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## I. In eigener Sache/Aus der Gesellschaft

### **38. Zweijahrestagung der DGIR in Göttingen, 15.03.2023-17.03.2023**

Die Tagung zum Thema „Koloniale Kontinuitäten im Internationalen Recht“ wird vom 15. – 17. März 2023 in Göttingen stattfinden. Unter: <https://www.38zweijahrestagungdgir.de/> können Sie sich ab sofort anmelden; Sie finden dort auch das Programm sowie nähere Informationen zum Tagungsort.

Die Tagung ist als Präsenzveranstaltung geplant, es besteht jedoch die Möglichkeit, online teilzunehmen. Genauere Hinweise über die Modalitäten werden kurz vor der Tagung bekannt gegeben. An der Mitgliederversammlung kann nur in Präsenz teilgenommen werden. Die Frist für die Anmeldung zur **Präsenzteilnahme** läuft bis zum **26. Februar 2023**. Die Frist für die Anmeldung zur **virtuellen** Teilnahme läuft bis zum **13. März 2023**.

## II. Calls for Papers

### **American Review of International Arbitration Vol. 32 No. 2, American Review of International Arbitration at Columbia Law School (Deadline: 15.01.2023)**

The American Review of International Arbitration at Columbia Law School, a leading international arbitration journal, is soliciting manuscripts of Articles and Notes for possible publication in Volume 34, no. 2's special issue on the intersections between the Russian-Ukraine War and international arbitration. We welcome Articles by scholars, practitioners, and other professionals, as well as Notes by law students, with especial encouragement for authors from communities traditionally underrepresented in international arbitration scholarship and practice. While submissions related to the Russian-Ukraine war are especially encouraged, we welcome manuscripts on other topics.

Please submit manuscripts as an email attachment in Microsoft Word format to [aria@law.columbia.edu](mailto:aria@law.columbia.edu), with "Submission for Review [last name]" as the subject line, **by January 15, 2023**. ARIA also accepts manuscripts of Blog Posts relating to recent developments in international arbitration for potential online publication on a year-round basis. Please direct any questions to ARIA's Student Editor-in-Chief, Olivia Lu, who can be reached at [osl2102@columbia.edu](mailto:osl2102@columbia.edu). The call for submissions can be found [here](#).

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### **AjV-DGIR Conference on Progress and International Law, Working Group of Young Scholars in Public International Law, German Society of International Law (Deadline: 16.01.2023)**

The Working Group of Young Scholars in Public International Law (Arbeitskreis junger Völkerrechtswissenschaftler\*innen – AjV) and the German Society of International Law (Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationales Recht – DGIR) are pleased to invite the submission of abstracts for their joint conference on "Progress and International Law" which

will be held on 22-23 September 2023 at the University of Cologne. We welcome all theoretical approaches and methods and explicitly invite doctrinal work as well as post-colonial, feminist, and other critical approaches.

The conference's main purpose is to bring together junior and senior scholars. We hence invite PhD students and early career researchers to present their work. Each speaker will receive individualised comments from an established scholar who will act as the discussant for the respective paper. **The deadline for submission of abstracts is 16 January 2023.** Selected candidates will be notified by 13 February 2023. Paper drafts must be submitted by 5 June 2023. We envisage publishing the contributions. The conference is currently planned as an on-site event. For those selected speakers whose participation in the conference will not be covered by other sources, we are aiming to cover both accommodation and travelling costs. Further information will be available upon the acceptance of the abstract.

For more information on the topic and potential research questions as well as the requirements and procedure for submission, please find the Call for Abstracts [here](#).

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### **A Winter's Tale: Standing on the Shoulders of Giants, Völkerrechtsblog (Deadline: 20.01.2023)**

In academia, we are often pressured to present everything about our research as original, to the degree of over-exaggerating the contribution it will make to scholarship. Of course, when you identify a gap in literature, your research proposal or your article should be going the distance to fill that gap in its entirety. We are expected to promote our own writings on LinkedIn and Twitter (as long as that lasts) and take every opportunity possible to present our research to our peers as well as to communicate about its relevance to the general public.

Well, as we have now reached the darkest month of the year and tis the season for sharing, we are all about appreciating the people around us and giving back to the community. So, let's step out of our individualist mindset and think about what this community or – more precisely – certain people within this community have done for us. For years, Google Scholar has been rightly pointing out that we are '[standing on the shoulders of giants](#)'. Before Google, there was Isaac Newton who admitted in 1675 that "If I have seen further, it is by standing on the shoulders of giants." Indeed, day in, day out, we are looking at what others have written before us. When I say giants, I am sure most of you will think about the most senior of professors, people holding impressive chairs in prestigious institutions and people with multiple pages of publications including multiple monographs. Perhaps you think of people holding keynote speeches or those you would contact to write the preface of your first book. Well, that would be a valid but very obvious way to paint the picture of an academic giant. What I am instead going for is the kind of giant you had never heard of, but you stumbled upon in the late hours of doing literature review and who then became indispensable for your own work.

The giant whose shoulders you frequently stood/stand on might not always reach all that many readers and would probably be quite surprised to see multiple references to their 'forgotten work' in your published research. Of course, everyone has multiple giants – and

certainly the abovementioned ‘most senior of professors’ are not excluded from this category – but not all giants receive the same amount of credit or have the same visibility. There are countless interesting contributions stuck in the *maze* of publication pressure that are barely (or ever) read.

Sometimes it is even unclear where your personal giant has moved on to. You know them from a particular paper in a particular timeframe. Some might not be in academia anymore and some might have advanced to be judges at the *Bundesverfassungsgericht*. The publication that got them their giant status (for you personally) might not even make it to their most-relevant-publications-list, submitted on applications for grants or fellowships.

Here at Völkerrechtsblog, we sadly cannot provide a platform for shout-outs to people who have been assigned giant status because they took time out of their day to write the most critical but detailed and helpful peer review reports or to the amazing and inspiring lecturer who sparked an interest that brought you to where you are today. What we can do – as a blog devoted to the promotion of open-access legal research – is to provide you with a platform to bring attention to the research your personal giant has published.

