This YLS community e-newsletter aims to help you navigate events and opportunities relating to international, transnational, foreign, and comparative law.

**YLS EVENTS**

**Monday, October 19, 12:00PM - 1:20PM**
Digital Event
**Latin America: The New COVID-19 Epicenter**
Sponsored by the Solomon Center for Health Law and Policy and Latinx Law Students Association

**Monday, October 19, 12:10PM**
Digital Event
**Student Roundtable: The U.S.-China Trade War: What's Next?**
Sponsored by the Paul Tsai China Center
Tuesday, October 20, 6:10PM - 7:10PM
Digital Event
Kirby Simon Summer Human Rights Fellowship Panel & Information Session
Sponsored by the Schell Center for International Human Rights

Thursday, October 22, 12:35PM - 2:00PM
Digital Event
EIC Guest Lecture, Neel Chatterjee (Goodwin Procter): "IP Strategies for Disruptive Businesses"
Sponsored by the Oscar M. Rubehausen Fund at Yale Law School

Friday, October 23, 12:10PM - 1:00PM
Digital Event
Criminalizing China: Assessing the Department of Justice’s China Initiative
Sponsored by the Paul Tsai China Center

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SAVE THE DATE

Monday, October 26, 2020
Zoom Webinar
Time: 6:00pm - 7:00pm EDT

Dr. Mona Hanna-Attisha will deliver the 2020 Gruber Distinguished Lecture in Global Justice on "Water Crisis in Flint and COVID-19 Pandemic in U.S.: Lessons Learned and Preparing for The Next Public Health Crisis." Dr. Hanna-Attisha will be in conversation with Dr. Kaveh Khoshnood and the lecture will take place virtually on Monday October 26, at 6:00 p.m.

Dr. Mona Hanna-Attisha is founder and director of the Michigan State University and Hurley Children’s Hospital Pediatric Public Health Initiative, an innovative and model public health program in Flint, Michigan. A pediatrician, scientist, activist and author, Dr. Hanna-Attisha was instrumental in uncovering the Flint water crisis and leading recovery efforts. She has testified three times before the United States Congress, and her for her advocacy has been
awarded the Freedom of Expression Courage Award by PEN America, named one of Time magazine’s 100 Most Influential People in the World, recognized as one of USA Today’s Women of the Century. Dr. Hanna-Attisha’s book, What the Eyes Don’t See: A Story of Crisis, Resistance, and Hope in an American City was named a 2018 New York Times 100 Notable Book.

Dr. Hanna-Attisha holds a BS and MPH degree from the University of Michigan and her MD from Michigan State University College of Human Medicine (MSU CHM). She completed her residency at Children’s Hospital of Michigan in Detroit. She is currently a C. S. Mott Endowed Professor of Public Health and an Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Human Development and at MSU CHM.

Dr. Kaveh Khoshnood is Associate Professor of Epidemiology and Director of Undergraduate Studies at Yale School of Public Health.

Please register:
https://yale.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_h2Cqww3RAGa-rF_dsWt0w

CAMPUS EVENTS

Sunday, October 18
Digital Event
Visual Acts of Radical Care: An Exhibition of Feminist Artists-Activists from Central and Eastern Europe
Sponsored by the European Studies Council

Sunday, October 18, 12:00PM - 2:00PM
Digital Event
Navarātri Concert
Sponsored by the Yale Hindu Life Program, Yale Institute of Sacred Music, and the South Asian Studies Council
Digital Event
Reflections on Research: CLAIS & ESC Photo and Essay Prize
Sponsored by the Council on Latin American & Iberian Studies and the European Studies Council

Digital Event
Remembering Manchuria in Contemporary Japanese Television
Sponsored by the Council on East Asian Studies

Digital Event
Jackson Visiting Fellow Discussion Forum | James Clapper
Sponsored by the Jackson Institute for Global Affairs

Digital Event
Sponsored by the Council on African Studies

Digital Event
Revolt Against Empire: Protest and Armed Resistance in Japan and West Germany, 1967-1972
Sponsored by the Council on East Asian Studies

Digital Event
African Writers in Conversation Series: Margie Orford
Sponsored by the Council on African Studies
Thursday, October 22, 2:00PM - 3:00PM
Digital Event
K-Romanizer, an automation tool for Korean romanization
Sponsored by the Council on East Asian Studies

Friday, October 23, 10:00AM - 11:00AM
Digital Event
Hong Kong and the United States: Where do we go from here?
Sponsored by the Jackson Institute for Global Affairs

Friday, October 23, 10:00AM - 11:30AM
Digital Event
“Big Lessons from Small Nations: How to Do Comparative Policy Analysis,” with James Breiding, S8Nations
Sponsored by the Institution for Social and Policy Studies

Friday, October 23, 12:00PM - 1:00PM
Digital Event
Global Health Studies Speaker Series | Heidi Cerneka
Sponsored by the Global Health Studies Program

Friday, October 23, 12:00PM - 1:15PM
Digital Event
“Immigration, Fiscal Burden, and Preferences for Spending,” Sergi Pardos-Prado, University of Glasgow
Sponsored by the American and Comparative Political Behavior Workshop

Friday, October 23, 12:00PM - 2:00PM
Digital Event
The INS on the Line: A Discussion with Historian Deborah Kang
Sponsored by the Yale Center for the Study of Representative Institutions
Saturday, October 24, 10:00AM - 4:30PM
Digital Event
Bridging Language and Content: Making Interdisciplinary Connections in Higher Education - Focus on Advanced Korean Curriculum Development
Sponsored by the Council on East Asian Studies

Saturday, October 24, 5:30PM - 7:30PM
Digital Event
SAGA presents: Codename “South Asia”
Sponsored by the South Asian Graduate and Professional Association at Yale

RESOURCES

Academic
Each year we select the YLS course offerings to highlight courses that have a significant focus on international, foreign, transnational, comparative and global issues. You may access the culled list of this term’s related courses offerings on the YLS International Law webpages.

