

**PROGRAM**  
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**Canadian Association for Refugee and Forced  
Migration Studies (CARFMS) / Association Canadienne  
des Études sur les Réfugiés et la Migration Forcée (ACERMF)**

**9th Annual Conference / 9<sup>ème</sup> Conférence Annuelle**

**FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT:**

**Exploring a Path from Armed Conflict, Persecution,  
and Forced Migration to Conflict Resolution,  
Human Rights, and Development**

**Hosted by / Organisée par le**  
**Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College**  
*A college of Canadian Mennonite University, affiliated  
with the University of Winnipeg*

Venue / Lieu: University of Winnipeg & Menno Simons College  
515 & 520 Portage Ave.  
Winnipeg, Manitoba

11–14 May / Mai 2016

## CONFERENCE AT A GLANCE / La CONFÉRENCE en BREF

### *Location key*

<b>MSC</b>	Menno Simons College, 520 Portage Ave.
<b>EGH</b>	Eckhardt-Gramatté Hall, Centennial Hall 3rd floor, 515 Portage Ave.
<b>MH</b>	Manitoba Hall, University of Winnipeg, 515 Portage Ave.
<b>CH</b>	Centennial Hall, University of Winnipeg, 515 Portage Ave.
<b>Marpeck</b>	Marpeck Commons, Canadian Mennonite University, 2299 Grant Ave.

### WEDNESDAY, 11 MAY

3:00pm–6:00 pm	<b>Registration / Inscription</b>	MSC
6:30pm–9:30pm	<b>Conference Opening / Cérémonie d'Ouverture</b> <b>Keynote Address / Conférence:</b> Dr Elspeth Guild <b>Reception / Réception</b>	EGH

### THURSDAY, 12 MAY

7:30am–8:45am	IARLJ Breakfast Meeting	MH 2M70
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8:45am–10:00am	<b>Keynote address / Conférence:</b> Dr Christopher Mitchell	EGH
10:00am–10:30am	<b>Coffee Break / Rafrâichissements</b>	EGH
10:30am–12:00pm	<b>Concurrent Sessions / Panels et Tables Rondes</b> Round Table: Policy Standards for Those Excluded from Convention Refugee Status Panel 1: Producing and Disseminating Knowledge Panel 2: Europe's "Migration Crises" Panel 3: Internal Displacement, Peacebuilding, and Durable Solutions Panel 4: Historical Perspectives and Case Studies Panel 5: Resettlement of Syrian Refugees	EGH MH 3M67 MSC 1MS16 MH 3M64 MH 3M60 MH 2M74
12:00pm–1:00pm	<b>Lunch</b>	
12:15pm–12:45pm	<b>Photo exhibition talk:</b> Bitter Oranges	MSC 2MS13
1:00pm–2:15pm	<b>Plenary Panel on Conflict Resolution and Peacebuilding</b>	EGH
2:15pm–2:30pm	<b>Break / Pause</b>	
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4:15pm–5:30pm	<b>Plenary Panel on Human Rights</b>	EGH
Evening	<b>Dinner</b> (on your own)	
6:00pm–7:30pm	CARFMS/ACERMF Student Caucus Meeting /ACERMF Assemblée des Étudiants	MSC student lounge
6:45pm–8:30pm	Informal discussion with new refugees and settlement organizations	MSC 1MS16