### **So, What Do We Want From You?**

Well, we are not looking to receive a *laudatio* for a specific researcher, instead, we want to bring the focus to their work: the journal article, the chapter, the book, the master thesis or even the blogpost. We are looking for answers to some – but not all – of the following questions: 1. Why do people need to read it? Does the contribution offer a detailed methodology that you have built on? Does it include a clear definition in a context that is plagued by terminological inconsistency? Was it the first one to apply a certain methodology to a specific theme? Does it manage to explain a delicate issue in clear and direct language? 2. Who needs to read it? Which audiences have not picked up on it but should have done so? For whom could the methodology be interesting? Was it missed because of the chosen language? 3. What was its relevance for you personally? How did you (and perhaps others) build on it? Did you manage to discuss your own findings with the author in person? 4. How did you find out about the contribution/research in question? Was it shared or promoted to you by another researcher (perhaps unknown peer reviewer A)? Was it presented at a conference (and where)? 5. How does it fit into existing literature? How does it relate to your research? 6. Where can our readers find it? In which language was it written?...

Please send your abstract in English of up to 500 words to [editorial-team@voelkerrechtsblog.org](mailto:editorial-team@voelkerrechtsblog.org) (please mention ‘Standing on the shoulders of giants’ in the subject line). The deadline for abstract submissions is 20 January 2023. Selected abstract authors will be asked to hand in a blogpost by 24 February 2023. Submissions should also mention the affiliation of the authors, contain a short bio (max. 200 words), and, if available, links to their social media accounts. We are interested in authors (and giants) from all around the globe. In the selection process, we aim to reflect diversity in terms of gender, geography, and so on.

- Deadline for abstract submission: 20 January 2023
- Confirmation of selection: 27 January 2023
- Submission of blogpost: 24 February 2023
- Symposium: 13-17 March 2023

You can [download our call for blogposts here](#).

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**Translucent Justice? Transparency and International Courts and Tribunals, Max Planck Institute Luxembourg for International, European and Procedural Law (Deadline: 25.01.2023)**

The Department of International Law and Dispute Resolution of the Max Planck Institute Luxembourg for International, European and Procedural Law is pleased to invite papers for a conference on Translucent Justice? Transparency and International Courts and Tribunals in October 2023. This conference aims at refocusing the conversation surrounding transparency and international courts and tribunals. The objective is to provide a platform to analyse recent developments in practice as well as scholarship that address manifestations, causes and potential drawbacks of transparency. Such an approach will highlight the reactions of international courts and tribunals to this, ranging from reluctance to strategic use and instrumentalisation. To this end, transparency is understood as access to, and knowledge of, the activity of courts and tribunals for parties, participants and third parties, in the exercise of their functions as judicial bodies as well as institutions generally. The organisers welcome contributions that employ critical, comparative and empirical approaches, through either qualitative or quantitative studies, devoted but not limited to the themes of Transparency as a Notion; Transparency and the Exercise of Judicial Function; and Transparency and Courts as Institutions. Further details can be found [here](#).

**Submissions:** Abstracts between 400 and 600 words should be submitted to [kritika.sharma@mpi.lu](mailto:kritika.sharma@mpi.lu) and [olivier.baillet@mpi.lu](mailto:olivier.baillet@mpi.lu) by **25 January 2023**. Notification of acceptance shall be sent by **1<sup>st</sup> March 2023**. Full draft papers are to be submitted by **15 August 2023**. Selected papers will be presented at the conference on **19 and 20 October 2023**. The papers will be published as part of a special issue in the Journal of International Dispute Settlement.

**Early career researchers:** Submissions by early career researchers (PhD candidates and recent PhD holders) are particularly encouraged and welcome. Co-authored submissions are also welcome.

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**The Politics and Ethics of the Climate Emergency, Lauri Lahikainen and Katharina Braun (Deadline: 31.01.2023)**

*Perspectives from Philosophy, Political Theory, Law, and Social Sciences*

The science of climate change is well established: amongst its effects are rising sea levels, frequent and intense draughts, the loss of ecosystems, and extreme weather events. These severe threats as well as the urgency of the matter have given rise to naming the current situation a 'climate emergency'.

In this workshop, we explore the climate emergency from the perspective of philosophy, political theory, law, social sciences, and related disciplines. The workshop is motivated by

the question of how different disciplines conceptualize the climate emergency and its implications, both in theory and practice.

For example, contributions may address the following themes/ questions:

- There is a rich body of theoretical literature on emergencies generally, including works of Carl Schmitt, Giorgio Agamben, Nomi Claire Lazar, Elaine Scarry and Tom Sorell; does it also address the specificities of the climate emergency?
- How is the climate emergency different from or similar to emergencies such as war, pandemics, and natural disasters?
- Which notions (e.g., crisis, state of exception) are available as alternatives or in addition to emergency?
- How does the climate emergency as transnational emergency impact on the notion and practice of sovereignty?
- Which social/ political/ legal/ economic mechanisms prevent treating climate change as an emergency? Does the 'emergency frame' add to effective climate action?
- Who can declare the climate emergency? What makes for an apt climate emergency declaration? What can we learn from the climate emergency declarations that have already been issued by municipalities, universities, states, and other entities?
- What are (and should) be the legal implications of declaring a climate emergency?
- Does the climate emergency allow for the suspension of some ordinary moral or political norms? Which and how?
- Is there a tension between activists' demands for more democracy in climate policymaking, and the notion of emergency? If yes, how can it be addressed?
- Climate activists employ a wide range of strategies; which promise success? Can they be vindicated ethically/ politically/ legally as proper responses to the climate emergency? Can they be considered civil disobedience?

The workshop will take place on **12-13 June 2023** at Tampere University, Finland. To apply, send an abstract of 300-500 words to [climateemergencytampere@gmail.com](mailto:climateemergencytampere@gmail.com) by **31 January 2023**. Decisions will be announced in late February.

Participants will be expected to submit a short draft paper 10 days before the workshop and to give a presentation of approximately 20 minutes. Additionally, participants may be asked to prepare brief comments addressing another speaker's draft.

We welcome interdisciplinary submissions as well as submissions by PhD researchers. Participation is free of charge. Travel bursaries may be available for a limited number of participants who do not have access to research funding from their institutions.

For any inquiries, please contact the organizers Lauri Lahikainen and Katharina Braun at [climateemergencytampere@gmail.com](mailto:climateemergencytampere@gmail.com).



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## **2. Jahrestagung Junges Nachhaltigkeitsrecht (Deadline: 01.02.2023)**

Wir freuen uns mitteilen zu können, dass die **2. Jahrestagung Junges Nachhaltigkeitsrecht** vom **16. bis zum 17. Juni 2023 in Halle (Saale)** stattfinden wird.

