

## Curriculum and schedule

Day 1, 17 November 2022

Place: Norwegian Centre for Human Rights, Room 7227, [Domus Juridica, Kristian August gate 17](#), 0164 Oslo, Norway

Time	Lecturer	Title	Reading materials
9.00-9.15	Gentian Zyberi	Introduction	
9.15-10.15	<b>Ibrahim Salama and Michael Wiener – Confirmed (Online – Geneva)</b>	The Work of the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Andrew Clapham, 'The Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights' in Frédéric Mégret and Philip Alston (eds), <i>The United Nations and Human Rights: A Critical Appraisal</i> (2nd edn, Oxford University Press 2020), pp. 667-708 (41 pages).</li> <li>- Surya P. Subedi, <i>The Effectiveness of the UN Human Rights System: Reform and the Judicialisation of Human Rights</i> (Routledge 2017) pp. 140-161 (21 pages).</li> <li>- OHCHR, 'United Nations Human Rights Report 2020' <a href="https://www2.ohchr.org/english/OHCHRreport2020/">https://www2.ohchr.org/english/OHCHRreport2020/</a> pp. 10-24 (14 pages).</li> </ul> <p><b>Total: 76 pages</b></p>
10.15-11.15	<b>Gentian Zyberi – In person</b>	UN Human Rights Council and Universal Periodic Review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Eric Tistounet, <i>The UN Human Rights Council: A Practical Anatomy</i> (Edward Elgar 2020), pp. 6-28 (23 pages).</li> <li>- Humberto Cantú Rivera, 'The UN Human Rights Council: Achievements and Challenges in Its First Decade' in Gerd Oberleitner (ed), <i>International Human Rights Institutions, Tribunals, and Courts</i> (Springer 2018) pp. 49-68 (19 pages).</li> <li>- HRC, Res. 48/13. 'The human right to a clean, healthy and sustainable environment' (8 October 2021) UN Doc A/HRC/RES/48/13 (3 pages)</li> <li>- Eric Tistounet, <i>The UN Human Rights Council: A Practical Anatomy</i> (Edward Elgar 2020) pp. 66-94 (32 pages).</li> <li>- Frederick Cowell 'Understanding the Legal Status of Universal Periodic Review Recommendations' (2018) 7(1) Cambridge International Law Journal pp. 164-184 (20 pages).</li> <li>- HRC, 'Basic facts about the UPR' <a href="https://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/UPR/Pages/BasicFacts.aspx">https://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/UPR/Pages/BasicFacts.aspx</a></li> <li>- Markus Schmidt, UN Audiovisual Library of International Law, Lecture on <a href="#">Universal Periodic Review</a>.</li> </ul> <p><b>Total: 97 pages</b></p>
11.15-11.30	<b>Break</b>		
11.30-12.30	<b>Ledi Bianku – Confirmed</b>	European Court of Human	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Philip Leach and Alice Donald, <i>Parliaments and the European Court of Human Rights</i> (Oxford University Press) pp. 65-112 (47 pages).</li> </ul>