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	Panel 1: Responses to Crises, Refugee Camps, and Resettlement	MH 3M61
	Panel 2: Resettlement, Integration of Indochinese and Other Refugees	CH 3C01
	Panel 3: Consolider la Paix par une Protection Effective des Droits Humains	MH 3M60
	Panel 4: Forced Migration and Resettlement Experiences in Canada	MSC 1MS16
	Panel 5: Forced Migration: Economic and Environmental Factors	MH 3M59
	Panel 6: Forced Migration, Health, and Access to Health Care	MH 3M65
12:00pm–1:00pm	<b>Lunch</b> CARFMS Annual General Meeting / Assemblé Générale Annuelle de ACERMF	MH 2M70
1:00pm–2:15pm	<b>Plenary Round Table: Refugees and EU and North American Border Controls</b>	EGH
2:15pm–2:30pm	<b>Break / Pause</b>	
2:30pm–4:00pm	<b>Concurrent Sessions / Panels et Tables Rondes</b> Round Table: Application of 1969 OAU Convention in Africa	EGH
	Panel 1: Migrants in Transit and Human Aid Workers	MH 3M64
	Panel 2: Borders, Freedom of Movement, and Security Dilemmas	MH 3M60
	Panel 3: Forced Migration: Causes and Lasting Solutions in South and Southeast Asia	MH 3M59
	Panel 4: Advancing Protection of Migrants and Exploring Innovative Solutions	MSC 1MS16
	Panel 5: Current Issues of Sanctuary, Resettlement, and Citizenship in Canada	CH 3C01
4:15pm–5:45pm	<b>Concurrent Sessions / Panels et Tables Rondes</b> Round Table: Recent Jurisprudential Trends in Article 1F(a) and (b) in Canada	EGH
	Panel 1: Women and Forced Migration	MH 3M64
	Panel 2: Peacekeeping, Peacemaking, and Peacebuilding Processes	MH 3M60
	Panel 3: Forced Migration and Human Rights in Africa	MH 3M59
	Panel 4: Refugee Protection and Integration in Brazil, Ecuador, Guatemala	MH 3M65
	Panel 5: Réconcilier la Migration, l'Asile et la Sécurité	MH 3M61
5:45pm–6:45pm	<b>Dinner</b> (on your own)	
7:00pm	<i>Buses depart for Marpeck Commons, Canadian Mennonite University</i>	
7:30pm–10:00pm	<b>Special Plenary Panel: The War Refugee in International Refugee and Humanitarian Law</b>	Marpeck
	<b>Reception / Réception</b>	
<b>SATURDAY, 14 May</b>		
8:00am–9:00am	<b>Registration / Inscription</b>	MSC
9:00am–10:15am	<b>Keynote address / Conférence:</b> Ms Loly Rico	EGH
10:15am–10:45am	<b>Coffee Break / Rafrâichissements</b>	
10:45am–12:00pm	<b>Plenary Panel on Development</b>	EGH
12:00pm–1:00pm	<b>Lunch</b>	
12:10pm–1:00pm	<b>Information session on new IRB guidelines:</b> Mr Mario Dion	EGH
1:15pm	<i>Buses depart for Canadian Museum for Human Rights</i>	
1:30–4:00pm	<b>Curator talk and guided tour of Canadian Museum for Human Rights</b>	
4:30pm	<i>Buses depart for University of Winnipeg</i>	

## **SPECIAL EXHIBITS (on display for duration of conference)**

### **Bitter Oranges: African Migrant Workers in Calabria**

*An ethnographic photo exhibition*

Carole Reckinger, Diana Reiners, Gilles Reckinger

*Location:* Menno Simons College, 2MS12/13

### **Forced to Flee, Safe Passage: MSF Responds to the Refugee Crisis**

*Photos from MSF sea rescues*

Doctors without Borders / Médecins Sans Frontières

*Location:* Menno Simons College, 2MS12/13

### **The World Is Our Emergency Room**

*A mobile refugee camp clinic display*

Doctors without Borders / Médecins Sans Frontières

*Location:* Tents on lawn in front of Wesley Hall, University of Winnipeg

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### **Opening Ceremonies**

**Dr Stephanie Stobbe**, Chair of CARFMS 2016, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College (Canadian Mennonite University)/University of Winnipeg

**The Honourable Janice C. Filmon**, Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba

**Dr Cheryl Pauls**, President, Canadian Mennonite University

**Dr Annette Trimbee**, President, University of Winnipeg

**Dr Idil Atak**, President, CARFMS/ACERMF, Assistant Professor, Criminology, Ryerson University

### **Inaugural Address: For whom are EU borders deadly and why?**

**Dr Elspeth Guild**, Jean Monnet Professor ad personam in Law, Radboud University Nijmegen, and Professor of Law, Queen Mary University, London

**Reception** to follow outside Eckhardt-Gramatté Hall

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**Logistical information:** Maureen Epp, Conference Coordinator