Im Rahmen einer zweitägigen Konferenz wollen wir uns aus intradisziplinärer Perspektive den Grundfragen des Nachhaltigkeitskonzepts und der Operationalisierung von Nachhaltigkeit im Recht widmen. Deshalb rufen wir alle Interessent\*innen auf, sich mit einem Abstract und einer Kurzbiografie bis zum 1. Februar 2023 an uns ([junges.nachhaltigkeitsrecht@protonmail.com](mailto:junges.nachhaltigkeitsrecht@protonmail.com)) zu wenden. Weitere Informationen entnehmen Sie bitte dem [Call for Abstracts](#).

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## **Journal of International Peace and Organization: Issue 1-2/2023, Journal of International Peace and Organization / Die Friedens-Warte (Deadline: 15.02.2023)**

The editors of the Journal of International Peace and Organization (“Die Friedens-Warte”) are pleased to invite abstracts and contributions in the journal’s first issue of volume 96 (1-2/2023):

Kindly send your contribution (format: .docx, .rtf or, ideally, .doc) in German or English to [friedenswarte@bwv-verlag.de](mailto:friedenswarte@bwv-verlag.de) by **15 February 2023** for a first review (manuscripts approx. 45,000 to 70,000 characters; also shorter submissions are welcome). For any further information please see our website [friedenswarte.bwv-verlag.de](http://friedenswarte.bwv-verlag.de).

### **Thematic focus issue 1–2/2023: European Peace and Security Order: Past – Present – Future**

With the Russian Federation’s war of aggression against Ukraine, which began on 24 February 2022, the plan of a peace order for the entire European continent seems obsolete, at least for the foreseeable future. Instead of peace, the focus is currently on security; the paradigm of cooperation has given way to open confrontation, and in perspective, after the end of the war, little more than mere cohabitation between Russia and “the West” seems possible. Many predict a new East-West conflict, some even see a new Cold War on the horizon.

The editors of the Frieden-Warte invite you to reflect on political and legal aspects of the European peace and security order in the past, present and future, and invite contributions on political or legal aspects of the thematic focus. Possible topics or aspects could be, for example:

- *Paradigms: peace/security, confrontation/cohabitation/cooperation, etc.;*

- *Role of institutions: CSCE/OSCE, UN, Council of Europe, EU, NATO, NATO-Russia Council, etc.;*
- *Russia's hegemonic claims in the region;*
- *Arms, arms control, disarmament;*
- *Role of the economy, especially energy supply, for security and peace in the region;*
- *Transatlantic cooperation; commonalities and clashes of interests within "the West";*
- *Europe and "the others": positions and role of non-European states.*

### **General articles, conference reports, book reviews**

The editors also accept general articles, conference reports and book reviews on any aspect of peace studies lying outside this issue's focus until the date stated for the issue 1–2/2023.

### **Guest editorships**

The Journal of International Peace and Organization ("Die Friedens-Warte") is open to publish entire issues under guest editorship. Please contact one of the editors or the e-mail address [friedenswarte@bwv-verlag.de](mailto:friedenswarte@bwv-verlag.de) with a concept for your own thematic focus or conference issue.

### **About the Journal of International Peace and Organization**

Founded in 1899 by Alfred H. Fried, who was later awarded the Nobel Peace Prize, the Journal of International Peace and Organization is the oldest journal in the German-speaking world for questions regarding peace and international organization. In addition to serving as a forum for discussion within and between the disciplines of peace studies, the journal seeks to make a traditional contribution by imparting specialist knowledge to political practice, necessary for a policy of active peacebuilding. In line with the interdisciplinary character of peace studies, renowned national and international scholars from various disciplines express their views in the form of special contributions on current and fundamental topics of peace and conflict research in the Journal of International Peace and Organization.

Since at least the end of the East-West conflict, peace is no longer defined by the mere absence of interstate violence, but as a complex and multilayered concept that includes the conditions of non-violent coexistence. Today's peace studies consider the dynamics and consequences of domestic violent conflicts, economic impoverishment, climate catastrophes as well as the threat of international terrorism and threats to the security of the individual. This broadening of the focus is accompanied by an expansion of the relevant disciplines: next to political sciences and the law, economics and natural sciences as well as social-psychological, sociological and social-anthropological analyses offer significant contributions to debates in peace studies. Peace studies have an explicit interdisciplinary character.

The Journal of International Peace and Organization ("Die Friedens-Warte") is a refereed journal. Submitted articles are subject to a double-blind, external peer review process that decides whether they are accepted into the journal.

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**Prof. Dr. Pierre Thielbörger**, Institute for International Law of Peace and Armed Conflict (IFHV), Ruhr University Bochum

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## **GLC-SPIL International Law Journal Volume III, Students for the Promotion of International Law (SPIL), Government Law College, Mumbai (Deadline: 15.02.2023)**

Students for the Promotion of International Law (SPIL), Government Law College, Mumbai is pleased to announce a Call for Papers for GLC – SPIL International Law Journal Volume III.

### **About GLC, Mumbai**

Government Law College enjoys the distinction of being the oldest law school in Asia and has, since its inception in 1855, essayed a seminal role in the evolution of the legal and judicial landscape of India. Government Law College, with its illustrious history and a heritage spanning over a century and a half, has nurtured some of the greatest minds of today, not only in the field of law but in various other walks of life. The generations of distinguished legal luminaries who have been nurtured by this unique institution, have made a seminal contribution globally, to the evolution of the legal fraternity.

### **About SPIL, Mumbai**

In an increasingly integrated world with growing trans-national interactions, the significance of International Law has never been greater. We, at SPIL Mumbai, strive towards taking legal studies to an empirical level and promoting law as an area of enquiry and study far beyond the realms of classrooms. This student-based organization of Government Law College, Mumbai has successfully organized several events, including a lecture on the working of the International Criminal Court by Professor William Burke White of the University of Pennsylvania, a Model United Nations – Student Exchange Program with students of the School of International Relations, Tehran, and the Government Law College International Law Summit- which is held annually. SPIL, Mumbai also regularly organizes workshops on the basics of International Law, which have an overwhelming response from law students across colleges and holds various competitions, guest lectures, workshops and publishes an International Law Journal.

### **About ILJ**

The GLC–SPIL International Law Journal (ILJ) is published by the Students for Promotion of International Law (SPIL), Mumbai which is a student body that cynosures International Law.

## Theme

Submissions are invited on any topic of contemporary relevance in the area of International Law.

## Categories and Word Limit

Submissions may be in the form of the following categories –

- **Articles:** Papers that comprehensively analyze a theme and engage with all the existing literature in it. An article should be in between 6000 and 10000 words exclusive of footnotes.
- **Essays:** Papers that concisely analyze specific contemporary issues in the field of international law. It should be between 4000 and 6000 words exclusive of footnotes.
- **Case Notes and/or Legislative Commentaries:** Notes and commentaries must discuss or critique a recent judgment, landmark case or any recent legislation or bill before Parliament or State legislature. It should be between 1500 and 3000 words exclusive of footnotes.

