

Guest Lectures, Speeches, Interventions

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1. 'A Turkish Safety Zone in Northern Iraq: Where are the Limits of Collective Efforts to Maintain International Peace and Security?', Speech before the *British Branch of the International Law Association* at Oxford University (March 1997).
2. 'The State and the Individual in War and Civil war. Towards a New Epoch of International Law', Speech before the *Dortmund Society for Legal Studies* (May 1999).
3. 'Why to Enact a German Code of Crimes under International Law?', Speech before the *Hagen Society of Legal Studies* (February 2000).
4. 'The Principles Governing Germany's Jurisdiction in Criminal Matters', Speech before the *German-Spanish Law Association* (February 2000).
5. '*The Rome Statute and Domestic Legal Orders – A German Perspective*', Intervention at the European Conference on the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court Convened by *No Peace without Justice* and the *Government of Italy*, Rome (July 2000).
6. 'The Evolution of the Law on War Crimes Committed in Non-International Conflicts', Speech before the Expert's Round Table of the *International Institute of International Humanitarian Law*, San Remo (October 2001).
7. 'Ratification and Implementation of the Rome Statute in Germany', Intervention before the Regional Conference for Government Officials of the Member States to the Community of Independent States in Moscow Convened by the *International Committee of the Red Cross* and the *Government of the Russian Federation* (March 2001).
8. 'Issues Relating to Ratification of and Accession to the International Criminal Court', Intervention before the Expert's Conference on the International Criminal Court and South East Asia and the Pacific, Manila (October 2001).
9. 'Global Criminal Law and Global Criminal Justice after 9/11', Speech before the *Hannover Society of Legal Studies*, Hannover (December 2001).
10. 'The Emerging General Part of International Criminal Law', Speech at the Conference 'Preparing for the International Criminal Court' Convened by *Leiden University* and the *T.M.C. Asser Institute*, The Hague (December 2001).
11. 'The German Approach to Vertical Cooperation in Criminal Matters', Intervention before the *Oxford Commonwealth Conference*, Oxford (August 2002).
12. 'The Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court', Speech before the *Deutsche Richterakademie* (Academy for German Judges), Trier (September 2002).

13. 'The New German Code of Crimes Under International Law', Intervention before the Follow Up Expert's Conference on the International Criminal Court and South East Asia and the Pacific, Phnom Phen (October 2002).
14. 'The Witness from Abroad under German and International Criminal Procedure', Speech before the *Faculty of Law, Cologne University*, Cologne (October 2002).
15. 'Germany's Approach to the Implementation of the Rome Statute', Speech before the *Japanese Bar Association*, Tokyo (November 2002).
16. 'The Anatomy of a Unique Compromise. An Outline of the Procedural Law of the International Criminal Court', Speech before the Elected *Judges of the International Criminal Court*, Side Event to the Judges' Inauguration, The Hague (March 2003).
17. 'The Path from the two Ad Hoc Tribunals to the International Criminal Court. Reflections on the Evolution of International Criminal Justice', Speech before the *Federal Academy for Security Policy*, Berlin (April 2003).
18. 'The International Criminal Court - A Step Away from the Traditional Paradigm of International Law?', Speech before the Conference 'The Role of the United Nations in World Politics' Convened by the *Federal Agency for Political Education*, the *German Society of the United Nations* and the *German Atlantic Society*, Brühl (May 2003).
19. 'Investigation and Case Preparation', Intervention before the Conference 'Implementation of the Statute of the International Criminal Court in Central and Eastern Europe' for Government Officials from States from Middle and Eastern Europe, Bucharest (May 2003).
20. '*Jurisdiction and Cooperation under the Statute of the International Criminal Court*', Speech before the *Judges of the Supreme Court of Georgia* (June 2003).
21. 'Criminal Law and Wars of Aggression in Light of the Iraq case', Speech before the *KölnerAnwaltVerein*, Cologne (June 2003).
22. '*Jus Contra Bellum: Quo Vadis?*. Reflections in Light of the Use of Force of the "Coalition of the Willing" against Iraq', Speech before the *German-American Lawyers Association*, Düsseldorf (July 2003).
23. 'International, European and German Criminal Law and the Challenge of International Terrorism', Speech before the *Academy for German Judges*, Trier (October 2003).
24. '*More Participation by the Defence at the Investigation Stage of German Criminal Procedure?*', Speech before the *Faculty of Law, Cologne University*, Cologne (May 2004).
25. 'The German Code of Crimes under International Law', Speech at the Conference „La mise en oeuvre du Statut de Rome dans le droit pénal suisse“ hold at the *University of Fribourg*, Fribourg (Switzerland) (February 2005).

