



PROGRAMME OF ACTIVITIES 2017

Training Programme in International Humanitarian Law

Our training programme provides a structured approach to building an in-depth knowledge of International Humanitarian Law (IHL), addressing different levels of prior experience developing from foundation to advanced levels with specialised courses to cover specific topics in greater detail.

Courses provide a sound understanding of fundamental issues but are also continually reviewed to address current issues in IHL. The Institute focuses on delivering practical and experience-based instruction, supported by exercises and case studies to reinforce the participant's understanding.

Course Leaders and participants come from across the world, ensuring a unique environment with a diverse, challenging and stimulating international perspective. Our training courses are suitable for both civilian and military personnel. Whilst many of our courses will be useful to those with a legal background, they are equally relevant to specialist operators and planning staffs.

Foundation level

165 th International Military Course on LOAC	English (with Arabic classes)	24 April – 5 May, Sanremo
166 th International Military Course on LOAC	French	24 April – 5 May, Salon-de-Provence (France)
167 th International Military Course on LOAC	Spanish (with Portuguese class)	4–15 September, Sanremo
168 th International Military Course on LOAC	English (with Chinese & Russian classes)	30 October – 10 November, Sanremo

Advanced level

34 th Advanced Course on IHL (LOAC)	English	8–12 May, Sanremo
35 th Advanced Course on IHL (LOAC)	French	8–12 May, Sanremo
36 th Advanced Course on IHL (LOAC)	Spanish	18–26 September, Sanremo

Specialised level

IIHL Detention course	English	29 May – 2 June, Sanremo
Course on Peace Support Operations (PSO 1)	English	15–19 May, Sanremo
40 th Course for Directors of Courses and Trainers in IHL	English	15–19 May, Sanremo
41 st Course for Directors of Courses and Trainers in IHL	Arabic	8–12 May, Sanremo (TBC)
42 nd Course for Directors of Courses and Trainers in IHL	Spanish	27–29 September, Sanremo
43 rd Course for Directors of Courses and Trainers in IHL	French	4–8 December, Sanremo
44 th Course for Directors of Courses and Trainers in IHL	English	4–8 December, Sanremo
Rules of Engagement	English	9–13 October, Sanremo
Air & Space Operations Law	English	9–13 October, Sanremo
Naval Operations and the Law	English	16–20 October, Sanremo
Course on Peace Support Operations (PSO 2)	English	20–24 November, Sanremo (TBC)

Competition on IHL for Military Academies

English 13–17 March, Sanremo

Summer Course on International Humanitarian Law

English 3–14 July, Sanremo/Geneva

International Round Table on current problems of IHL

7–9 September, Sanremo



Contemporary Workshops in International Humanitarian Law

In order to maintain an understanding and continuous dialogue on the complex and evolving subject of IHL, the Institute conducts several workshops addressing particular dynamic IHL issues.

These workshops bring together leading military experts who are practitioners and academics to discuss the key challenges in a specific area of IHL and to address the particular considerations they pose regarding interoperability in the multinational context.

Necessarily, the workshops are reviewed continually, in order to maintain their relevance and coherency with current operational context and other emergent issues.

Emergent Issues	English	5–9 June, Sanremo
Targeting: Terrestrial, Cyber & Space	English	2–6 October

Training Programme on Refugee Law, Migration Law and the Protection of Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs)

The IIHL conducts a general course on refugee law and specialised courses to achieve greater depth of coverage in specific areas. These courses are designed for government officials, UN and NGO personnel responsible for and dealing with refugees, migration and IDP issues. Their aim is to increase the knowledge and skills of the participants, developing a greater level of awareness of the law through an interactive environment enhanced by the global experience of teaching staff and participants. They include lectures, case studies, simulations and practical exercises led by experts.

Refugee Law

88 th Course on Refugee Law	English	28 March – 1 April, Sanremo
89 th Course on Refugee Law	French	13–17 June, Sanremo
90 th Course on Refugee Law	English	24–28 October, Sanremo
91 th Course on Refugee Law	Arabic	14–18 November, Sanremo
92 nd Course on Refugee Law	Spanish	28 November–2 December, Sanremo (TBC)
2 nd Course on Statelessness	English	4–7 April, Sanremo
3 rd Course on Statelessness	Arabic	20–24 November, Sanremo

Migration Law

13 th International Migration Law Course	English	25–29 September, Sanremo
14 th International Migration Law Course	French	9–13 October, Sanremo

Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs)

Course on the Law of Internal Displacement	English	2-6 October, Sanremo
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Disaster Law

International Disaster Law Course	English	12-16 June, Sanremo
Course on the Law and Legal Protection in Natural Disasters	English	18-22 September, Sanremo



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