## Submission Guidelines

- **Abstract Word Limit:** 200 words
- **Authorship:** Allowed up to 2 authors
- **Method of Citation:** The GLC – SPIL International Law Journal follows ‘Harvard Bluebook 20th Edition’ style of referencing.
- The body of the manuscript should be in Times New Roman size 12 with 1.5 line spacing and Justified Alignment. The footnotes should be in Times New Roman size 10 with single line spacing.

## Eligibility

Original submissions are invited from undergraduate and post graduate students, industry practitioners, academicians, and research scholars.

## Submission Procedure

**Submissions:** In electronic form to [ilj.spilmumbai@gmail.com](mailto:ilj.spilmumbai@gmail.com)

**Subject Heading:** ‘ILJ Vol. III Submission: ‘

All manuscripts must be accompanied by a covering letter with the name(s) of the author(s), institution/affiliation, the title of the manuscript and relevant contact information.

## Deadline

The last date for submission of ‘GLC – SPIL ILJ Volume III’ of the International Law Journal is **15th February, 2023**. Submissions sent after the deadline will not be considered for publication.

For further details, [kindly refer to this link](#).

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Find the details of submission guidelines at our website [www.spilmumbai.org](http://www.spilmumbai.org)

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**3rd Kırımlı Dr. Aziz Bey International Humanitarian Law Competition & Advanced Spring School, Istanbul Center for International Law (ICIL) and Türk Kızılay (Turkish Red Crescent), with the contribution of the ICRC and Istanbul University (Deadline: 17.03.2023)**

We are pleased to announce that the call for applications for the “3rd Kırımlı Dr. Aziz Bey International Humanitarian Law Competition & Advanced Spring School” which will take place between 25 – 29 April 2023 at the Beyazıt Campus of Istanbul University, located at the heart of the historical peninsula of İstanbul, Türkiye!

The Competition & the Advanced Spring School are organized by the Istanbul Center for International Law (ICIL) and Türk Kızılay (Turkish Red Crescent), with the contribution of the ICRC and Istanbul University.

The main themes of this year’s Advanced Spring School & Competition are as follows:

- Classification of the Conflict,
- Scope of Application,
- Protection of Medical Personnel and Buildings,
- Protection of Prisoners of War,
- Protection of Animals,
- Terrorism and IHL,
- Cyber Attacks in IHL,
- Weaponization of AI,
- Interplay Between IHL and Human Rights.

Please find the call for applications [attached](#), with all the necessary information regarding the application process.

For further information, you can visit our website ([www.azizbeyihl.com](http://www.azizbeyihl.com)) or contact us via e-mail ([azizbeyihl@icil.org.tr](mailto:azizbeyihl@icil.org.tr)).

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**International Law and the Regulation of Resort to Force: Exhaustion, Destruction, Rebirth?, Centre for International Humanitarian and Operational Law, Palacký University Olomouc, in collaboration with the Institute for International Law and International Relations, University of Graz (Deadline: 30.03.2023)**

The Centre for International Humanitarian and Operational Law at the Faculty of Law of Palacký University Olomouc, in collaboration with the Institute for International Law and International Relations at the Faculty of Law of the University of Graz, are accepting papers

and panel proposals for a conference to take place on 14 – 15 September 2023 in Olomouc, the Czech Republic. The conference, titled *International Law and the Regulation of Resort to Force: Exhaustion, Destruction, Rebirth?* will examine the insurmountable challenges facing the contemporary international legal order pertaining to the use of force. Submissions, broadly conceived within the thematic area, are welcomed. Confirmed speakers, details of the conference and submission of papers, panels and posters are available at <https://www.force.upol.cz/>.

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**MenschenRechtsMagazin 28,2 (2023), MenschenRechtsZentrum der Universität Potsdam (Deadline: 01.04.2023)**

Das MenschenRechtsZentrum der Universität Potsdam (MRZ) veröffentlicht seit 1996 das MenschenRechtsMagazin (MRM).

Wir suchen Beiträge für Heft 28,2 (2023) auf Deutsch, die sich mit aktuellen Fragen des universellen, regionalen oder nationalen Menschenrechtsschutzes befassen. Interessierte können ein einseitiges Abstract bis 1. April 2023 an uns senden; eine Aufforderung zur Einreichung des kompletten Beitrags erfolgt spätestens zum 15. April 2023. Der Artikel (30-40.000 Zeichen inkl. Leerzeichen und Fußnoten) muss bis 1. Juni 2023 final bei uns eingehen. Eine Entscheidung über die Annahme des Beitrags erfolgt dann bis spätestens 21. Juni 2023. Die Veröffentlichung des Hefts ist zum Oktober 2023 geplant.

Ansprechpartner:innen sind Theresa Lanzl und Navin Mienert ([redaktion-mrm@uni-potsdam.de](mailto:redaktion-mrm@uni-potsdam.de)).

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**Hague Yearbook of International Law Volume 36, Hague Yearbook of International Law (Deadline: 01.05.2023)**

The Hague Yearbook of International Law is now receiving submissions for publication in its upcoming Volume 36. The Hague Yearbook is an internationally recognised, peer-reviewed journal with a wide-ranging and in-depth focus on various issues of international law. Submissions on any issues of public or private international law in either English or French language are welcomed. The Editorial Board will select articles based on their quality and relevance. Submissions should be around 12,000-16,000 words and should follow the OSCOLA style guide. Contributions and inquiries should be sent to [hagueyearbook@gmail.com](mailto:hagueyearbook@gmail.com). The deadline for submissions is 1 May 2023. The full CfP can be found [here](#).

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**Blog Writing Series on International Humanitarian Law, Centre for Advanced Study in International Humanitarian Law, Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab  
(Deadline: Rolling submission, no deadline)**

Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law (RGNUL), Punjab, was established by the State Legislature of Punjab by passing the Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab Act, (Punjab Act No. 12 of 2006). The University has been ranked among the top 10 law schools in India in the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) and has been providing undergraduate and post-graduate legal education since then. It is considered one of the best national law schools in India built on the five-year law degree model proposed and implemented by the Bar Council of India.

**About the Centre**

The Centre for Advanced Study in International Humanitarian Law (CASH) is an esteemed research Centre of the Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, which is dedicated to research in the field of International Humanitarian Law (IHL). It aims to ensure creating awareness and interest among the students and promoting teaching and research in the area of IHL. The Centre aims to update the community with the latest developments in this sector via its blog posts, certificate courses, newsletters, and interviews of experts on contemporary developments in the field of International Humanitarian Law.

