



Advanced Summer Programme on Countering Terrorism in the Post 9/11 World

26 -30 August 2013 – The Hague

This advanced Summer Programme is organised in cooperation with the International Centre for Counter Terrorism – The Hague (ICCT) for the third time.

In our post 9/11 world, there are many debates on how terrorism should be approached. For instance: what is terrorism exactly and what are the conducive factors? Which paradigm is to be taken in fighting terrorism? The law enforcement paradigm? The war paradigm? And when, and how, should we negotiate with terrorists? Which international law and human rights obligations should be respected and what is the role of NGOs and civil society in countering terrorism? And how can terrorists be tried effectively, both at the national and international level?



The objective of this unique Summer Programme is to provide participants with answers to these fundamental and more practical questions and to give them a deepened understanding of:

- The phenomena of violent radicalisation and terrorism;
- The contemporary methods to counter it;
- The applicable international legal framework.

***“Interesting to have the already
discussed legal theories applied to the
military/conflict realm.”***

Participant of the Summer Programme on
Countering Terrorism in the Post 9/11 World,
2012

The programme will be delivered by a team of international and national leading experts working in the field of counter-terrorism. Last year’s speakers included **Prof. Dr. Edwin Bakker, Dr. Alex Schmid and Prof. Dr. Richard English**. **In addition, study trips were organised to the Special Tribunal for Lebanon and Eurojust.**

Target Audience

The programme is tailored towards professionals with an academic background in areas such as law, security studies, international relations, conflict studies or other related fields who want to expand their knowledge on counter-terrorism. The programme is also open for advanced graduate students who wish to pursue a career in counter-terrorism.

Fee € 1,695

Organisers

T.M.C. Asser Instituut (www.asser.nl)

The T.M.C. Asser Instituut in The Hague is a distinctive, inter-university research institute specialised in International and European law and a leading and authoritative provider of executive education to students and professionals operating in the judicial sector.



The Institute initiates, develops and provides education - tailor-made programmes and summer programmes – to students and professionals working in the judicial sector.

Each programme has a high degree of flexibility and competence, taking advantage of our academic integration and our extensive network of excellent and renowned speakers and teaching staff.

Working with partners from complimentary fields we are successful in creating truly unique and highly relevant programmes on a variety of subjects and levels for a diverse range of participants including among others students, judges, prosecutors, legislators, civil servants, diplomats and lawyers.

Located in the heart of the international justice community, within walking distance of such international organisations as the ICTY, the OPCW, and the Peace Palace (which houses the International Court of Justice and the Permanent Court of Arbitration), the T.M.C. Asser Instituut is the perfect host for organising Summer Programmes in international law.

The International Centre for Counter-Terrorism (ICCT) – The Hague (www.icct.nl)



The International Centre for Counter-Terrorism (ICCT) – The Hague is an independent think tank and knowledge hub that focuses on information creation, collation and dissemination pertaining to the preventative and international legal aspects of counter-terrorism.

ICCT's work focuses on themes at the intersection of preventing and countering violent extremism and human rights and rule of law related aspects of counter-terrorism. As such, the centre works on, for instance, de- and counter-radicalisation, the rehabilitation and reintegration of violent extremist offenders, the promotion of civil society actors and victims' voices in countering violent extremism, preventing and countering incitement to terrorism, and effective rule of law based approaches in terrorism court cases.

ICCT – The Hague connects academics, policymakers, civil society actors and practitioners from different fields by providing a platform for productive collaboration, practical analysis, and exchange of experiences and expertise, with the ultimate aim of identifying innovative, effective, and comprehensive approaches to preventing and countering terrorism.

Registration Information & Conditions

ENROLLMENT

1. You may register via the website by submitting the completed online registration form at www.asser.nl/counteringterrorism
Registrants are required to make a down payment of € 200 towards the course fee at the time of registration.
2. This down-payment is non-refundable. Should you choose not to attend the programme after registration, this sum will not be returned to you.
3. Each participant should use a separate form.
4. The deadline for registration is 12 July 2013.
5. Upon receipt of the completed registration form, a confirmation letter and payment details will be sent to you by email. The payment of the non-refundable down payment must be made within 10 working days of the date of the confirmation letter.
6. Your registration is complete once the online registration form has been submitted and the non-refundable down payment has been received.
7. The registration form constitutes a legally binding agreement. By submitting the completed registration form the registrant declares to be in accordance with the requirements and provisions described therein.
8. The T.M.C. Asser Instituut cannot be held responsible for the non-arrival of registration information. If you have not received confirmation of your registration within 7 working days of submitting, please contact educationtraining@asser.nl
9. The T.M.C. Asser Instituut reserves the right to withhold registration.

FEES AND PAYMENT CONDITIONS

1. Fees for the week long programme are € 1695, - (including the non-refundable down payment of €200).

The fee includes lectures, study materials, study visits, refreshments and lunch during working days, a reception and an opening dinner.
2. The balance due must be made, and received in full, two weeks prior to the commencement of the Summer Programme (9 August 2013).
3. Participants are responsible for the cost of all international travel, accommodation, and meals, and if applicable, any visa charges and medical insurance. The T.M.C. Asser Instituut can provide prospective participants with a list of suitable hotels in The Hague (€70-120 per day).

CANCELLATION POLICY

1. Cancellations will only be accepted when your request for cancellation is submitted by e-mail to educationtraining@asser.nl.
2. If you cancel more than four weeks prior to the starting date of the Summer programme, please note that a € 200 processing fee will be charged. The remaining fees paid will be refunded.
3. No refunds will be made on the registrations not cancelled within the allotted time.
4. The T.M.C Asser Instituut reserves the right to cancel the Summer Programme. In the event that such action is necessary, registrants will be informed at least four weeks in advance of the starting date of the programme.
5. In the event that the T.M.C. Asser Instituut cancels the Summer Programme, the full sum paid (including the down payment) will be reimbursed.

VISA

1. If you require a visa to visit the Netherlands, you are strongly advised to apply for your visa at least eight weeks prior to your departure to the Netherlands. The T.M.C. Asser Instituut does not arrange visas but will assist visa applicants where appropriate.

LIABILITY

1. The T.M.C. Asser Instituut cannot be held liable for personal injuries or for loss and/or damage to the personal belongings of participants either during or as a result of their participation in the programme.