick O'Donnell** (Sullivan & Worcester LLP law firm): *The World's Cultural Policeman? Act of State and Foreign Sovereign Immunity, Immunity from Seizure, and Disputes in the United States over the Return of Cultural Property*

Day 2: Wednesday, March 30, Gewirz Student Center

8:45-9:15 **Registration/Informal Networking Breakfast**
Sponsored by the Georgetown Art Law Society

9:15-9:30 **Opening Remarks**
Anne-Marie Carstens & Elizabeth Varner

9:30 – 10:45 **World Heritage & the World Court**

- **James Nafziger** (Willamette University College of Law): *World Heritage, the World Court, and the World of Non-State Actors*
- **Marina Lostal** (The Hague University): *One Wrong Way of Thinking About Cultural Property in Armed Conflict: The Relationship Between the World Heritage List and the Enhanced Protection List*
- **Gabriele Gagliani** (Ecole Normale Supérieure/University of Palermo/Bocconi University): *The International Court of Justice and Cultural Heritage: International Cultural Heritage Law Through the Lenses of the World Court Jurisprudence?*

10:45 – 11:00 **Closing Remarks**

11:00 – 11:45 **Concluding Keynote: Commentary on the *Case Concerning the Temple of Preah Vihear (Interpretation)* (Cambodia v. Thailand)**

- **Sir Frank Berman**, former Legal Adviser to the UK Foreign & Commonwealth Office and specialist in international law and international arbitration who successfully represented Cambodia before the International Court of Justice in the *Case concerning the Temple of Preah Vihear (Interpretation)*
- **Roger O'Keefe**, Discussant (Professor of Public International Law at University College London)