

Advanced Principles of Humanitarian Law and Policy

*Amman, Jordan
February 22-24, 2009*

Draft Agenda

Online modules completed prior to arrival:

- Introduction to International Humanitarian Law
- Distinction Between Civilians and Combatants
- Protection of Civilians
- International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights

Sunday, February 22

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| 7:30-9:00 a.m. | Breakfast and Registration |
| 9:00-9:30 a.m. | Welcome and Introduction |
| 9:30-9:45 a.m. | Conceptual Overview of Training Course <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Course objectives |
| 9:45-11:15 a.m. | Humanitarian Protection and Access |
| 11:15-11:30 a.m. | Coffee Break |
| 11:30-1:00 p.m. | Direct Participation in Hostilities |
| 1:00-2:00 p.m. | Lunch |
| 2:00-3:30p.m. | Conduct of Hostilities <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Duties of parties to an armed conflict▪ Definition of military forces, military objects, military necessity |
| 3:30-3:45 p.m. | Coffee Break |
| 3:45-5:00 p.m. | Targeting Simulation |

Monday, February 23

8:00-9:00 a.m.	Breakfast
9:00-9:15 a.m.	Review of Previous Day
9:15-10:15 a.m.	International Humanitarian Law and Counterterrorism
10:15-11:45 a.m.	Counterterrorism Case Study
11:45-12:00 p.m.	Coffee Break
12:00-1:00 p.m.	Private Military Contractors <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Legal status▪ Relationship to the state and policy responses
1:00 - 2:00 p.m.	Lunch
2:00-3:15 p.m.	Non-state and Transnational Actors <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Legal framework and dilemmas▪ Negotiating with non-state actors▪ State response
3:15-3:30 p.m.	Coffee Break
3:30-5:30 p.m.	Engagement with Non-State Actors Simulation Exercise
7:30-9:00 p.m.	Film Screening

Tuesday, February 24

- 8:00-9:00 a.m. Breakfast
- 9:00-9:15 a.m. Review of Previous Day
- 9:15-10:30 a.m. Peace Operations and International Humanitarian Law
- Legal framework
 - Operational challenges
- 10:30-10:45 a.m. Coffee Break
- 10:45-11:45 a.m. Civil-Military Relations
- 11:45-1:00 p.m. Genocide and Crimes Against Humanity
- Applicable legal frameworks
 - Responsibility to protect
- 1:00-2:00 p.m. Lunch
- 2:00-3:15 p.m. International Humanitarian Law, International Criminal Law and Enforcement
- Different enforcement mechanisms
 - Roots of Behavior
- 3:15-3:30 p.m. Coffee Break
- 3:15-5:00 p.m. Panel Discussion: Challenges and Perspectives