



International Criminal Court at 20: Reflections on the Past, Present and the Future

Conference marking the 20th anniversary of the entry into force of the
Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court

World Forum, The Hague, Netherlands
Friday 1 July 2022

Live public webcast of the conference will be available at <https://www.youtube.com/IntlCriminalCourt>

08:30 – 09:30	Arrival and Registration Tea/coffee served
09:30 – 09:45	Welcoming remarks Judge Piotr Hofmański, President of the International Criminal Court
09:45 – 10:15	Keynote speech Judge Philippe Kirsch, Chair of the Rome Conference and former President of the International Criminal Court (2003-2009)
	Session 1
	From the crimes to the courtroom: preliminary examinations, investigations and confirmation of charges Chair: Angela Mudukuti, Lawyer and Senior Legal Adviser at the Global Justice Center
	Innovation and technology in building modern investigations and prosecutions at the ICC Karim Khan, ICC Prosecutor
10:15 – 12:15	Judicial control of investigations and charging Judge Ekaterina Trendafilova, President of Kosovo Specialist Chambers, former ICC Judge
	Choices in selecting situations and cases Prof. Darryl Robinson, Queen's University
	Intersectional approaches to investigating and prosecuting sexual and gender-based crimes Priya Gopalan, International criminal lawyer and gender specialist
	National implementation of the Rome Statute as a critical precondition for complementarity and cooperation Prof. Olympia Bekou, University of Nottingham
12:15 – 13:15	Lunch break Sandwiches and soft drinks served



Session 2	
Lifecycle of an ICC case in the courtroom and beyond: trials, appeals and reparations	
Chair: Lorraine Smith van Lin, consultant on international criminal law	
13:15 – 15:15	How to provide justice in a mixed legal system Prof. Raul Pangalangan, University of the Philippines, former ICC Judge
	Defence perspective on the fairness of trials at ICC Jennifer Naouri, President of the International Criminal Court Bar Association
	Reparations: a critical aspect of justice at the ICC Minerva Tavárez Mirabal, Chair of the Board of Directors of the Trust Fund for Victims
	Behind the scenes: the essential role of cooperation in an effective trial Peter Lewis, ICC Registrar
	Is the ICC succeeding in providing justice to victims? Prof. Carla Ferstman, University of Essex
	15:15 – 15:45
Session 3	
Looking back & looking forward	
Chair: David Donat Cattin, Secretary-General, Parliamentarians for Global Action	
15:45 – 17:30	How to expand the global reach of the ICC? Silvia Fernandez de Gurmendi, President of the ASP
	Role of civil society Liz Evenson, Secretariat Director, Coalition for the International Criminal Court
	Evolving system of international criminal justice Prof. Muriel Ubeda-Saillard, University of Lille
	Prospects of adding new crimes in the ICC's jurisdiction Prof. Phoebe Okowa, Queen Mary University
17:30 – 17:50	Rapporteur's summary Prof. Carsten Stahn, Leiden University
17:50 – 18:00	Closing remarks Judge Piotr Hofmański, President of the International Criminal Court
18:00 – 20:00	Reception Following the formal programme, participants are invited to a reception.