

ICDL Germany e.V.

International Criminal Defence Lawyers Association

18th Annual Meeting 2026

Date: **24.01.2026**, Place: **InterContinental Berlin, Budapester Str. 2, 10787 Berlin**

Programme:

Moderator: Natalie von Wistinghausen, ICDL

09:00 - 10:00 h

"Situation in Libya: The Prosecutor v. Khaled Mohammed Ali El Hishri – surrender from Germany to the ICC"

Christian Kemperdick (Counsel for Mr. El Hishri in the extradition proceedings in Germany)

10:00 - 10:30 h

Coffee break

10:30 - 11:30 h

"Situation in Uganda: ICC 'in absentia' proceeding against Joseph Kony - A test balloon?"

Leonie von Braun (ICC, OTP Senior Trial Lawyer) in dialogue with Peter Haynes KC (Lead Counsel for Joseph Kony)

12:30 - 13:30 h

"Accountability for crimes committed in Syria after the fall of the Assad-Regime – Hopes and Challenges"

Haneen Ghali

13:30 - 14:30 h

Lunch break (not included in registration fee)

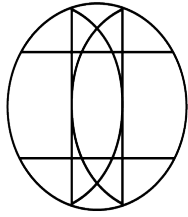
14:30 - 15:30 h

"Then Uneven Scales of Justice: Key considerations in Art. 70 (offenses against the administration of justice) investigations and prosecutions"

Kweku Vanderpuye (ICC, OTP Senior Trial Attorney) in dialogue with Mylène Dimitri (Lead Counsel for Alfred Yekatom)

15:30 - 16:00 h

Coffee break



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16:00 - 17:00 h

“The use of satellite imagery in international criminal trials”

Erik Prins, Prins Engineering, Expert witness in Lundin trial

17:00-18:00

“80 years since the Nuremberg Trials - The future of International criminal law in 2025”

Gerd Hankel, Hamburger Institut für Sozialforschung

19:30

Joint Dinner (not included in registration fee)