**Eligibility**

1. Early and late-stage students and academics
2. Development sector professionals with demonstrable research experience and interest in Indian law and policymaking
3. Practising lawyers and legal professionals

**Themes**

The competition has no thematic restraints, but the submission must conform to the issues related to Humanitarian law and armed conflicts. Hence the submissions are expected on a variety of topics relevant to international law, a few themes are listed below for reference.

- The Duty to Protect by Military Force: Developing Standards for Humanitarian Intervention?
- Personnel Protection in Peace Operations: The Safety Convention's Function in the Context of General International Law
- Protecting the Environment vis-à-vis Armed Conflict – The Role of Multilateral Environmental Agreements
- An analysis of the effectiveness and legality of using biological weapons during conflicts under international humanitarian law
- International Humanitarian Law: Terrorism and counter-terrorism
- Even wars have limits: The normative framework of IHL
- Interfaith coexistence: Together and Forever

- Sexual Violence: An inevitable aspect of armed conflict
- Humanitarian crises and rights of persons

### **Submission Guidelines**

- The subject and theme of the blog should deal with any contemporary topic related to international humanitarian law. We expect the submissions to be of interpretive, exploratory, and non-descriptive style.
- All submissions must be in Times New Roman, Font size 12, Spacing 1.5, Justified. The word limit should range between 1000-1500 words.
- References should be incorporated in the body of the article itself through hyperlinks. No endnotes or footnotes shall be used.
- Co-authorship of a maximum of 2 is permitted.
- We follow a strict no-plagiarism policy. Articles with more than 10 per cent plagiarized content shall be summarily rejected. The author(s) bear sole responsibility for the accuracy of facts, opinions, or views stated in the submitted Manuscript.
- The manuscripts must be submitted on [cashblogseries@gmail.com](mailto:cashblogseries@gmail.com). All entries should be submitted in .doc or.docx format and the file must be titled "CASH- Blog submission."
- Copyright of all published blog posts shall remain with the Centre. All Moral Rights shall vest with the author(s).
- While submitting the blog, the author shall mention a declaration in the mail as follows: "If selected for publication, the author gives the copyright of the work to the Centre. The author also declares that this is the original and unpublished work of the author(s)."

### **Contact Details**

In case of any queries, you can write a mail to [cashblogseries@gmail.com](mailto:cashblogseries@gmail.com) with the subject "Query for blog" or contact:

- Mr Aviral Mishra (Student Convenor, CASH) at + 91-7985026059.
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### **III. Events: Vorträge, Workshops, Konferenzen, Summer Schools**

#### **Ukraine?! – Hintergründe und Diskussionen, Württembergische Landesbibliothek und Max-Planck-Institut für ausländisches öffentliches Recht und Völkerrecht, 06.12.2022.-15.03.2023**

In der Nacht zum 24. Februar 2022 überfallen russische Truppen auf Befehl ihres Präsidenten die Ukraine. Der russische Angriff, die anhaltenden Kampfhandlungen und die Reaktionen der internationalen Gemeinschaft berühren zentrale Normen, Institutionen und Verfahren des Völkerrechts. Es geht um das Gewaltverbot, das humanitäre Völkerrecht, mögliche Verbrechen gegen die Menschlichkeit, das Recht der Sanktionen, die Pflicht zur Nichtanerkennung gewaltsamer Gebietsveränderungen, das internationale Strafrecht, die Verfahren in den Vereinten Nationen und vor dem internationalen Gerichtshof.

Präsident Putin kleidet seinen Überfall in völkerrechtliche Scheinargumente, diffamiert das Recht und kündigte seine Unterstützung der europäischen Menschenrechtskonvention. Brauchen wir ein neues Völkerrecht? Was können internationale Organisationen wie die Vereinten Nationen und der Europarat leisten? Welche Rolle spielt die EU? Welche europäische Sicherheitsarchitektur erfordert die neue geopolitische Lage?

Die Fachleute des Max-Planck-Instituts für ausländisches öffentliches Recht und Völkerrecht werden eine Bewertung der aktuellen Situation vornehmen und Perspektiven aufzeigen. Sie sind zu Austausch und Diskussion mit ihnen eingeladen.

Die Vorträge finden in der Regel als Hybrid-Veranstaltung statt. Für die Teilnahme in Präsenz (WLB-Vortragssaal) ist keine Anmeldung erforderlich. Die Online-Teilnahme findet via WebEx statt. Über den [Zugangslink](#) gelangen Sie direkt in den digitalen Saal, der ab 17:45 Uhr freigeschaltet ist. Mit der Teilnahme akzeptieren Sie die [Datenschutzrichtlinien](#) von WebEx.

Informationen zur Teilnahme am Vortragsprogramm finden Sie [hier](#).

Die Vortragsreihe wird gefördert durch die [Württembergische Bibliotheksgesellschaft](#).

#### **Noch ausstehende Veranstaltungen:**

##### **Do, 19. Januar 2023, 18 Uhr**

Die europäische Sicherheitsarchitektur im Lichte neuer geopolitischer Realitäten: Böses Erwachen und notwendiger Wandel  
*Dr. Carolyn Moser (Heidelberg)*

##### **Mi, 15. Februar 2023, 18 Uhr**

Waffenlieferungen an die Ukraine: Rechtlicher und politischer Rahmen im deutschen und europäischen Kontext  
*Dr. Isabelle Ley (Heidelberg)*

##### **Mi, 1. März 2023, 18 Uhr**

**Russlands Ausschluss aus dem Europarat: Welche Zukunft für die Menschenrechte?**  
*Silvia Steininger (Heidelberg)*

##### **Mi, 15. März 2023, 18 Uhr**

Kriegsverbrechen in der Ukraine: Ermittlung und Ahndung zwischen Recht und Politik  
*Alexandra Kemmerer (Heidelberg)*

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**Solange – 50th Anniversary, WZB Berlin Social Science Center and Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, 12.-13.01.2023**

*Online Workshop Constitutionalism Beyond the State and the Role of Domestic Constitutional Courts: Solange – 50th Anniversary*

On 12-13 January 2023, we will be hosting an online workshop on the 50th anniversary of the Solange judgment in cooperation with Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg.

This two-day workshop is moderated by Andrej Lang, Kriszta Kovács and Mattias Kumm.

If you would like to participate, please send an email to [solange-conference@jura.uni-halle.de](mailto:solange-conference@jura.uni-halle.de), and you will receive the zoom link and the papers.