**Welcome:** Brian Bowman, Mayor, City of Winnipeg

**Introduction of speaker:** Stephanie Stobbe

**Keynote Address: Staying put: The fortunes of communities that refuse to become IDPs or refugees**

**Dr Christopher Mitchell**, Professor Emeritus, Conflict Analysis and Resolution, George Mason University

**10:00am–10:30am COFFEE BREAK / RAFRAÎCHISSEMENTS (EGH hallway)**

**10:30am–12:00pm CONCURRENT SESSIONS / PANELS et TABLES RONDES**

**Round Table – Setting Policy Standards for Those Who Are Excluded from Convention Refugee Status but Cannot Be Returned to Their Countries of Origin (EGH)**

**Chair:** James C. Simeon, Associate Professor, Director of the School of Public Policy and Administration, York University

**Discussants:**

**Maarten Bolhuis**, Doctoral student, Centre for International Criminal Justice, Faculty of Law, VU University Amsterdam

**David James Cantor**, Director, Refugee Law Initiative, School of Advanced Studies, University of London

**Judge Judith Gleeson**, Upper Tribunal, The Upper Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber), Field House, London

**Satvinder Juss**, Professor and Director, MA course in International Peace and Security, School of Law, King's College, London

**Joseph Rikhof**, Senior Manager of the Law, Crime against Humanity and War Crimes Unit, Justice Canada, and Adjunct Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Ottawa

**Sarah Singer**, Refugee Law Initiative, School of Advanced Studies, University of London

**Panel 1 – Producing and Disseminating Knowledge on Forced Migration (MH 3M67)**

**Chair:** Idil Atak, Assistant Professor, Criminology, Ryerson University

“Knowing” suffering: Methodological and ethical challenges to the study of pain and misery

**Sandra Lehalle**, Assistant Professor, Criminology, University of Ottawa; with **Maritza Felices-Luna**, Associate Professor, Criminology, Ottawa

Acknowledging the impacts of interdiction: Producing post-interdiction knowledge and policy change

**Sonal Marwah**, Program Officer, Project Ploughshares; with **Sandy Irvine**, Assistant Professor, Political Science, Wilfrid Laurier University

Disseminating knowledge in the digital age: The case of the Refugee Research Network

**Susan McGrath**, School of Social Work, York University

Race, space, and knowledge production: Diaspora Somali community experience with structural and epistemological barriers

**Hodan Mohamed**, MA, OISE, University of Toronto

Representations of democracy and human rights in Sri Lanka

**Susan Rajendran**, PhD student, Department of Humanities, York University

Knowledge production in the context of human rights violation and violent conflicts in Africa: A focus on Nigeria

**Nathaniel Umukoro**, Lecturer, Department of Political Science, Delta State University

## **Panel 2 – Europe’s “Migration Crises”: Policy and Legal Responses (MSC 1MS16)**

**Chair: Justice Isaac Lenaola**, Presiding Justice, Constitution and Human Rights Division, High Court of Kenya; Deputy Principal Judge, East Africa Court of Justice; and Judge of the UN Special Residual Court for Sierra Leone

Yes, but no ... How the so-called new member states of the European Union respond to resettlement and intra-EU responsibility-sharing for persons in need of international protection in times of forced migration crises: The case of Poland

**Maciej Fagasinski**, The Refugee.pl Foundation, Poland

“Lampedusa is everywhere”: Governmentality and migration in the European Union

**Michele Manocchi**, Centre for Research on Migration and Ethnic Relations, Western University; with **Giulia Borri**, PhD candidate, Sociology, Humboldt University; and **Elena Fontanari**, PhD candidate, Sociology, University of Milan

Compliance of the Dublin Regulations with human rights provisions

**Klaudia Mierswa**, PhD student, Northumbria University

Responsible treatment in the field of migration – Opinion 2/13 and the shifting relationship between the ECHR and EU law

**Nanette Neuwahl**, Jean Monnet Professor, EU Law, University of Montreal and Director of Studies, College of Europe (Natolin)

## **Panel 3 – Internal Displacement, Peacebuilding, and Durable Solutions (MH 3M64)**

**Chair: Karen Ridd**, Instructor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

Peacebuilding in Africa and the indispensability of the right of refuge and internally displaced persons

**Chidi M. Amaechi**, PhD student and lecturer, History and International Studies, University of Nigeria

Researching internal displacement of people: The Nigerian experience

**Talatu Buba Bello**, Lecturer, Department of Political Science, Taraba State University, and PhD student, Department of Political Science, Acharya Nagarjuna University