27. 'The International Criminal Court and the Security Council of the United Nations'. Speech at the 2nd "Faculty Day" of the *Faculty of Law, Cologne University*, Cologne (Juli 2005).
28. 'Principles of International Criminal Procedure'. Speech at the Conference „Historic Dimensions of War Crimes after the Second World War 2“ hold at *Marburg University*, Marburg (September 2005).
29. 'The Emerging Practice of the International Criminal Court', Speech before the *Legal Advisors of the German Armed Forces*, Cologne (Oktober 2005).
30. 'The Implementation of the Duties under Part 9 and 10 of the ICC Statute by States Parties - A Comparative Appraisal', Speech at the conference "Corte Penale Internazionale e cooperazione internazionale alla luce dello Statuto di Roma" hold at *Lecce University*, Lecce (Oktober 2005).
31. 'Versailles - Nuremberg - The Hague. Germany and International Criminal Law', Inaugural Lecture in the *University of Cologne*, Cologne (December 2005).
32. 'The German Model', Speech at the Seminar 'Importing International Core Crimes into National Criminal Law', as Organized by the *Peace Research Institute Oslo*, Oslo (October 2006).
33. 'Co-operation with the ICC: Practical Issues and Procedural Aspects', Speech at the 'International Symposium on the ICC: The International Criminal Court Reviewed – Significance, Accomplishments and Challenges' Convened by *Keio University, Tokyo* (November 2006).
34. 'Border-Line Legal Issues in Responding to Non-state Attacks under the International Law of Armed Conflict: The Israeli Policy of Targeted Killing', Speech at the Seminar 'State und Terror. The Liberal State and its Enemies' held under the auspices of the *Hanns-Martin-Schleyer-Foundation* (January 2007).
35. 'The Implementation of the Rome Statute: The Western Experience', Speech at the *University of Sharjah*, Sharjah (United Arab Emirates) (February 2007).
36. 'Defining the Crime of Aggression', Speech as Part of the Regional ICC Workshop Organized by the *International Criminal Law Network, Abu Dhabi* (February 2007).
37. 'The European and German Criminal law Approach against Terrorism', Intervention as Part of the Seminar 'Counter-Terrorism Strategies, Human Rights and International Law: Meeting the Challenges' Convened by *Leiden University*, Leiden (April 2007).
38. 'The Use of Military Force against Terrorism: Legal Issues under the *Ius contra Bellum*, the *Ius in Bello* and International Human Rights Law', Speech before the *Academy for German Judges* (April 2007).
39. 'Legal Constraints in Peace Negotiations', Speech at the International Seminar „Peace and Accountability in Transitions from Armed Conflict“ as convened by the *International Peace Research Institute*, Oslo, and the *Vice-Precidency of Columbia*, Bogota (June 2007).
40. 'The International Court of Justice and the Elements of the Crime of Genocide', Speech at a Symposium Organised by the *Editorial Board of the European Journal of International Law* held in the *European University Institute*, Fiesole (June 2007).

