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# **THE ROLE OF THE INTERNATIONAL PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS FOR LEGAL PRACTITIONERS IN HUMAN RIGHTS PROTECTION FROM THE EUROPEAN PERSPECTIVE**

## **Awareness Raising Meeting**

***25 February 2022***

***-Online-***



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## AGENDA

25 February 2022- 14:00 - 16:30

13:45 – 14:00	<b>Opening and Signing up to Platform</b>
14:00 – 14:15	<b>Opening Remarks</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sibel SUIÇMEZ, Vice-President, The Union of Turkish Bar Associations</li><li>• Sergey DIKMAN, Programme Coordinator, Council of Europe</li></ul>
14:15 – 15:00	<b>First Session: International Professional Lawyers' Organizations for Human Rights Lawyers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dr. Julian LONBAY</li></ul>
15:00 – 15:15	<b>Coffee Break</b>
15:15 – 16:00	<b>Second Session: HUMAN RIGHTS NGOS WORKING IN EUROPE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Jeremy Mcbride</li></ul>
16:00 – 16:30	<b>Questions, Suggestions and Discussions</b>

**Julian LONBAY:**

Julian researches and advises on the law relating to legal education, lawyers and other professionals; and cross-border practice and the rules affecting such practice. He worked at Birmingham Law school, England and was a Professeur Invité at the Faculty of Law and Economic Science in the University of Limoges in France between 1981-2009, a visiting professor at the Law School of the University of Indiana, in Bloomington, Indiana, USA, 1985-1987, at Stockholm and Uppsala universities and was the Commerzbank Visiting Professor of Law at Bucerius Law School in Hamburg, Germany in 2003. He has lectured and given papers at universities in many countries.

Julian is the UK representative on the Training Committee of the [Council of the Bars and Law Societies of Europe](#) (CCBE) (since 2001), which he chaired from 2003-2010. He was a member of the External Relation Council of the Union of Turkish Bars, a member of the governing Council of their EU Law Centre and consultant to their Monitoring and Evaluation of Law Education Committee. Julian is also a past president of the [European Law Faculties Association](#) (ELFA) and was a member of the Legal Education Council of [PILNET](#). He was a member of the Advisory Board of the UK Centre for Legal Education (UKCLE), the Society of Legal Scholars (SLS) Standing Education Committee, and acted as Treasurer for British Association of Comparative Law (BACL) for many years. He is an elected Associate member of the International Association of Comparative Law and the International Association of Procedural Law. He helped the Council of Europe with a review of judicial training in Georgia at the High School of Justice of Georgia in 2019 - 2020 and helped to devise the 5 year strategy of the Georgian High School of Justice. In 2021 he reviewed and drafted a new statute and templates for committees of the Georgian Bar Association.

**Jeremy MCBRIDE:**

Jeremy is a barrister at Monckton Chambers, London specialising in human rights cases before the European Court of Human Rights and the United Nations Human Rights Committee. For example, he acted for the applicant in *Nada v. Switzerland* (ECtHR [GC] no. 19593/08, judgment, 12 September 2012), the applicant State in *Georgia v. Russian Federation* (ECtHR [GC], 13255/07, judgment, 3 July 2014), the applicant in *Proceedings under Article 46 § 4 of the Convention in the Case of ilgar Mammadov v. Azerbaijan* ([GC], no. 15172/13, 29 May

2019) and the respondent State in *Slovenia v. Croatia* ([GC], ECHR, no. 54155/16, admissibility decision, 18 November 2020).

In addition, he acts as an expert on human rights law for the Council of Europe, the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe, the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights and UNDP, advising on the compatibility with European and international human rights standards of legislative proposals being considered in a wide range of countries (e.g., he contributed to the Joint Opinion of the Venice Commission and the Directorate General of Human Rights and Rule of Law (DGI) of the Council of Europe on the July 2020 amendments to the Attorneyship Law of 1969, CDL-AD(2020)029).

He had previously taught human rights, public international law and public law at the Universities of Birmingham, Cambridge, Mauritius and Stockholm and was a visiting professor at Central European University.

He was a member of the European Union network of experts on fundamental rights (2002-2006), a former Member (2008-2013) and Chair (2010-2013) of the Scientific Committee of the European Union's Fundamental Rights Agency and co-founder and Chair of INTERIGHTS (the International Centre for the Legal Protection of Human Rights).

Jeremy is president of the Expert Council on NGO Law of the Council of Europe's Conference on International Non-Governmental Organisations.