Realizing the freedom of movement for internally displaced persons (IDPs) through an IDP “right to return” in international law

**Ben Hudson**, PhD candidate, University of Bristol Law School

Unsettling times: Violence and displacement in contemporary wars

**Lee Seymour**, Associate Professor, Political Science, University of Montreal

Social cohesion and the internally displaced in northern Iraq: A case study

**Heather Patterson**, MA, McGill University and University of Copenhagen

Forsaken voices from India (IDPs and ethnic minority)

**Seth Shubhra**, Assistant Professor, Political Science, University of Delhi

#### **Panel 4 – Historical Perspective on Forced Migration and Case Studies of Post-Conflict Activities (MH 3M60)**

**Chair: Royden Loewen**, Professor, Chair of Mennonite Studies, University of Winnipeg

Case studies: Post-conflict reconstruction and development

**Darcy Ataman**, founder of Make Music Matter; with **Muuxi Adam**, former Somali refugee working with immigrant and refugee communities; and **Kikizilwa Musaghi**, former Democratic Republic of Congo refugee working with Congolese war victims in Manitoba and DRC

Forced migrations in Mozambique, 1875–1975: Survey through archival records in Maputo

**Abubacar Fofana León**, PhD candidate, History of Africa and the Caribbean, Department of History, York University; with **Márcia Francisco Manhique**, National Archive of Mozambique; **Ivan Castigo Zacarias**, National Archive of Mozambique; and **Elcidio Rui Macuácuá**, National Archive of Mozambique

#### **Panel 5 – The Resettlement of Syrian Refugees: Best Practices and Challenges (MH 2M74)**

**Chair: Brian Dyck**, Canada Coordinator, National Migration and Resettlement Program, Mennonite Central Committee

Why fleeing Syria and going to Turkey is not a permanent solution for Syrian people

**Sebahat Düzleyen**, Istanbul Bilgi University

Forced migrants in Brazil: An analysis on the Haitian and Syrian cases

**Julia Bertino Moreira**, Professor, International Relations, Federal University of ABC

Emerging lessons from the use of cash and food voucher modalities in food assistance programming with displaced Syrian households

**Laura Normand**, Canadian Foodgrains Bank; with **Joan Barkman**, **Grant Hillier**, and **Cynthia Neudoerffer**

Refugee rights to international protection in the transit country: A segmental approach

**Alizee Zapparoli-Bodson**, MA student, Diaspora and Transnational Studies, University of Toronto

**12:00pm–1:00pm**    **LUNCH** (pick up bag lunch at **EGH hallway**)

**12:15–12:45**            **Bitter Oranges: photo exhibit talk (MSC 2MS13)**

**Gilles Reckinger**, Professor, European Ethnology, Leopold Franzens Universität Innsbruck; with **Dr Diana Reiners**

**1:00pm–2:15pm**    **PLENARY PANEL ON CONFLICT RESOLUTION AND PEACEBUILDING (EGH)**

### **The Refugee Issue: Roots and Responses**

**Chair: Stephanie Stobbe**, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

**Participants:**

**Omid Aeinechi**, OSCE, former UNHCR Kosovo, Ukraine

**Rana Khan**, Legal Officer, UNHCR, Toronto

**Christopher Mitchell**, Professor Emeritus, Conflict Analysis and Resolution, George Mason University

**Dean Peachey**, Professor and Executive Director, Global College, University of Winnipeg

**Hamdesa Tusso**, Assistant Professor, Peace and Conflict Studies, University of Manitoba

**2:15pm–2:30pm**    **BREAK / PAUSE (EGH)**

**2:30pm–4:00pm**    **CONCURRENT SESSIONS / Panels et Tables Rondes**

**Panel 1 – Dialogue on the Peacebuilding Capacity of Refugees, Forced Migrants, and Diasporas (CH 3C01)**

**Chair: Judge Judith Gleeson**, Upper Tribunal Judge, The Upper Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber), Field House, London

Exploring social integration in Milan, Italy

**Mamudu Fatao**, MA student, Gazi University

Diaspora's influence in peacebuilding and conflict making: The case of Hutu diaspora

**Claudine Kuradusenge**, PhD student, George Mason University

Building resilient migrant refugee communities through culturally appropriate provision of mental health services: How a host community can create a meaningful support system

