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## 12th. Annual Meeting 2018

27.01.2018 - Hotel InterContinental Berlin

### Defence Counsel at the International Criminal Tribunals

Programm: Moderators: RA, FAStrR Mike Sturm, Vice-President ICDL Germany e.V. (Dresden)  
RA, FAStrR Christian Kemperdick, Vice-President ICDL Germany e.V. (Köln)

**09:00 – 09:30 h**

Opening Address RA, FAStrR Jens G. Cordes, President ICDL Germany e.V. (Dortmund)

**09:30 – 10:30 h**

*“The Kosovo Specialist Chambers - legal bases and initial experiences”*

H. E. Judge Prof. Dr. Kai Ambos, The Kosovo Specialist Chambers”

[Englisch]

**10:30 – 11:00 h**

Coffee break

**11:00 – 12:00 h**

*“The Re-Trial of Stanišić and Simatović at the MICT - a fair Trial?”*

Wayen Jordash QC, Barrister at Law, Doughty Street Chambers, London (UK), Defence Lead Counsel at various International Criminal Tribunals, *inter alia* at ICTY, MICT, ICTR, SCSL, ICC

[Englisch]

**12:00 – 13:00 h**

*“ECCC: The Role of Defence Counsel in Large-scale Investigations”*

Marija Brackovic, Associate, Dentons UKMEA LLP

[Englisch]

**13:00 – 14:00 h**

Lunch – not included in registration fee

**14:00 – 15:00 h**

*“The Influx of Forensic Sciences and evidence before International Criminal Tribunals from a defense perspective”*

Prof. Dr. G.-J. A. Knoop, Lawyer, Knoop's Advocaten, Amsterdam (NL), Defence Lead Counsel at various International Criminal Tribunals, Defence Lead Counsel in the ICC *Blé Goudé*-Case.

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**15:00 – 16:00 h**

*“Practising before the ICC: Perspectives of a fair trial when representing an accused already convicted in the public domain”*

Stephane Bourgon, Lawyer, Bar of Québec (Canada), Defence Lead Counsel in the ICC *Ntaganda*-Case [Englisch]

**16:00 – 16:30 h**

Coffee break

**16:30 – 17:30 Uhr**

*“Some policy, institutional and practical challenges confronting counsel at the ICC”*

Chief Charles A. Taku, Intern. Lawyer, Defence Counsel for Dominic Ongwen at the ICC, The Hague (NL)[Englisch]

**17:30 – 18:30h Practitioner Reports**

Rain FAStrR Natalie v. Wistinghausen, *“Defending an Absent Accused at the STL”*

[Englisch]

RA Jens Dieckmann, *“The International Criminal Court Bar Association in its 2<sup>nd</sup> year – challenges ahead”* [Englisch]

**19:00 – 20:00 h**

Reception in the Library of the Marlene Bar at the Hotel InterContinental

**20:30 h**

Joint Dinner (not included in registration fee)