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**7. Heidelberger Rechtspolitisches Kolloquium: Krieg mit Recht? Was aus Russlands Angriff auf die Ukraine folgt – 16.01.2023**

Das Heidelberger Rechtspolitische Kolloquium greift in lockerer Folge zentrale rechtspolitische Fragen der Gegenwart auf. Regelmäßige Diskutanten sind Dr. Reinhard Müller (Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung) und Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Thomas Pfeiffer. Der Form eines Kolloquiums entsprechend besteht Gelegenheit für alle Besucher zur Teilnahme an der Diskussion.

Ort: Hörsaal 04a, Neue Universität (Universitätsplatz, Heidelberg)

Termin: Montag, 16.01.2023, 19 Uhr c.t.

Es diskutieren:

Prof. Dr. Frank Meyer, LL.M. (Yale) (Universität Heidelberg)

Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Anne Peters, LL.M. (Harvard) (Max-Planck-Institut für ausländisches öffentliches Recht und Völkerrecht, Heidelberg)

Dr. Reinhard Müller (Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung)

Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Thomas Pfeiffer (Universität Heidelberg)

Alle Interessenten sind herzlich eingeladen! Anmeldung nicht erforderlich.

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**Making Russia pay: Legal hurdles to use seized Russian assets to compensate Ukraine, Institute for Public International Law, University of Bonn, 19.01.2023, 12:30-13:30**

The Institute for Public International Law is pleased to announce the next Rhineland Lecture in International Law. Dr Paula Rhein-Fischer will talk about “Making Russia pay: Legal hurdles to use seized Russian assets to compensate Ukraine”. A coffee reception will provide an

opportunity for exchange in the usual informal setting afterwards. As always, the Rhineland Lectures take place in our Institute's library.

The lecture will be also available via Zoom:

<https://uni-bonn.zoom.us/j/68500463948?pwd=MEI0V1FLRVUzbUlqZG5hREdpdXhtQT09>

Meeting-ID: 685 0046 3948

Passcode: 189309

Further information [here](#).

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### **Environmental Defenders – Current Practice and Challenges, Institute for Law & Governance, Vienna University of Economics and Business, 20.01.2023**

The Institute for Law & Governance cordially invites you to our upcoming conference:

**“Environmental Defenders – Current Practice and Challenges”**

When: **Friday, 20.01.2023 – Save the date!**

Where: Vienna, WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business)

#### **Conference Abstract:**

According to the United Nations, environmental defenders are persons “defending environmental rights, including constitutional rights to a clean and healthy environment”. Environmental Defenders play a crucial role in the global fight against the climate and biodiversity crisis. However, harassment and even threats against environmental defenders present an issue of growing concern across the globe. This has led to new regulatory initiatives, such as the European Commission's proposal for an Anti-SLAPP-Directive or the establishment of a “Rapid Response Mechanism for Environmental Defenders” under the Aarhus Convention. Our conference takes these developments as a point of departure to reflect on the multifaceted role the law plays for defending environmental rights. Our panelist will present legal-doctrinal analyses of the relevant legal framework as well as socio-legal perspectives on environmental defenders and their perception of the law. Overall, we aim to contribute to future legal developments in the field and to a better understanding of the impact and social functions of law.

In four thematic panels academics, international experts and environmental defenders will discuss

- the experiences of environmental defenders on the global, European and local level
- international instruments designed to protect environmental defenders
- Strategic Lawsuits against Public Participation (SLAPPs)
- the contested issue of civil disobedience from a multi-disciplinary perspective.

Speakers include: Zsuzsanna Belenyessy, Legal Officer, Directorate-General for the Environment, European Commission // Michel Forst, Special Rapporteur for Environmental

Defenders under the Aarhus Convention // Summer Kern, Justice & Environment // Pablo Peña Alegría, Oxford Centre for Socio-Legal Studies // Ingeborg Zerbes, University of Vienna.

Further information regarding the conference programme and registration will follow.

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**Two-Credit Certificate Course on International Humanitarian Law, Centre for Advanced Study in International Humanitarian Law at Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab (CASH RGNUL), 21.01.2023**

Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab is organizing a two-credit course on International Humanitarian Law.

For further information, please find the brochure for the event [here](#).

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**Two Articles 8, UN Charter and CEDAW, Minerva LAW Network, 24.01.2023, 12:00-13:00**

Judge Prof. Dr. Liesbeth Lijnzaad will speak on the UN Charter and Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW). She is a judge at the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea (ITLOS) in Hamburg. Prior to joining ITLOS, she was the Legal Adviser of the Netherlands Ministry of Foreign Affairs and head of its international law department. In that capacity she has acted as Agent for the Netherlands in cases before the International Court of Justice, the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea and the International Criminal Court. She has been the co-chair of the UNGA's Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group to study issues relating to the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity beyond areas of national jurisdiction (2010 – 2015). She is a member of the Permanent Court of Arbitration and of the San Remo Institute of International Humanitarian Law. She is endowed Professor Practice of International Law at Maastricht University (part time). The event will be held online, further details and information on registration are available [here](#).

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**The Future of the Law of Peace and the Law of Armed Conflict against the Background of Increasing Confrontations, Institute for International Law of Peace and Armed Conflict of the Ruhr University Bochum (IFHV), 26.01.2023, 15:00**

In Erinnerung an seinen Gründungsdirektor, Professor Knut Ipsen, begründet das Institut für Friedenssicherungsrecht und Humanitäres Völkerrecht (IFHV) die **Knut Ipsen Lecture Series**, deren Auftakt im Wintersemester 2022 in Bochum stattfinden wird. Im Angedenken an den grundlegenden Beitrag von Professor Knut Ipsen zur Gestaltung des humanitären Völkerrechts und des Friedenssicherungsrechts werden Vorträge von führenden Forscher:innen aktuelle Entwicklungen in diesen und angrenzenden Gebieten diskutieren.

Die Knut Ipsen Lecture Series honoriert damit die besonderen Verdienste von Knut Ipsen als Gründungsdirektor des IFHV, Rektor der Ruhr-Universität Bochum und Präsident des Deutschen Roten Kreuzes. Weggefährt:innen, Forscher:innen, Studierende und Interessierte sind herzlich willkommen, die Erinnerungen an einen der einflussreichsten Völkerrechtler unserer Zeit wach zu halten.

Am 26.01.2023 um 15 Uhr lädt das IFHV herzlich ein zu einem Vortrag von Prof. Dr. Wolff Heintschel von Heinegg zum Thema „The Future of the Law of Peace and the Law of Armed Conflict against the Background of Increasing Confrontations“.

