



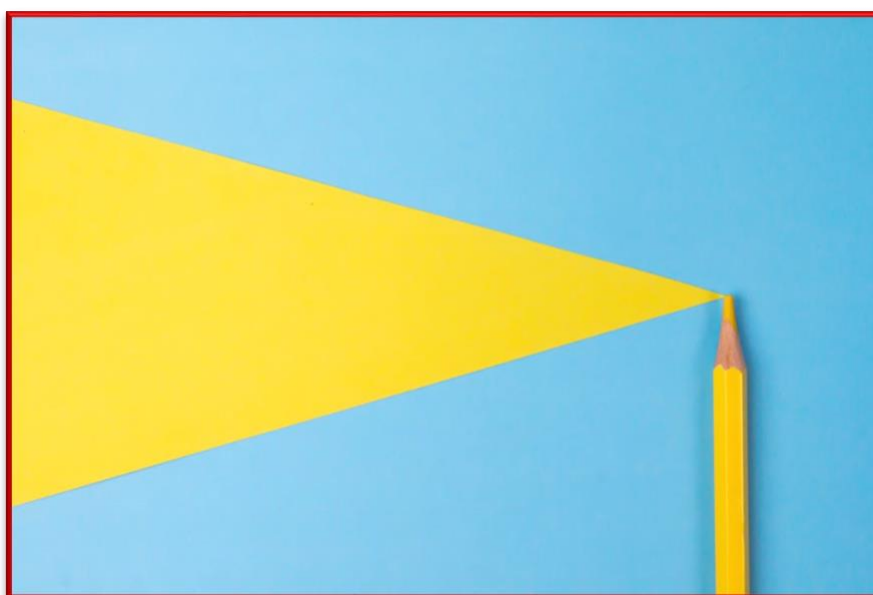
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Doctoral Research Forum 2022



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Friday, 14 October 2022
10:00-18:00 CEST
Van Swinderen Huys
Oude Boteringestraat 19, 9712 GC Groningen

In cooperation with the Netherlands Network for Human Rights Research, the T.M.C. Asser Institute, the University of Groningen, and the Open University

Organized by Noor Swart and Kilian Roithmaier

About the Netherlands Network for Human Rights Research

The Netherlands Network for Human Rights Research (NNHRR) was established in 2017 to sustain and further strengthen cooperation in the field of human rights research. The NNHRR has become an essential platform for human rights researchers seeking to establish meaningful contacts and durable links in the Netherlands. The NNHRR is connecting researchers, academic institutions, innovative ideas and outputs, thus generating relevant societal insights. As such, it maintains and strengthens the institutionalized cooperation among human rights researchers in the Netherlands and facilitates the organization of inter-university research and trainings for PhD researchers. It also enhances the visibility of human rights work conducted at Dutch universities nationally and internationally and constitutes a key focal point for academic work focused on contemporary challenges.

One of the priorities of the NNHRR is the maximization of its member's resources by creating spaces for them to learn from each other through meetings, workshops and exchanges. Therefore, the Network has developed the following flagship activities in addition to the Doctoral Research Forum: the Toogdag (annual research day) and training courses for 1st and 2nd year PhD-students as well as for 3rd and 4th PhD-students. In addition, the NNHRR organizes PhD Meet & Greet and informal gatherings for PhD researchers. Finally, thematic activities and events are organized within the Network's three working groups.

About the NNHRR Doctoral Research Forum 2022

The NNHRR Doctoral Research Forum 2022 brings together PhD candidates from Dutch universities who engage in research in the field of human rights. Established in 2021, this year's edition will take place in Groningen in cooperation with the University of Groningen and the Open University. The Doctoral Research Forum aims at giving participants the opportunity to present their work in a collaborative and informal setting, providing PhD candidates with practical tips and career advice, and facilitating interaction between junior and senior members of the NNHRR.

