

Voice of the Profession session

One of the highlights of the International Young Lawyers' Congress, it's 54th edition is taking place in Munich on 23-27 August 2016, is certainly the Voice of the Profession session. This is where young lawyers talk about human rights.

The Session, organised by AIJA, the International Association of Young Lawyers, in cooperation with DAV and ASF (Avocats sans frontières, Lawyers without borders), will talk about the situation of refugees in Europe, Middle East and the Mediterranean. In particular speakers will focus on the Geneva Convention and the effects of the refugee crisis on the rule of law and the freedom of lawyers to practice their profession.

Wednesday 24 August 2016 time: 17.30 - 18.30

REFUGEES AND HUMAN RIGHTS. YOUNG LAWYERS, WHAT CAN WE DO?

- "65 years Geneva Convention – is the Convention still up-to-date? Human Rights and Immigration"
SPEAKER: Dr. Damien Scalia, Avocats sans Frontières
- "Starting Over – the courage required to be a refugee"
SPEAKER: Rasha Rajab, Free Independent Judicial Council (FIJC).
- "Refugees Crisis in Europe – Legal framework and Role of Lawyers"
SPEAKER: Executive Director, Rechtsanwalt Dr. Cord Brüggemann of DAV

MODERATOR(S): Dirk Nuyts and Rosa Isabel Peña Sastre

