

INTERNATIONAL LAW ACTIVITIES

On 7 and 8 October 2016, Professor Suzannah Linton attended the book launch of the ICTY Prosecutor Serge Brammertz' co-edited book on [Prosecuting Conflict-Related Sexual Violence at the ICTY](#), and participated in the [accompanying conference on Sexual Violence in Armed Conflict](#). The event was hosted by the Chinese University of Hong Kong's Law Faculty. Professor Linton spoke on two panels. On the panel on *Sexual Violence in Armed Conflict in the Asian Context*, she spoke on 'Sexual Violence in Bangladesh & East Timor'. On the panel on the so-called Comfort Women, she spoke on 'Comfort Women and International Law Barriers to Remedies'.



Other participants included the organiser, Professor Gregory Gordon and Dean of the Law School, Professor Chris Gane; ICTY Prosecutor Serge Brammertz; ICC Judge HE Christine Van den Wyngaert; Hon Justice Kevin Zervos of the Hong Kong judiciary; Dr Philip Beh of the University of Hong Kong; Professor Nina Jorgenson of the Chinese University of Hong Kong; International Law and Gender Expert Priya Gopalan; Professor Louise Chappell of the

University of New South Wales; Ms. Kelisiana Thynne of the ICRC Regional Office in Kuala Lumpur; Mr. Tom Hamilton, Legal Consultant to the ECCC in Phnom Penh; Dr. Rachel Killean of Queen's University Belfast; Dr. Joseph Rikhof from the Canadian Department of Justice; Ms Kathy Roberts of the Center for Rights & Justice in the USA, Mr. Jeremy Dein, QC of the London and Hong Kong Bars; Dr. Yuki Tanaka of the Hamburg Institute of Social Studies and Dr Danny Friedmann of California Western Law School.

On 11 November 2016, Professor Linton attended in The Hague at the book launch of Professor Tim McCormack's co-edited book on [Australia's War Crimes Trials: 1945-1951](#). It was held at the residence of the Australian Ambassador to the Netherlands. The book provides the first detailed analysis of Australia's 300 war crimes trials of principally Japanese accused conducted in the immediate aftermath of the Second World War. The book was launched by the Australian Ambassador to The Hague, Dr. Brett Mason, and by HE Judge James Crawford of the International Court of Justice. Professor McCormack and Professor Linton are presently co-leading a new project on International Humanitarian Law in the Asia-Pacific region.



Prof Linton, HE Justice Raul Pangalangan of the International Criminal Court, Professor Elisabeth Pangalangan of the University of the Philippines and Professor Carsten Stahn of Leiden University Law School

Professor Linton also delivered lectures about her ongoing work on Women Accused of International Crimes. On 9 December 2016, Professor Linton spoke about her ongoing work on Women Accused of International Crimes at Xiamen University Law School. She addressed the members of the International Law team at Zhejiang Gongshang University Law School on 20 November 2016.