Die Knut Ipsen Lectures finden hybrid statt. Für eine Online-Teilnahme registrieren Sie sich bitte [hier: https://ruhr-uni-bochum.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_mPdmob\\_pTQgAivyVRipFTQ](https://ruhr-uni-bochum.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_mPdmob_pTQgAivyVRipFTQ)

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**AjV-Stammtisch Berlin, Working Group of Young Scholars in Public International Law (AjV), Alexander Holzer & Jasper Mührel, 26.01.2023, 19:30**

The next Berlin Stammtisch (get-together) of the Working Group of Young Scholars in Public International Law (*Arbeitskreis junger Völkerrechtswissenschaftler\*innen, AjV*) will take place on 26.01.2023 at 7.30 pm at the bar *Deponie Nr. 3* in Berlin Mitte. All doctoral students, postdocs and scholars from the fields of law, political science and international relations who share an interest in questions of international law are invited.

If you would like to attend, please leave a short message at [j.muehrel@gmx.de](mailto:j.muehrel@gmx.de) so that we can estimate the approximate number of participants. However, you are also welcome to show up spontaneously. Also, if you would like to give a short, informal input talk/presentation on any current international law issue to start off the evening (max. 15 min., in English or German), please contact us for this in advance.

P.S.: Have you heard of our Call for Abstracts for the upcoming AjV-DGIR Conference 2023 on Progress and International Law? You can find it [here](#). We are looking forward to receiving your submissions. For more information, visit our [website](#).

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**Basel Winter Arbitration School, Arbitration Lab, 05.-10.02.2023**

The [Basel Winter Arbitration School](#) will take place on 5-10 February 2023 at the Law Faculty of the University of Basel in Switzerland. It will also be possible to attend the school in an online format.

The school will feature an interactive six-day programme introducing participants to different types of public, private and hybrid arbitration and related practice development and career opportunities. Young practitioners and graduate students working in the field of dispute resolution will particularly benefit from this programme.

The University of Basel, founded in 1460, is the oldest university in Switzerland. The school will feature prominent arbitration practitioners and academics covering different arbitration topics and will include speakers from international arbitration institutions headquartered in Switzerland and other countries.

Arbitration Lab social media profiles:

LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/company/arbitration-lab/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/arbitrationlab>

Twitter: @arbitrationlab

#### **IV. Stellenanzeigen**

##### **Two Positions for PhD students (100%), Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology (Deadline: 15.01.2023)**

The Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology is one of the leading centres for research in social anthropology. Common to all research projects at the institute is the comparative analysis of social change; it is primarily in this domain that its researchers contribute to anthropological theory, though many programmes also have applied significance and political topicality.

The Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology is offering

##### **Two positions for PhD students (starting 1 March 2023)**

within the Research Group “JUST MIGRATION: Labour Migration Regimes in transnationalised contexts”, headed by Prof. Dr. Anuscheh Farahat (Max Planck Fellow and Professor of Law at the Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg).

##### **Project Description**

The Research Group will explore:

- how labour migration regimes are negotiated and shaped in the context of the three challenges: marketisation, transnationalisation and sustainability
- potentially adverse, exclusionary and deterring effects of current labour migration law in the EU and its Member States
- the perception of EU and Member States’ labour migration law in countries of origin and migrants
- possible ways in which labour migration law could take the interests of various stakeholders better into account to enhance their agency in labour migration governance.

For a detailed project description see: <https://www.eth.mpg.de/6174698/mpfg05>

##### **Essential Duties & Responsibilities**

The essential duty of the PhD student will be to develop, write and submit a PhD dissertation on a subject of relevance to the research group project. This should include a substantial period of empirical field research.

Successful applicants will contribute to the project and will work together with the PI. The project is a collaborative project of the MPI for Social Anthropology and the Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg. This will give successful applicants the opportunity to develop a professional network both at the MPI in Halle and at the University in Erlangen, including participation in research seminars at the Centre for Human Rights Erlangen-Nürnberg (CHREN). The main place of work will be at the MPI in Halle. Successful applicants are encouraged to work in interdisciplinary collaboration with the other colleagues in the Department Law & Anthropology at the MPI in Halle, and should therefore have an intrinsic interest in interdisciplinary and team work.

The PhD students will be expected to contribute to project outputs such as publications and conferences.

## **Your Profile**

The following prerequisites should be fulfilled:

1. an academic degree (Staatsexamen, master or equivalent) in law in hand at the time of taking up the position (1 March 2023), ideally with distinction
2. previous experience in socio-legal studies and knowledge of social science research methods is an asset, but not a prerequisite
3. willingness to conduct empirical field research (i.e. conducting and evaluating interviews) and to familiarize with the necessary methods
4. very good command of written and spoken English
5. proficiency in at least one other European language (ideally German, Spanish, French, Polish or Italian).

## **Our Offer**

The PhD positions are awarded for three years, with the possibility of an extension up to 12 months (pending a positive evaluation). Employment will be on a full-time contractual basis. The workplace is Halle (Saale), a dynamic, historical town in central Germany (Sachsen-Anhalt) that is home to numerous renowned universities and scientific institutions. Our modern campus is in a quiet, picturesque neighbourhood near the centre of town.

Please note that the Max Planck Institutes do not award doctoral degrees. Doctoral students must therefore enroll at a university in or outside Germany. The choice of university will be agreed jointly by the successful applicant and the PI of the project.

The Max Planck Society is committed to raising the proportion of women in science; we thus explicitly encourage applications from female researchers. Individuals with disabilities will be given priority, assuming equal qualifications.

## **Contact**

Please submit your application electronically by 15 January 2023 following the link for vacancies on our homepage (under 'Career'), or by going directly to the online application form using the link below.

Applicants should send the following documentation:

- cover letter
- CV including a list of publications
- evidence of serious interest in law and anthropology (evidence of interest can be shown through a 1-page tentative project description for the PhD, an earlier seminar paper/thesis, or a published article)
- copies of university degrees

Informal enquiries concerning the positions may be directed to Prof. Dr. Anuscheh Farahat ([farahat@eth.mpg.de](mailto:farahat@eth.mpg.de)). If you have questions regarding the application procedure, please contact:

Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology

Personnel Administration

Carolin Klevenow ([klevenow@eth.mpg.de](mailto:klevenow@eth.mpg.de))

We look forward to receiving your completed online application under:



<https://recruitingapp-5034.de.umantis.com/Vacancies/453/Application/New/2%3Flang=eng>  
Further information on the research agenda of the Max Planck Institute is available on our website: <http://www.eth.mpg.de>

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**Multiple vacancies for doctoral candidates, Albrecht Mendelssohn Bartholdy Graduate School of Law at the University of Hamburg (Deadline: 15.02.2023)**

The Albrecht Mendelssohn Bartholdy Graduate School of Law at the University of Hamburg is inviting applications for its PhD program with scholarship. For more information, please see [the poster here](#).