41. 'Towards a New International Legal Regime against Transnational Terrorism', Speech at a Conference Convened by the *Minerva Center for Human Rights* and the *Hebrew University of Jerusalem* 'Complementing IHL: Exploring the Need for Additional Norms to Govern Contemporary Conflict Situations', Jerusalem (June 2008).
42. 'The Law against Genocide and the *Al Bashir* Case before the International Criminal Court', Speech at the *Grotius Centre of International Legal Studies*, The Hague (March 2009).
43. 'An Acting Head of State Within the Reach of World Criminal Justice. The *Al Bashir* Case before the International Criminal Court', Speech at the *Kölner Juristische Gesellschaft*, Cologne, (May 2009).
44. 'Transnational Violence', Speech at the Round Table of the *International Institute of International Humanitarian Law*, San Remo (September 2009)
45. 'Current Criminal Law Issues Regarding Piracy', Speech at the *Germany Society for Military Law and Humanitarian Law*, Bonn (September 2009).
46. 'Nuremberg's Legacy', Speech at the Conference 'That Four Great Nations The Nuremberg Trial. The Current State of the Discussion', Convened by the *Dokumentationszentrum Reichsparteitagsgebäude*, Nuremberg (October 2009).
47. 'The Weapons Provisions in the ICC Statute and in the German Code of Crimes under International Law - With an Outlook to the First Review Conference on the ICC Statute', Speech before the *Legal Advisors of the German Armed Forces*, Mannheim (November 2009).
48. 'Beyond Piracy: Multinational Law Enforcement and the Legal Challenges it Poses', Keynote Speech at the Expert Meeting on Multinational Law Enforcement and Sea Piracy convened by the *Max-Planck-Institute for Foreign and International Criminal Law*, Fribourg (November 2009).
49. 'International Criminal Justice and the United Nations Security Council', Lecture at the *Hague Academy for International Law*, The Hague (January 2010).
50. 'On the Immediate Future of the Crime of Aggression', Lecture at the *Lauterpacht Centre for International Law*, Cambridge (March 2010).
51. 'Germany v. Italy on Immunities before the ICJ. The German Position', Intervention at the Roundtable of the 19th Conference on Theory and International Law Convened by the *Society of Legal Scholars International Law Section* and the *British Institute of International and Comparative Law*, London (April 2010).
52. 'The Contribution of International Criminal Law', Intervention at the Conference Noncombatant Immunity in the early 21st Century, Convened by the *Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies (University Notre Dame)*, the *Institute for National Security Ethics and Leadership (National Defense University)*, and the *Institut für Theologie und Frieden*, Washington (Juni 2010).
53. 'The Decision by the Federal Prosecutor in the Kunduz Incident', *Führungsakademie der Bundeswehr (Academy for the German Armed Forces)*, Hamburg (November 2010).

54. The Kampala Compromise on the Crime of Aggression, Lectures and Interventions
- at the *Lauterpacht Centre for International Law* (Cambridge, June 2010),
 - at the *University of Salamanca* (July 2010),
 - at the *University of Oxford* (July 2010),
 - at *Duke Law School* (Durham, November 2010),
 - at the *University of Göttingen* (November 2010),
 - at the *Forum-NRW of the Deutschen Gesellschaft für Auswärtige Politik (German Society for Foreign Politics)*, Cologne (January 2011),
 - at the *University Barcelona (Autònoma)* (February 2011),
 - at the *International Criminal Court*, The Hague (February 2011),
 - at the *University of Swansea* (March 2011),
 - at the *Welsh Centre for International Affairs*, Cardiff (March 2011),
 - at the *American Society of International Law's Annual Meeting 2011*, Washington (March 2011)
 - at the *International Law Association's (German Branch) Annual Meeting 2011*, Heidelberg (May 2011)
 - at the *Federal Ministry of Justice*, Berlin (March 2012)
 - at the *University of Glasgow* (October 2012)
 - at the *University of Stockholm* (December 2012)
 - at the *London School of Economics* (March 2014)
 - at the *University Wroclaw* (April 2014)
 - at the *University of Ghent* (December 2015)
 - at *Strathmore Law School (Nairobi)* (July 2016)
55. Some Thoughts on “Liability and Punishment” in Jeff McMahan’s “Killing in War”. Intervention as part of a workshop convened by the *Institut für Theologie und Frieden* (Institute for Theology and Peace) together with Jeff McMahan on the latter’s “Killing in War” (May 2011).
56. Responsibility to Protect. A New Doctrine of International Peace and Security Law? Speeches before the *Working Groups „International Politics“ of the Parliamentarians of the Socialdemocrats*, Berlin (May 2011), and the *Liberal Democrats*, Berlin (March 2012).
57. ‘Theory and Practice in International Criminal Law’, Speech before the Judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia during their *Berlin Retreat* (October 2011).
58. ‘The Arab Spring and Europe’s Position - International Legal Aspects’, Intervention at the workshop Convened by the *Katholische Friedensstiftung* (Catholic Foundation for Peace), Berlin (March 2012).
59. ‘International Law and the Prosecution of Crimes under International Law after a Regime Change’, Lecture at the 5th Conference of the *Kuratorium Cologne Courts during National Socialism* and of the *Research Project ‘The Judiciary and Regime Change’*, Cologne (March 2012).
60. ‘Operationalizing the Principle of Proportionality in the Law of Armed Conflict’, Lecture at the 22nd Conference of the *German Red Cross*, Ettlingen (March 2012).

