

# ESF-LiU Conference on Violations of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law

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### Co-Chairs:

- Prof. Paola Gaeta  
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- Prof. Marcelo Aebi  
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This conference aims at bringing together scientific leaders from human rights law, criminology, sociology, ethics and legal medicine with CPT experts, ECHR judges and ONG members and to attract more young researchers in order to further research in this important domain. The conference will help to build highly efficient research groups throughout Europe and to facilitate research contacts with international researchers outside Europe, while at the same time increasing international awareness about unique human rights protections in Europe. Full conference programme available from [www.esf.org/conferences/10318](http://www.esf.org/conferences/10318).

### Invited Speakers will include:

- Dr. Bruno Aubusson  
Centre de recherche sociologique sur le Droit et les Institutions pénales, CNRS, FR
- Prof. Andrew Coyle  
International Centre for Prison Studies, King's College London, UK
- Prof. Manfred Nowak  
UN special rapporteur on torture  
Director of the Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Human Rights, Vienna, AT
- Prof. Derrick Pounder  
Director of Centre for Forensic and Legal Medicine, University of Dundee, Scotland, UK
- Dr. Jean-Pierre Restellini  
Swiss Member of the European Committee for the Prevention of Torture (CPT), FR
- Prof. Theophilos Rifiotis  
Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina, BR
- Prof. William Schabas  
Director of the Irish Centre for Human Rights, National University of Ireland, Galway, IE
- Mr. Stephen Shaw  
CBE Prisons and Probation Ombudsman for England and Wales, UK
- Prof. Adam Stapleton  
Human Rights lawyer, Center for Human Rights, Northwestern University, Chicago, US
- Prof. Theophilos Rifiotis  
Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina, BR
- Dr. Morris Tidball-Binz  
Forensic Coordinator (ICRC ), CH
- Prof. Duarte Nuno Vieira  
Director of the National Institute of Legal Medicine of Portugal, PT President of the International Academy of Legal Medicine, PT

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