**Neeraja Sanmuhathan**, PhD student, University of Sydney, and Counsellor at STARTTS, NSW Service for the Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture and Trauma Survivors, Australia

The peacebuilding capacity of refugees and forced migrants

**Stephanie Stobbe**, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg; with **Anna Snyder**, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

## **Panel 2 – Forced Displacement and Peacebuilding in Colombia (MH 3M64)**

**Chair: Shauna Labman**, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Manitoba

The role of forced displacement population in the construction of the truth peace in Colombia

**Juan Pablo Serrano Frattali**, LLB, Universidad Santo Tomás, PhD candidate, Social Science, University of Granada

Community mediation, peace, and Colombian forced migrants

**David Sulewski**, MA, co-coordinator of the Colombian Refugee Project, Mennonite Church in Quito; with **Jeffrey D. Pugh**, Assistant Professor, Conflict Resolution, University of Massachusetts-Boston and Executive Director of the Center for Mediation, Peace, and Resolution of Conflict (CEMPROC); and **Julie Moreno**, BA, Program Coordinator and Research Assistant, CEMPROC

Oral history in situations of conflict: Experiences from Colombia

**Guillermo Vodniza**, Indigenous Inga Community, Oral History, University of Winnipeg

Displacement and reparations in Colombia: The case of Mampuján

**Anna Vogt**, Regional Advocacy Support and Context Analyst, Mennonite Central Committee, Latin America and the Caribbean

## **Panel 3 – The Criminalization of Migration and Exclusion of Criminals (MSC 1MS16)**

**Chair: Allen Mills**, Professor and Chair, Political Science, University of Winnipeg

Migrant smuggling and the criminalization of asylum seekers in Canada

**Idil Atak**, Assistant Professor, Criminology, Ryerson University

A delicate balance: Freedom of movement and crimmigration

**Didem Dogar**, LLM candidate, McGill University

The global governance of migration: Promoting the best theoretical approaches for smuggled migrants

**Kinga Janik**, Postdoctoral researcher, International Research on Migrants, University of Milan

Re-thinking Article 1F(a) and the exclusion of imperfect soldiers

**Amar Khoday**, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Manitoba

Refugee law judges' reliance in Canada on the provisions of international treaties for excluding from convention refugee status those who have committed war crimes and crimes against humanity

**James C. Simeon**, Associate Professor, Director of the School of Public Policy and Administration, York University

**Panel 4 – Protecting the Rights and Addressing the Needs of Those Affected by Forced Migration (MH 3M60)**

**Chair: Jobb Arnold**, Assistant Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

Towards a paradigm shift? Effective use of deterrence strategies for the protection of human rights of unaccompanied migrant children

**Ana Beduschi**, Lecturer of Law, University of Exeter Law School

Moving beyond trauma and resilience for war-affected refugee young people

**Neil Bilotta**, PhD student, Social Work, McGill University

Human trafficking, illegal migration, and victim identification on the Spanish coast

**Alathea Enns**, BA student

“We come with the spirit of going to school”: A conceptual framework on educational participation of refugee youth in Munich (Germany) and Toronto (Canada)

**Annette Korntheuer**, PhD student, Faculty of Psychology and Educational Sciences, Ludwig Maximilian University

A call for reform: Exploring the impact of immigration detention on children in Canada

**Vanessa C. Wachuku**, PhD student, Policy Studies Program, Ryerson University

**Panel 5 – Forced Migration, Resettlement, and Peacebuilding in the Middle East (MH 2M74)**

**Chair: Sarah Barrere**, PhD candidate (LLD), University of Montreal

The forced secondary displacement of Palestinian refugees from Syria

**Jasmin Fritzsche**, PhD candidate and Research Fellow Ruhr University Bochum/University of Jordan/Lebanese American University/Carnegie Middle East Center

Terrorism and the responsibility to protect: Towards an ethics of compassion

**Obasesam Okoi**, PhD student, Peace and Conflict Studies, University of Manitoba

Forced migration and peace building process in Turkey

**Nur Tüysüz**, PhD student, Department of Political Science and International Relations, Istanbul University; with **Gülray Kılıçaslan**, PhD student, Department of Sociology, York University, and **Selim Kırılmaz**, PhD student, Department of Sociology, Mimar Sinan Fine Arts University

