Alexander von Humboldt-Kolleg
Domesticating International Criminal Justice
Current Challenges
30 September – 2 October 2021
Università degli Studi di Milano and via Zoom

The three-day conference, organized by the University of Milan and the Humboldt University of Berlin with funding from the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, aims to analyse the most current and controversial issues concerning the domestic implementation of international criminal law. The aim is to create a forum for exchange and interdisciplinary discussion among international experts, reflecting on the challenges posed by the adoption of a "code of crimes against international law" at the domestic level. The conference will be in hybrid format, structured around three keynote presentations and nine panels composed of a mix of speakers in presence and virtually connected, along with a final roundtable.

30 September
Aula Crociera Alta di Giurisprudenza

9:30 – 10:00
Institutional greetings and presentation of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation programmes
   Prof. G. L. Gatta | Dr. M. Lieb

10:00 – 10:40
Introduction to the conference: Obligations, options and obstacles. Implementing the Rome Statute revisited
   Prof. F. Jeßberger | Prof. C. Meloni

10:40 – 11:30
Keynote "On recent private initiatives for an Italian code of international crimes (Progetto Cariplo)"
   Prof. F. Pocar

11:30 – 13:00
Panel I: Italian past legislative drafts for a code of crimes under international law: Criminal law and international law perspectives
   Prof. C.E. Paliero | Prof. M. Pedrazzi | Prof. A. Annoni | Prof. L. Foffani | Prof. A. Marchesi | Prof. N. Selvaggi

14:00 – 15:30
Panel II: The Völkerstrafgesetzbuch 20 years after: Trends, shortcomings, reform
   Prof. F. Jeßberger | Dr. B. Burghardt | Dr. W. Form | W. Kaleck | Dr. L. Steinl | Prof. G. Werle

15:50 – 17:20
Panel III: A global perspective
   Prof. H. Olasolo | Dr. A. Coco | M. Bergsmo | Prof. J. Couso | Prof. G. Kemp | K. Mehta
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10:00 – 11:20
Panel IV: Defining the crimes (war crimes and aggression)
Prof. F. Pocar | Dr. G. Acquaviva | Prof. G. Bartolini | Prof. M. Cancio Melia |
Prof. G. Della Morte | Prof. Marco Scoletta

11:40 – 13:00
Panel V: Defining the crimes (crimes against humanity and genocide/ecocide)
Dr. J. Geneuss | M. Crippa | Dr. P. Kroker | Dr. M. Longobardo | Dr. G. Mentasti |
| Dr. L. Prosperi | H. Relva

14:00 – 15:20
Panel VI: Attribution (modes of liability/grounds to exclude liability)
Prof. S. Manacorda | Prof. C. Meloni | Prof. A. Garrocho Salcedo | Prof. V. Nerlich |
Dr. G. Stephanopolou | Prof. H. van der Wilt

15:40 – 17:00
Panel VII: Sanctions and sentencing
Prof. G. Bogush | Dr. A. Epik | Dr. P. Caroli | Prof. E. Fronza | Prof. D. Galliani | Prof. A. Gorski | Dr. A. Riccardi

9:30 – 10:00
Keynote "Domestic and international criminal justice" 
Prof. A. Zimmermann

2 October
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9:30 – 10:00
Keynote "International criminal law implementation and constitutional law"
Prof. F. Viganò

10:00 – 11:00
Panel VIII: Immunities
Prof. M. Frulli | Prof. A. Di Martino | Prof. M. Pifferi | Prof. C. Ragni | Dr. V. Vegh Weis

11:20 – 12:30
Panel IX: Jurisdiction, cooperation, prosecutorial discretion, political exception clauses
Prof. F. Jeßberger | Judge R. Aitala | Dr. C. Ferrara | Dr. T. Magno | Dr. T. Mariniello,

12:30–13:30
Final roundtable: proposals and conference conclusion
At the presence of Italian Ministry of Justice representatives (Dr. Raffaele Piccirillo)/ Parliament representatives (TBC)/ Civil society organizations

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