	<b>(Online - Strasbourg)</b>	Rights: Access and Procedures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Angelika Nussberger, <i>The European Court of Human Rights</i> (Oxford University Press) pp. 153-183 (30 pages).</li> <li>- ECtHR, 'A Court that matters/Une Cour qui compte': A Strategy for More Targeted and Effective Case-Processing (17 March 2021) <a href="https://www.echr.coe.int/Documents/Court_that_matters_ENG.pdf">https://www.echr.coe.int/Documents/Court_that_matters_ENG.pdf</a> (2 pages)</li> <li>- ECtHR, 'The Court's Priority Policy' <a href="https://echr.coe.int/Documents/priority_policy_ENG.pdf">https://echr.coe.int/Documents/priority_policy_ENG.pdf</a> (1 page)</li> </ul> <p><b>Total: 80 pages</b></p>
12.30-13.30	<b>Lunch Break</b>		
13.30-14.30	<b>Frans Viljoen – Confirmed (Online – Pretoria)</b>	Impact of UN treaty bodies at domestic level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Gráinne de Búrca, <i>Reframing Human Rights in a Turbulent Era</i> (Oxford University Press 2021) pp. 9-47 (38 pages).</li> <li>- OHCHR, <i>Human Rights Indicators: A Guide to Measurement and Implementation</i> (United Nations 2012) HR/PUB/12/5 pp. 15-27 (12 pages).</li> </ul> <p><b>Total: 50 pages</b></p>
14.30-15.30	<b>Azin Tadjini – Confirmed (Online – Geneva)</b>	UN Special Procedures, with a focus on the SR on freedom of opinion and expression	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Domínguez-Redondo, <i>In Defense of Politicization of Human Rights: The UN Special Procedures</i> (Oxford University Press 2020) pp. 7-34 (27 pages).</li> <li>- Toby Mendel, 'The UN Special Rapporteur on Freedom of Opinion and Expression: Progressive Development of International Standards Relating to Freedom of Expression' in Tarlach McGonagle and Yvonne Donders (eds), <i>The United Nations and Freedom of Expression and Information: Critical Perspectives</i> (Cambridge University Press 2015) pp. 235-268 (13 pages).</li> <li>- HRC, 'Disinformation and freedom of opinion and expression' (13 April 2021) Report of the Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of the right to freedom of opinion and expression, Irene Khan, pp. 2-20 (18 pages).</li> </ul> <p><b>Total: 58 pages</b></p>
15.30-15.45	<b>Break</b>		
15.45-16.45	<b>Koen De Feyter – Confirmed (Online - Antwerp)</b>	UN Expert Mechanism on the Right to Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Arjun Sengupta, 'On the Theory and Practice of the Right to Development' in Menno T. Kamminga (ed), <i>Challenges in International Human Rights Law</i> (Routledge 2014) pp. 667-721 (54 pages).</li> <li>o HRC, Res 42/23. 'The right to development' (27 September 2019) UN Doc A/HRC/RES/42/23 pp. 1-7 (7 pages).</li> <li>o Human Rights Council, 'Realization of the Right to Development in Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals' (2021) Thematic study by the Expert Mechanism on the Right to Development, UN Doc. A/HRC/EMRTD/3/CRP.1 pp. 1-21 (21 pages).</li> </ul> <p><b>Total: 81 pages</b></p>

Day 2, 18 November

Place: Auditorium 2, [Domus Juridica, Kristian August gate 17](#), 0164 Oslo, Norway