The statelessness of Syrian refugees in international law: Analyzing the principle of non-refoulement as a universal human right

**Piratheeca Vimalarajah**, candidate, Juris Doctor (Common Law) Program, University of Ottawa and MA, International Affairs, Normal Paterson School of International Affairs

### **Panel 6 – Promoting or Limiting the Right to Asylum? (MH 2M67)**

**Chair: Michaela Hynie**, Associate Professor, Department of Psychology, Associate Director, York Health Research Institute, York University

The evolution of the “right to asylum”

**Yukari Ando**, Assistant Professor, Osaka University

Bureaucratic discretion and asylum recognition rates

**Nicholas Fraser**, PhD student, University of Toronto

Nowhere else to go: Our obligations to refugees within our borders

**Caitlin Leach**, MSc, Philosophy, University of Edinburgh

Asylum in flux: Refugee policy and integration in Hungary and Germany and the evolution of irregular migration trends in the European Union

**Derakhshan Qurban-Ali**, University of Toronto

Analysis of Australia’s immigration and border protection policies in relation to forced migrants from the countries of the former USSR

**Natalia Romanova**, LLM, International Law and the Law of International Organizations, University of Groningen, and graduate student, International Peace Studies, University of Notre Dame

Is an “internal flight alternative” really there? The case of rejected asylum seekers from eastern Ukraine in Poland

**Marta Szczepanik**, PhD candidate, Sociology, and Research Officer, Helsinki Foundation for Human Rights

Safe countries of origin: Preliminary research findings

**Jona Zyfi**, MA student, Centre for Criminology and Sociolegal Studies, University of Toronto

### **4:15pm–5:30pm      PLENARY PANEL ON HUMAN RIGHTS (EGH)**

#### **Balancing Universals and Sovereignty**

**Introduction/Announcements: Stephanie Stobbe**, Chair of CARFMS 2016, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

**Chair: Shauna Labman**, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Manitoba

#### **Participants:**

**David Matas**, International Human Rights, Refugee and Immigration Lawyer, Winnipeg

**Marilou McPhedran**, Human Rights Lawyer, Professor and Director of Institute for International Women's Rights, Global College/University of Winnipeg  
**Ismael Muvingi**, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution and African Studies, Nova University  
**Justice Russel Zinn**, Federal Court and Court Martial, Appeal Court of Canada, Head of the IARLJ Americas Chapter

**Dinner/Evening** On your own (nearby restaurants along Portage Ave.)

**6:00pm–7:30pm** **CARFMS Student Caucus / ACERMF Assemblée des Étudiants**  
(MSC Student Lounge, 2nd floor; pizza supper included)

**6:45pm–8:30pm** **Informal discussion with new refugees and settlement organizations**  
Facilitated by **Anna Snyder**, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg; and **Alka Kumar**, PhD student, University of Manitoba (MSC 1MS16)

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**Come to CARFMS 2017 Annual Conference in Victoria, BC: Helen Lansdowne**, Associate Director, Centre for Asia-Pacific Initiatives, University of Victoria

**CARFMS Student Essay Contest Winners: Idil Atak**, Assistant Professor, Criminology, Ryerson University

**Welcome: Robert-Falcon Ouellette MP**, Winnipeg Centre

**Introduction of Speaker: Stephanie Stobbe**, Chair of CARFMS 2016, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

**Keynote Address: The changing dynamics of refugee movement**

**Mr Arthur DeFehr**, CEO of Palliser Furniture and Humanitarian Activist, former UNHCR Somalia, Officer of the Order of Canada, Order of Manitoba

**10:00am–10:30am** **COFFEE BREAK / RAFRAÎCHISSEMENTS (EGH hallway)**

**10:30am–12:00pm** **CONCURRENT SESSIONS / PANELS et TABLES RONDES**

**Panel 1 - Responses to Crises, Refugee Camps, and Resettlement (MH 3M61)**

**Chair: Dr Ruth Rempel**, International Development Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

The Syrian crisis in Jordan: An NGO's evolving response

**Patricia Maruschak**, Program Director, Canadian Lutheran World Relief (CLWR)

**Heather Patterson**, Development Manager, International Refugee Response, CLWR

**Heather Pryse**, Development Manager, Humanitarian and Emergency Response, CLWR

**Fikre Tsehai**, Development Manager, Refugee Resettlement, CLWR

## **Panel 2 – Resettlement and Integration of Indochinese and Other Refugees in Canada (CH 3C01)**

**Chair: Stephanie Stobbe**, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

Today's Humanitarian Crises and the Reminiscence of the Plight of Indochinese Refugees