You may also consult the YLS website for additional information regarding international law area studies and human rights law.

Select Yale Law School And University Centers And Programs:
Abdallah S. Kamel Center for the Study of Islamic Law and Civilization
Comparative Administrative Law Initiative
Global Health and Justice Partnership
Gruber Program for Global Justice and Women’s Rights
Jackson Institute for Global Affairs
MacMillan Center for International and Area Studies
Middle East Legal Studies Seminar
Orville H. Schell, Jr. Center for International Human Rights
Paul Tsai China Center
Robina Foundation Human Rights Fellowship Initiative
SELA (Seminario en Latinoamérica de Teoría Constitucional y Política)
GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Funding for International Research

*Due to COVID-19, Yale Law School and the University have suspended its support for international travel until further notice.

The Streicker Fund for Student Research provides support for academic projects requiring international travel. Examples include field research, in-country interviews with relevant stakeholders, and archival research. Research trips are typically conducted during extended academic recesses (e.g., summer or winter break).

The Oscar M. Ruebhausen Fund for student domestic research projects provides support for students to engage in domestic research and pursue academic inquiry and discourse. This fund is part of the larger Oscar M. Ruebhausen Fund.

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

ASIL Virtual Midyear Meeting: October 29-30, 2020

The virtual meeting encompasses several events, including leadership meetings of the Society’s Executive Council and the Board of Editors of the American Journal of International Law; the Research Forum, which features cutting-edge international law scholarship by more than 70 authors; and the Practitioners’ Forum. Students at Academic Partner schools receive complimentary registration to ASIL’s Research Forum. Registration for the Research
Forum is currently open. Interested students can register at www.asil.org/midyear-meeting using the special code **APSTUDENT**.

**The 7th Annual Clara Barton International Humanitarian Law Competition: March 12-21, 2021 - Due: November 2, 2020**

The American Red Cross, in partnership with the Clara Barton Committee and the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC), is proud to announce the 7th Annual Clara Barton International Humanitarian Law (IHL) Competition. The Clara Barton IHL Competition (CBC) is an opportunity to bring together leading IHL practitioners, military academy cadets, and law students to explore this fascinating area of law. A $50 non-refundable application fee is required for all applying teams. Due to the reduced cost of holding the competition virtually, this year’s competition will not include an additional participation fee. For additional information visit [here](#). All application materials (including fees) must be submitted to the Competition Committee through the website and at clarabartonihlcompetition@gmail.com by 11:59 PM (EST) on Monday, November 2, 2020.

**2021 Jean Pictet Competition - Due: November 8, 2020***

35th Edition - Durrës, Albania, April 3 to 10, 2021

36th Edition - Denpasar, Indonesia, September-October 2021

The Jean-Pictet Competition is a training event in international humanitarian law (IHL) for students (law, political science, military academies, professional institutes ...) taking part in the competition in teams of three persons. The 48 selected teams, usually from the five continents, receive a remote training in IHL. The selected teams then meet for one week in a place that changes every year, for the Competition itself. They compete in the context of simulations and role plays built around a fictitious armed conflict. Teams play the role of actors of armed conflicts (military, humanitarian, political officers, lawyers...) in a context larger and richer than the sole judiciary context. Teams benefit from the support of tutors in tests where they are assessed by the jury. All tests are oral - no written part is required, except the application file. The [2021 Regulations](#) and the [online form](#) are available on concourspictet.org.

*Ability to participate is subject to Yale’s travel restrictions due to the on-going COVID-19 pandemic.*
American Society of International Law (ASIL)
As an academic partner with the American Society of International Law (ASIL), interested staff, faculty, and students of the University can become a member at a 50% discount. For more information, go to the ASIL website. To sign up, go to [http://www.asil.org/membership](http://www.asil.org/membership) and click “JOIN ASIL.” On the payment page, you will be able to enter the discount code: ASILACADPART.

Check the YLS website for information regarding other opportunities, including support for [student research and activities](http://www.asil.org/membership) and [post-graduate fellowship opportunities](http://www.asil.org/membership). The Yale University [student grants databases](http://www.asil.org/membership) also a great resource for both Yale-specific and external funding sources.

Should you be thinking about summer and post-graduate fellowships as well as jobs, we want to draw your attention to a factsheet, available through the YLS landing page of International Law, at the "Career Planning and Fellowships" tile. It is CAS password protected and may be accessed [here](http://www.asil.org/membership).

We welcome your input! To submit feedback or event notices and other items of interest, email us at international.law@yale.edu