Law & Security: Perspectives from the Field and Beyond

Sunday, June 30th – Tuesday, July 2nd, 2013
Room SL103, Radzyner-Sustainability Building, IDC Herzliya

The conference is designed to encourage a dialogue on questions of law, security, and counter-terrorism among officials and experts from the military, judiciary, academia, international organizations, and the private sector. Drawing on varied experiences and perspectives, the conference will provide a unique opportunity to explore the challenges of balancing law and security on and away from the battlefield.

Sunday, June 30th

Dinner & Keynote Address (closed event, speakers only)
Shai Nitzan, Deputy Attorney General for Special Assignments, Israel

Israel's Draft Law on Combating Terrorism: Central Themes & Challenges

Monday, July 1st

8:30  Gathering
9:00  Greetings
William Banks, INSCT
Boaz Ganor, ICT
Michael Mertes, Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung in Israel
9:25  Introductory Remarks
      Daphné Richemond-Barak, IDC Herzliya

9:30  Panel I: Promoting the Rule of Law in Volatile Environments
      Moderator: Daphné Richemond-Barak, IDC Herzliya
                Amichai Magen, IDC Herzliya
                Steven Hill, US Mission to the United Nations
                Linda Lourie, U.S. Department of Defense
                Dieter Fleck, Former Director International Agreements and Policy of the
                German Ministry of Defence

11:00 Coffee Break

11:30 Panel II: Law and Security at Sea
      Moderator: Eran Shamir-Borer, International Law Department, IDF
                Military Advocate General's Corps
                David Maraga, Kenyan Court of Appeal in Nairobi
                Tara Helfman, Syracuse College of Law
                Eliav Lieblich, IDC Herzliya
                Ian Simpson, Neptune Maritime Security

13:00 Lunch

14:30 "Hot Scenario": Contending with Cyber-warfare
      Moderator: William Banks, INSCB
                Eitan Azani, ICT
                Eric Talbot Jensen, Brigham Young University
                Nimrod Kozlovski, JVO, Tel Aviv Business Administration School
                Harvey Rishikof, Advisory Committee for the American Bar Association
                    Standing Committee on Law and National Security
                Michael Schmitt, US Naval War College

16:15 Reception

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Tuesday, July 2nd

9:30 Gathering
William Banks, INSTC
Ben Emmerson, UN Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism
Daniel Reisner, Herzog Fox Neeman; former Head of the IDF's International Law Department
Michael Schmitt, US Naval War College

11:30 Coffee Break

12:00 Panel IV: The Role of Courts in Balancing Law and Security
Moderator: Amichai Cohen, Ono Academic College, Faculty of Law
Jean-Louis Bruguière, former Chief of the National Judicial Antiterrorist Division, France
Gad Barzilai, Faculty of Law, Haifa University
Roy Schondorf, Ministry of Justice, Israel

13:30 Lunch

15:00 Closing Event: Operation Pillar of Defense: An Assessment
Moderator: Boaz Ganor, ICT
Irwin Cotler, Member of Canadian Parliament
Amos Gilad, Ministry of Defense, Israel
David Horovitz, Times of Israel
Avital Leibovich, IDF Spokesman's Office
Jessica Montell, B'Tselem
Noam Neuman, International Law Department, IDF Military Advocate General's Corps

Concluding Remarks

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