**Vinh Huynh** (Vietnam), Principal, Hugh John Macdonald High School; with **Sorpong Peou**

(Cambodia), Department Chair, Politics and Public Administration, Ryerson University; and

**Pinkham Sharp** (Laos), former Lao/Thai Court Translator and Businesswoman, New Westminster, British Columbia

Indochinese Refugees in Canada: Resettlement Experiences of the Cambodian and Vietnamese refugees in Toronto

**Nhi Phan**, MA, Immigration and Settlement Studies Student, Ryerson University:

## **Panel 3 – Consolider la Paix par une Protection Effective des Droits Humains: Le Cas de l'Afrique (MH 3M60)**

**Chair: Kinga Janik**, PhD, Faculté de droit, Université de Montréal

L'Accord de Paix d'Addis Abeba face aux défis de la consolidation de la paix dans la Région de Grands Lacs

**Franck Kamunga**, Lawyer and Executive Director, Human Rights Without Borders, DRC

La violation de droits économiques et sociaux à la base des migrations en RDC

**Christophe Mafuta Ngombo**, Lawyer, Human Rights in Sub-Saharan Africa, LegisCongo

Le respect des droits fondamentaux des migrants au Maroc

**Margot Rialland**, BA, Law student, Université de Montréal

## **Panel 4 – Forced Migration and Resettlement Experiences in Canada (MSC 1MS16)**

**Chair: Helen Lansdowne**, Associate Director, Centre for Asia-Pacific Initiatives, University of Victoria

Refugee resettlement services in Winnipeg: Approaches, programs, and organizations

**Richard Boli**, BA student

Leaving war behind – Starting over in a prairie city

**Holly Bressler**, MSW, RSW Cultural Communications Facilitator, Regina Open Door Society

Realizing freedom of movement of Falun Gong practitioners through refugee protection and effective resettlement

**Maria Cheung**, Associate Professor, Faculty of Social Work, University of Manitoba; with **David Matas**, International Human Rights, Refugee and Immigration Lawyer, Winnipeg

Refugee experiences in Canada

**Mohammad Azizur Rahman**, PhD student, Peace and Conflict Studies, University of Manitoba

Conflict resolution training in refugee newcomer resettlement processes

**Anna Snyder**, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg; with **Ariana Yaftali**, Mount Carmel Clinic, Winnipeg

### **Panel 5 – Forced Migration: Economic and Environmental Factors (MH 3M59)**

**Chair: Jerry Buckland**, Professor International Development Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

Food sovereignty and refugee path immigrants

**Bamidele Adekunle**, Adjunct Professor, School of Environmental Design and Rural Development, University of Guelph; and Ted Rogers School of Management, Ryerson University

Climate refugees are conflict refugees: Contextualizing conflict studies research in light of climate change

**Jobb Arnold**, Assistant Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

The narrowing line between economic migrants, refugees, and asylum seekers: Assessing the motivational factors for boat migration in post-war Sri Lanka

**Fathima Azmiya Badurdeen**, Technical University of Mombasa; with **Mohamed Munas**, Research Professional, Centre for Poverty Analysis (CEPA), Sri Lanka

Canada's policy on climate refugees: Mass migration and the need for a paradigmatic shift

**Morgan McGinn**, BA student, Mount Allison University

Refugee and community relationship in the host countries: The governance aspect of the Rohingya refugee in Bangladesh

**Mahadi Harun Rashid**, BRAC Institute of Governance and Development, BRAC University

Lampedusa: Ethnographic encounters at the margins of Europe

**Gilles Reckinger**, Professor, European Ethnology, Leopold Franzens Universität Innsbruck

Traversing mixed pathways and spaces: Migrants in various categories

**Mary Rose Sarausad**, Lecturer, Asian Institute of Technology

### **Panel 6 – Forced Migration, Health, and Access to Health Care (MH 3M65)**

**Chair: Kirit Patel**, Assistant Professor, International Development Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

