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THE VENUES

- 20 June, 2:00 - 6:00 p.m. Main building of the University of Vienna, room "Prominentenzimmer", basement to the right
- 20 June, 6:30 p.m. Main building of the University of Vienna, lecture hall 47, 2nd floor to the right
- 20 June, 8:30 p.m. Arcade courtyard „Arkadenhof“ of the main building of the University of Vienna
- 21 June The Deans meeting room „Sitzungszimmer des Dekans“; Law School, Schottenbastei 10-16, 2nd floor, 1010 Vienna
- 22 June Top floor of the Law School „Dachgeschoß“; Schottenbastei 10-16, 1010 Vienna

REGISTRATION

For participation please register at brigitte.weidinger@univie.ac.at until 16 June 2011 indicating which session (except closed sessions on Tuesday) you would like to attend. Thank you.

Invitation

to the

Stanford - Vienna Human Rights Conference

US-American and European Approaches to Contemporary Human Rights Problems

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20-22 June 2011
University of Vienna

PROGRAM

Monday, 20 June

2:00 p.m. **Opening ceremony**
Welcome remarks by Christa Schnabl (Vice-Rector of the University of Vienna) and Manfred Nowak (University of Vienna) and Helen Stacy (Stanford University)

Afternoon Session

2:30 - 6:00 p.m. **Monitoring, Protection and Enforcement of Human Rights in Comparison – US & Europe**

Speakers **European Human Rights Mechanisms – A Stocktaking**
Manfred Nowak, University of Vienna

Human Rights Protection by the European Court of Human Rights
Christoph Grabenwarter, Vienna University of Economics and Business

Human Rights Protection by the European Committee for the Prevention of Torture
Ursula Kriebaum, University of Vienna

Human Rights Protection by the European Committee of Social Rights
Karin Lukas, Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Human Rights/European Committee of Social Rights

Human Rights Protection in the European Union
Jonas Grimheden, European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights

The Protection of Human Rights in the USA
Helen Stacy, Stanford University

The Protection of Human Rights in the USA
Allen Weiner, Stanford University

The Role of the OAS for the Protection of Human Rights in the USA
James Cavallaro, Stanford University

Chair *August Reinisch*, University of Vienna

Evening Session

6:30 p.m. **Public Panel Discussion: US v. Europe – Human Rights Standards, Mechanisms and Policies**

Panelists *Helen Stacy*, Stanford University
James Cavallaro, Stanford University
Friedl Weiss, University of Vienna
Manfred Nowak, University of Vienna

Chair *Allen Weiner*, Stanford University and *Ursula Kriebaum*, University of Vienna

8:30 p.m. **Reception**
by *Heinz Faßmann*, designated Vice-Rector of the University of Vienna

Tuesday, 21 June - closed sessions

Morning Session

9:30 a.m.- 1:00 p.m. **Responsibility to Protect - The Case of Libya 2011**

Speakers *Allen Weiner*, Stanford University
Stephen N. Xenakis, Brigadier General-Ret, USA
Hanspeter Neuhold, University of Vienna
Heinz Gärtner, University of Vienna
Irmgard Marboe, University of Vienna

Chair *Helen Stacy*, Stanford University

1.00 - 2:30 p.m. LUNCH

Afternoon Session

2:30 a.m.- 6:00 p.m. **Corporate Social Responsibility / Human Rights and Business**

Speakers *David Brady*, Stanford University
Karin Lukas, Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Human Rights
Christina Binder, University of Vienna

Chair *Friedl Weiss*, University of Vienna

7:00 p.m. SIGHTSEEING TOUR IN VIENNA

8:00 p.m. DINNER AT HEURIGEN

Wednesday, 22 June

Morning Session

9:30 a.m.- 1:00 p.m. **Asylum, Immigration and Human Trafficking**

Speakers *Julia Planitzer*, Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Human Rights
Margit Ammer, Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Human Rights
Joachim Stern, University of Vienna
Maria Grazia Giammarinaro, OSCE Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings
Katherine Jolluck, Stanford University
Madeleine Rees, former U.N. Representative in Bosnia on Trafficking Issues

Chair *Gerhard Hafner*, University of Vienna and *James Cavallaro*, Stanford University

1:00 p.m. LUNCH BUFFET

Closing Session

2:00 - 3:00 p.m. **Summary of the Discussions**
Helen Stacy, Stanford University and *Manfred Nowak*, University of Vienna

Closing Remarks
Georg Winckler, Rector of the University of Vienna