The day will feature three thematic panels, each containing six presentations by PhD candidates at different stages of their respective PhD projects. Each presentation will last 10 minutes, after which a senior Network member will provide the presenter with feedback. Following the presentations, there will be a general Q&A with the audience. We encourage everyone to use this opportunity to give and receive feedback and exchange thoughts with the other participants. The day will be completed by two informative sessions on writing a blogpost and the work of the Netherlands Institute for Human Rights as well as a social activity to get to know your peers in an informal setting.

Program (tentative)

- 09:30-09:50 **Walk-in with coffee & tea**
- 09:50-10:00 **Welcome**
Noor Swart & Kilian Roithmaier (University of Groningen)
- 10:00-10:45 **Impact where it matters? Writing a blogpost**
Dr. León Castellanos-Jankiewicz (T.M.C. Asser Institute, NNHRR Academic Coordinator)
- 10:45-11:00 **Break with coffee & tea**
- 11:00-12:45 **Panel 1: Regional human rights issues**
Moderator: Noor Swart (University of Groningen)
Discussant: Prof. Marcel Brus (University of Groningen)
- Protecting human rights through judicial policymaking: Public interest litigation before the Supreme Court of India*
Anmol Gulecha (Tilburg University)
- Health data governance in China: Emphasising 'sharing' and 'protection' based on the right to health*
Luji Sun (Erasmus University Rotterdam)
- Legal exceptionality in a lawless space? The legal regulation of the "informal" refugee camps of Calais*
Isabella Leroy (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam)
- The role universalism and particularism have played in Asian states' human rights discourse and implementation*
Shuyuan Zhang (Maastricht University)
- Borders of accountability: Judicial and administrative accountability mechanisms under EU law in the context of increased cooperation in the EU's return system*
Talha Gunay (Leiden University)
- Social media platforms challenging EU fundamental rights protection: The need for an effective response to online hate speech*
Stevi Kitsou (Maastricht University)

12:45-13:30

Lunch

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13:30-15:15

Panel 2: Business & economics and human rights

Moderator: Kilian Roithmaier (University of Groningen)

Discussant: Dr. Lottie Lane (University of Groningen)

The role of companies and the human right to water

Candice Foot (Erasmus University Rotterdam)

Is CSR window dressing? The gap between corporate responsibility in codes of conduct and in action in global supply chains

Sarah Vandenbroucke (Leiden University)

Access to an effective remedy for victims of transnational business-related human rights abuses: The role of non-state-based grievance mechanisms

Gustavo Becker (University of Amsterdam/Max Planck Institute Luxembourg/University of Luxembourg)

About risk management with gun control laws

Johri Maat (Radboud University Nijmegen)

Anonymity and authenticity on online platforms

Yelyzaveta Markova (Radboud University Nijmegen)

Participatory rights, international investment law and inclusive prosperity: Re-imagining legal economic systems around inclusion

Stephanie Triefus (Erasmus University Rotterdam)

15:15-15:30

Break with coffee & tea

15:30-17:15

Panel 3: Procedural questions & current challenges

Moderator: Dr. León Castellanos-Jankiewicz (T.M.C. Asser Institute, NNHRR Academic Coordinator)

Discussant: Prof. Michel Vols (University of Groningen)

How do States' arguments impact ECtHR's consolidated case law?

Mónica Ávila Currás (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam)

Strategic litigation States are using to prevent their legal responsibility in collective and individual expulsion cases at the European Court of Human Rights

Jessica Klüger (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam)

Research on balancing clashing fundamental rights

Noor Swart & Jorrit Westerhof (University of Groningen)

Countering online hate speech — how to adequately protect fundamental rights?

Eva Nave (Leiden University)

Technological voting solutions to ensure persons with disabilities can vote secretly and independently

Adriana Caballero-Pérez (Maastricht University)

Are 20th century 'rights' fit for 21st century pandemics and climate change? Rethinking human right-based approaches to health in the post-colonial context

David Patterson (University of Groningen)

17:15-18:00

Human rights in practice: The Netherlands Institute for Human Rights

Dr. Charlotte Baarda (College voor de Rechten van de Mens)

18:00-19:00

Dinner

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19:45-21:15

Social activity: Pétanque & drinks

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