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**Ein Promotionsstipendium kombiniert mit einer Stelle als Wissenschaftlicher Mitarbeiter:in am Lehrstuhl Öffentliches Recht und Völkerrecht (Thielbörger) und dem Institut für Friedenssicherungsrecht und Humanitäres Völkerrecht (IFHV), Ruhr-Universität Bochum (Deadline: 17.02.2023)**

Am Lehrstuhl für Öffentliches Recht und Völkerrecht bzw. am Institut für Friedenssicherungsrecht und Humanitäres Völkerrecht (IFHV) der RUB ist zum 01.08.2023 ein Promotionsstipendium der [SYLFF Association](#) in Kombination mit einer Stelle als Wissenschaftlicher Mitarbeiter (TV-L E 13) mit einer Wochenarbeitszeit von 5 Stunden (12,5%) zu vergeben (Gesamtvergütung: 1500 Euro). Durch eine aktive Einbindung in das [SYLFF-Mikrokolleg on Forced Migration](#) bietet diese Stelle besonders günstige Bedingungen um eine Promotion im Völkerrecht mit besonderer Berücksichtigung des Migrationsrecht, Flüchtlingsschutzes und Menschenrechtsschutzes anzufertigen.

**Zu Ihren Aufgaben gehören:**

- Die Unterstützung von Forschung und Lehre des Lehrstuhlinhabers Professor Thielbörger auf dem Gebiet des Öffentlichen Rechts und des Völkerrechts. Der Schwerpunkt der Tätigkeit liegt im Bereich des Friedenssicherungsrechts, des humanitären Völkerrechts und der Menschenrechte.
- Übernahme von selbständigen Lehrverpflichtungen am IFHV.

**Ihr Profil:**

- Der/die Bewerber:in sollte ein deutsches erstes juristisches Staatsexamen mit Prädikat abgelegt oder einen international vergleichbaren Abschluss im Bereich des internationalen Rechts mit überdurchschnittlichem Ergebnis absolviert haben.
- Interesse am Öffentlichem Recht und/oder am Völkerrecht sind wünschenswert.
- Kooperativer Arbeitsstil, Flexibilität und Organisationstalent.
- Sehr gute schriftliche und mündliche Kenntnisse des Englischen. Die Kenntnis der deutschen Sprache – oder die Bereitschaft, diese zu erlernen – ist vorteilhaft.

Die vollständige Ausschreibung finden Sie hier:  
<https://www.ifhv.de/news/SYLFFDoctoralScholarships>

Ihre Bewerbung richten Sie bitte bis zum 17. Februar 2023 mit den notwendigen Unterlagen (Antragsformular „Application Form 2023“, abrufbar auf [https://www.research-school.rub.de/fileadmin/user\\_upload/Formular\\_SYLFF\\_EN-v1.pdf](https://www.research-school.rub.de/fileadmin/user_upload/Formular_SYLFF_EN-v1.pdf),

Exposé des Dissertationsvorhabens (max. 5 Seiten), Lebenslauf, beglaubigte Kopien der Examenszeugnisse, Empfehlungsschreiben von zwei Gutachtern, sonstige Nachweise) als eine einzige PDF-Datei an Frau Dr. Sarah Gemicioğlu per E-Mail ([sarah.gemicioğlu@rs.rub.de](mailto:sarah.gemicioğlu@rs.rub.de)).

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### **Ten Positions as Doctoral Researchers (65%), Faculty of Sociology, University of Bielefeld (Deadline: 15.04.2023)**

ID: Wiss22807

- Start: 01.10.2023
- part-time 65 %
- salary according to Remuneration level 13 TV-L
- fixed-term

The Research Training Group focuses on the emergence of world politics as a distinct field of the political embedded in a world society environment. Rather than reducing world politics and its history to a range of dominant organisational forms, such as nation-states or empires, and the relations between them, the group adopts a comprehensive perspective covering the processes and practices that underpin the emergence of world politics as a highly complex social realm. Accordingly, it builds on the expertise of different fields – International Relations, Sociology (world society theories), Global History, and International Law, in order to situate itself in, as well as contribute to, a fast-growing international research landscape of ‘global historical sociology’.

#### **Your Tasks**

As part of the Research Training Group “World politics: The emergence of political arenas and modes of observation in world society”, funded by the German Research Foundation (DFG), ten doctoral positions with a maximum funding period of three years will be filled as of 1 October 2023.

The research tasks include:

- implementation of a research project related to the Research Training Group’s programme and the corresponding preparation of a research report/publication
- participation in the academic programme of the Research Training Group
- participation in the obligatory programme of events

The Research Training Group offers doctoral students the opportunity to carry out their doctoral projects in a closely networked research environment. In addition to employment, some financial support will be provided for the organisation of workshops, for travel to conferences and for research stays abroad. In case of completing the doctorate within three years, there is also the possibility of applying for subsequent post-doc start-up financial support.

Employment is conducive to scientific qualification.

## Your Profile

We expect

- completed scientific university degree (Master/Magister, Diploma or equivalent) in political science, international relations, history, sociology or law
- ability and willingness for preparation of a research report/publication in the fields of political science/international relations, history, sociology or law, which contribute to the Research Training Group research programme (for further information on the research programme see: (<https://www.uni-bielefeld.de/worldpolitics/>)
- excellent command of English (the group's working language is English)
- commitment and motivation
- independent, self-reliant and committed work
- distinctive organisational and coordination skills
- cooperative and a team-oriented way of working

Preferred experience and skills

- scientific publications in the subject area of the Research Training Group

We offer

- salary according to Remuneration level 13 TV-L
- fixed-term (36 months) (§ 2 (1) of the WissZeitVG ; in accordance with the provisions of the WissZeitVG and the Agreement on Satisfactory Conditions of Employment, the length of contract may differ in individual cases)
- part-time 65 %
- internal and external training opportunities
- variety of health, consulting and prevention services
- reconcilability of family and work
- flexible working hours
- job ticket for regional public transport network, good transport connection
- supplementary company pension
- collegial working environment
- open and pleasant working atmosphere
- exciting and varied activities
- modern working environment with digital processes
- diverse offers (canteen, cafeteria, restaurants, university shop, cash machines, etc.)

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