Time	Lecturer	Title	Reading materials
9.00-10.00	<b>Kristin Høgdal – Confirmed</b>	The Norwegian National Human Rights Institution and monitoring human rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- NIM's Application for Re-accreditation 2022, Section 6 'General competence and responsibilities', pp. 17-26, at <a href="https://www.nhri.no/wp-content/uploads/2022/10/NIM_Application_to_GANHRI_2022.pdf">https://www.nhri.no/wp-content/uploads/2022/10/NIM_Application_to_GANHRI_2022.pdf</a> (9 pages).</li> <li>- Norwegian National Human Rights Institution, 'Climate and Human Rights' (2021) <a href="https://www.nhri.no/en/report/climate-and-human-rights/?showall=true&amp;print=true">https://www.nhri.no/en/report/climate-and-human-rights/?showall=true&amp;print=true</a> (sections 3 and 10.4, no page count available).</li> <li>- Norwegian National Human Rights Institution, 'A Human Rights-Based Approach to Sámi Statistics in Norway' pp. 23-29, 91-105 (20 pages).</li> </ul> <p><b>Total: 29 pages (plus)</b></p>
10.00-11.00	<b>Frans Viljoen – Confirmed (Online – Pretoria)</b>	African Commission on Human Rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Manisuli Ssenyonjo, 'The African Commission and Court on Human and Peoples' Rights' in Gerd Oberleitner (ed), <i>International Human Rights Institutions, Tribunals, and Courts</i> (Springer 2018) pp. 479-509 (30 pages).</li> <li>- Rachel Murray and Debra Long, <i>The Implementation of the Findings of the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights</i> (Cambridge University Press 2015) pp. 69-86 (17 pages).</li> </ul> <p><b>Total: 47 pages</b></p>
11.00-11.15	<b>Break</b>		
11.15-12.15	<b>Frans Viljoen – Confirmed (Online – Pretoria)</b>	African Court of Human Rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Frans Viljoen, "Understanding and Overcoming Challenges in Accessing the African Court on Human and Peoples' Rights" 67(1) <i>International and Comparative Law Quarterly</i> (2018), pp. 63-98 (35 pages).</li> <li>- ACtHPR, 'Activity Report 2020' (03-04 February 2021) EX.CL/1258(XXXVIII) <a href="https://www.african-court.org/wpafc/activity-report-of-the-african-court-on-human-and-peoples-rights-1-january-31-december-2020/">https://www.african-court.org/wpafc/activity-report-of-the-african-court-on-human-and-peoples-rights-1-january-31-december-2020/</a> pp. 12-16 (4 pages).</li> </ul> <p><b>Total: 39 pages</b></p>
12.15-13.15	<b>Natalia Torres Zuniga – Confirmed</b>	Inter-American Commission of Human Rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Veronica Gomez, 'The Inter-American Commission and Court of Human Rights' in Gerd Oberleitner (ed), <i>International Human Rights Institutions, Tribunals, and Courts</i> (Springer 2018) pp. 461-477 (16 pages).</li> <li>- Par Engstrom and Peter Low, 'Mobilising the Inter-American Human Rights System: Regional Litigation and Domestic Human Rights Impact in Latin America' in Par Engstrom (ed), <i>The Inter-American Human Rights System: Impact Beyond Compliance</i> (Springer 2019) pp. 23-58 (25 pages).</li> </ul> <p><b>Total: 41 pages</b></p>

13.15-14.15	<b>Lunch Break</b>		
14.15-15.15	<b>Cecilia Bailliet – Confirmed</b>	Inter-American Court of Human Rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Marcelo Torelly, 'From Compliance to Engagement: Assessing the Impact of the Inter-American Court of Human Rights on Constitutional Law in Latin America' in Par Engstrom (ed), <i>The Inter-American Human Rights System: Impact Beyond Compliance</i> (Springer 2019) pp. 115-141 (26 pages).</li> <li>- Cecilia M. Bailliet, 'Measuring Compliance with the Inter-American Court of Human Rights: The Ongoing Challenge of Judicial Independence in Latin America' (2013) 31(4) <i>Nordic Journal of Human Rights</i> 477-495 (18 pages).</li> <li>- IACtHR, Annual Report 2020 <a href="https://www.corteidh.or.cr/docs/informe2020/ingles.pdf">https://www.corteidh.or.cr/docs/informe2020/ingles.pdf</a> pp. 55-59, 108-135 (31 pages).</li> </ul> <p><b>Total: 75 pages</b></p>
15.15-15.30	<b>Break</b>		
15.30-16.30	<b>Patrick Mutzenberg, (CCPR Centre) – Confirmed (Online – Geneva)</b>	The contribution of NGOs to human rights monitoring and implementation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ilias Bantekas and Lutz Oette, <i>International Human Rights Law and Practice</i> (3rd edn, Cambridge University Press 2020) pp. 108-117 (9 pages).</li> <li>- Nora Gotzmann, 'Human Rights and Impact Assessment: Conceptual and Practical Considerations in the Private Sector Context' (2014) Danish Institute for Human Rights, <i>Matters of Concern Human Rights Research Paper No. 2014/2</i> (41 pages).</li> <li>- Sally Merry, 'Transnational Human Rights and Local Activism: Mapping the Middle' (2006) 108 <i>American Anthropologist</i> pp. 38-51 (13 pages).</li> </ul> <p><b>Total: 63 pages</b></p>