



United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research
Institute

Course Agenda

**Specialized Training on International Criminal Law and
Global Threats to Peace and Security**

27 March - 30 June 2017

Turin, Italy

Dates	Topic
Week 1 27-31 March	Transnational organized crime (introduction) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is organized crime • Global organized crime development and challenges • International conventions against transnational organized crime • Legal and practical responses to combat organized crime • Nexus between organized crime and terrorism • Emerging crimes • Case study: the Italian mafia
Week 2 3-7 April	International Humanitarian Law <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Historical evolution • Fundamental principles • International framework • Conduct of hostilities • IHL framework protection • Difference between international armed conflicts and non-international armed conflicts • The reciprocal interplay between international humanitarian law and its interplay with international criminal law • Investigation and prosecution of international crimes • Case study: Protection for children and women
Week 3 10-13 April (PH 14 April)	International system of human rights <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to the universal framework of human rights protection, standards and mechanisms – The Universal Declaration of Human rights, the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights • The European system of human rights: European Convention of Human Rights and the European Court of Human rights <p><i>Special focus on:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Right to life (article 2) • Prohibition of Torture (article 3) • Right to fair trial and no prohibition without law (articles 6 and 7) • Freedom of thought, conscience and religion (article 9) Freedom of expression, with a focus on hate speech (article 10) • Prohibition of discrimination (article 14)
Week 4 18-21 April (PH 17 April)	Counter-Terrorism (treatment of offenders) Treatment of offenders (special focus on radicalized inmates)

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Week 5 24-28 April	Corruption, money-laundering and asset recovery <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International convention against corruption • Prevention, including establishment of anticorruption bodies • Criminalization and legislation • International cooperation and mutual legal assistance • Asset recovery • Money-laundering and countering the financing of terrorism
Week 6 2-5 May (PH 1 May)	Drug control and international legislation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International drug control treaties and conventions • International policy framework (Commission on Narcotic Drugs, International Narcotics Control Board) • Measures to combat illicit drug trafficking and related money-laundering • Legalizing drugs: Why – why not • Drug use prevention, treatment and care • Drugs and gender • Alternative development to illicit drug cultivation
Week 7 8-12 May	Trafficking in persons / Smuggling of migrants <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Migration: global trends • Migration flows: crime-related challenges • Trafficking in persons: overview of the phenomenon at global level • Investigating and prosecuting trafficking in persons • Smuggling of migrants: overview of the phenomenon and involvement of organized crime • Support to victims: the role of civil society organizations • Migration and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)
Week 8 15-19 May	Environmental crimes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environmental crimes: overview of the phenomenon and legal framework • Environmental crimes: an organized crime business - special focus on e-waste • International environmental agreements • Status and impact of climate change • Environment and the SDGs • Environmental migrants
Week 9 22-26 May	Counter-Terrorism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Terrorism: history, structure, dynamics, sources of support and major affected political areas • The universal legal framework against terrorism and its implementation • Counter-terrorism measures • Radicalization • Rehabilitation and reintegration of violent extremist offenders • The phenomenon of foreign fighters • Strategic communication in countering violent extremism • Youth, families and civil society and terrorism • Deradicalization and disengagement

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Week 10 29 May-1 June (PH 2 June)	Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear Risk Mitigation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of CBRN risks • CBRN-related incidents and assessing the risk of CBRN terrorism • International legal instruments on WMD non-proliferation • New challenges posed by non state actors to the international community • International legal framework in the field of CBRN risk mitigation: CBRN safety and CBRN security • Introduction to the CBRN security governance approach: prevention-detection-preparedness and response
Week 11 5-9 June	Cybercrime, cybersecurity and cyberterrorism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cybercrime: concepts and evolution • Cybersecurity: history and development • Terrorist use of the Internet • Cyberterrorism and cyberwarfare • Fighting against cybercrime • Protection from cyber threats and public private partnerships • Civil liberties vs national security interests to counter cyber threats • Active personal digital defense
Week 12 12-16 June	Emerging Technologies and Security <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Legal and ethical challenges • Policy considerations and beneficial applications • Specific technologies discussed will include: biotechnology, artificial intelligence and robotics, big data, virtual and augmented reality
Week 13 19-23 June	Study visits <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Juvenile Court and Tribunal of Turin • Prison and Juvenile detention centre in Turin • Visit to a laboratory: innovative experience for inmates' rehabilitation and reintegration in society • Visit to Cultural Mediation Centre Sportello Aria • Visit to local NGOs Sermig and Asai on reducing people vulnerabilities and enhancing integration • Visit to United Nations System Staff College: focus on the UN Post 2030 agenda • Visit to International Training Centre of the International Labour organization: focus on rights at work; sustainable development and governance • Visit to European Training Foundation: focus on human capital development issues • Visit to Politecnico of Turin: focus on meeting the challenges of the future and how innovation contributes to security and development • Meeting with the Community Policing Unit of Turin • Visit to United Nations HQs (Geneva)
Week 14 27-30 June (PH 26 June)	Preparation of an article for publication <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participant will select a topic from those included in the training and will prepare an article for the Magazine Freedom From fear (F3) • Participants will be supported by a tutor throughout the production, discussion and revision of the article • The preparation of articles will include interviews with eminent experts and class

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	<p>discussions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li data-bbox="343 291 1444 425">• The Magazine F3 aims to contribute to the advancement of knowledge and to raise awareness about the international community's priority issues. The Magazine aims to provide a base of knowledge that encourages dialogue and improved actions in the field of justice and development for the promotion of sustainable societies<li data-bbox="343 425 1444 622">• F3 represents a unique forum to compare different points of view and an opportunity to discuss good practices, past failures and to propose effective and enduring solutions among international organizations, governments, the academia and civil society. The Magazine's esteemed status is supported by an extensive distribution network. To date the electronic publication has been accessed by visitors from 173 countries.