61. Participation in a Roundtable on Larry May's 'After War Ends' as Part of the Conference 'The Jus-Post-Bellum': Mapping the Normative Foundations' Convened by the *Grotius Centre of International Legal Studies*, The Hague (June 2012).
62. 'The ICC's Jurisprudence on Genocide', Speech at the Conference 'The Law and Practice of the International Criminal Court: Achievements, Impact, Challenges', The Hague (September 2012).
63. 'The International Criminal Court at Ten', Lectures at the *Universities of Regensburg, Keio and Roma Tre* (July, November and December 2012).
64. 'Forcible Protection of National Abroad', Speech at the 75th Conference of the *International Law Association*, Sofia (August 2012).
65. 'The Right to Self-Defence, Conflict Qualification and the Geographical Scope of the Targeting Powers under the Law of Non-International Armed Conflict', Intervention at the High-Level Policy Seminar 'Targeted Killing by Unmanned Vehicles - International Law Responds' Convened by the *European University Institute*, Fiesole (February 2013).
66. 'The International Criminal Court: A Global Public Authority?', Speech at the International Symposium 'Peace through Law. How Can the Human Race Overcome War?' Convened by the Institute for Theology and Peace, Hamburg (March 2013).
67. 'Post- and Neowestfalian Elements in the Contemporary International Peace and Security Law', Speech at the *17th Reunion of the German Judges of Administrative Law*, Münster (June 2013).
68. 'The Principle of Complementarity and Issues of Transitional Justice', Speech at the Jornadas Internacionales de Derecho Penal 2013, Convened by the *Universidad Externado de Colombia*, Bogotá (September 2013).
69. 'The Law of Non-International Armed Conflict: A Precious Humanitarian Asset or an Explosive for International Human Rights?', Lecture as Part of the Lecture Series on 'Philosophical Controversies' at the University of Cologne (November 2013), and as Part of the Jornadas Internacionales de Derecho Penal 2014 at the University Externado, Bogotá, (August 2014).
70. 'Is it Permissible under International Law to Arm Rebels against an Abusive Regime?', Participation in a Panel Debate at the *American Society of International Law*, Washington (April 2014).
71. 'Shakespeare's Henry V. and the Law of War', Lecture in the *Museum für angewandte Kunst Köln* (May 2014).
72. 'Nigel Biggar's "In Defence of War" and International Law', Intervention at a Conference at the *University of Oxford* (May 2014).
73. 'Germany and the Crime of Aggression', Speech before the Japanese Society of International Law, Niigata (September 2014).

74. ‘*Joachim Vogels* Categories on Participation and International Criminal Law’, Speech the International Conference in Memory of *Joachim Vogel* at *Munich University* (October 2014).
75. ‘The Case of Crimea (2014) and the Crime of Aggression. Lectures/Speeches
- at the Workshop on ‘Ukraine: A Case Study in the Viability of International Law’, *West Point Center for the Rule of Law, U.S. Military Academy* (October 2014)
 - at *Harvard University* (February 2015)
 - at the Conference ‘The Case of Crimea in the Light of International Law: Its Nature and Implication’, *The Centre for Polish-Russian Dialogue and Understanding/The Institute of Law Studies of the Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw* (March 2015).
76. ‘The Allied Use of Force against the “Islamic State” in Iraq and Syria. International Legal Aspects’, Speech before the *Kölner Juristische Gesellschaft* (November 2014).
77. ‘Toward a Truly Universal Invisible College of International Criminal Lawyers’, Lecture at the Occasion of the *Receipt of the 2014 M.C. Bassiouni Justice Award*, *New Delhi* (November 2014).
78. ‘Navigating Peace and Justice: The Case of Colombia’, Lecture at *Columbia University, New York* (February 2015).
79. ‘The Case of Srebrenica and International Criminal Law’, Speech at the Symposium ‘Srebrenica. A European Tragedy’, *University of Cologne* (July 2015).
80. ‘The Supreme Court of the British Zone of Occupation as part of a Century Long Process of Discussion about Crimes against Humanity (1915-2015)’, Speech at a Ceremony at the Occasion of ‘65 Years After the Closure of the Supreme Court of the British Zone of Occupation’, *Court of Appeal, Cologne* (September 2015).
81. ‘The Crime of Aggression under International Law’, Speech in the *Northrhine-Westfalian Academy of Sciences and the Arts, Düsseldorf* (November 2015).
82. ‘Close Encounters of the Third Kind: International Criminal Law and International Human Rights Law’, *Vorlesungen an der Academy of European Law, Fiesole* (Juni 2016).
83. ‘Acts of terrorism: new forms of crimes against humanity?’, Speech in the *Cour de cassation: ’70 years after Nuremberg. Judging the crime against humanity, Paris* (September 2016).