The stories we tell about refugee claimants: An analysis of bogus, victim, and rights frames as ways of reckoning healthcare access

**Jesse Beatson**, graduate student, McGill University

The less-told migration story: Health and protection regardless of status or borders – Médecins Sans Frontières operational experience with migrant and refugee populations

**Carol Devine**, Médecins Sans Frontières Canada; with **Sonal Marwah**, Program Officer at Project Ploughshares; and **Stephen Cornish**, Executive Director, Médecins Sans Frontières Canada

Federal and provincial policy changes to health insurance and refugees' access to health care in Ontario: Intended and unintended consequences

**Michaela Hynie**, Associate Professor, Department of Psychology, Associate Director, York Health Research Institute, York University

Acute stress disorder in Palestinian children in the Gaza Strip

**Abdel Aziz Mousa Thabet**, PhD, Psychiatrist and Professor, Al Quds University-Gaza; with **Sanna Thabet**

**12:00pm–1:00pm LUNCH (pick up bag lunch at EGH hallway)**

**CARFMS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING /ASSEMBLÉ GÉNÉRALE ANNUELLE de ACERMF (MH 2M70 Boardroom)**

**1:00pm–2:15pm PLENARY ROUND TABLE / TABLE RONDE (EGH)**

**Refugees and EU and North American Border Controls: Nobody Responsible? The Discourse of Fate**

**Introduction/Announcements: Stephanie Stobbe**, Chair of CARFMS 2016, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

**Chair: James C. Simeon**, Associate Professor, Director of the School of Public Policy and Administration, York University

**Discussants:**

**Didier Bigo**, King's College London and MCU Research Professor, Sciences-Po Paris

**Elsbeth Guild**, Jean Monnet Professor ad personam in Law, Radboud University Nijmegen, and Professor of Law, Queen Mary University, London

**Lorne Waldman**, LL.M., Waldman and Associates, Adjunct Professor, Osgood Hall Law Schools and University of Ottawa Law School

**2:15pm–2:30pm BREAK / PAUSE (EGH hallway)**

**2:30pm–4:00pm CONCURRENT SESSIONS / PANELS et TABLES RONDES**

## Round Table – The Application of the 1969 OAU Convention to the Challenges of Asylum in Africa (EGH)

**Chair: (TBC)**

**Discussants:**

**Justice Isaac Lenaola**, Presiding Justice, Constitution and Human Rights Division, High Court of Kenya; Deputy Principal Judge, East Africa Court of Justice; and Judge of the UN Special Residual Court for Sierra Leone

**Justice Dunstan Mlambo**, Judge President, Geuteng Division, High Court of the Republic of South Africa

**Faith Munyati**, Refugee and Migrant Rights Section, Lawyers for Human Rights, South Africa

**Justice Kashim Zannah**, High Court Judge and Chief Judge, State of Borno, Nigeria, Vice President of IARLJ

### Panel 1 – Migrants in Transit and Human Aid Workers (MH 3M64)

**Chair: Royden Loewen**, Professor, Chair of Mennonite Studies, University of Winnipeg

Protecting and promoting the human rights of migrants in transit: The case of Mexican NGOs and Latin American migrants

**Heather McKeen-Edwards**, Associate Professor, Politics and International Studies, Bishop's University; with **Jennifer Rooney**, undergraduate student, Bishop's University

When protectors become predators: Humanitarian aid workers, peacekeepers, sexual exploitation and abuse

**Anna Snyder**, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg; with **Badriyya Yusuf**, Program Coordinator, Manitoba Council for International Cooperation; and **Dulce Gonzalez**, MA, Sustainable Development Practice

### Panel 2 – Borders, Freedom of Movement, and Security Dilemmas (MH 3M60)

**Chair: Jon Sears**, Assistant Professor, International Development Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

Travellers, rights, and responsibilities

**Vibeke Andersson**, Associate Professor, Aalborg University

Mapping violence in the Bengal-Bangladesh border

**Paula Banerjee**, PhD, Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group, Calcutta

Refugees and freedom of movement in Adjumani District, Uganda

**David Kigozi**, Senior Programme Officer, International Refugee Rights Initiative, Uganda; with **Olivia Bueno**, International Refugee Rights Initiative

Conflict-induced displacement: The lived experience of suffering by the Congolese refugees in Uganda

**Herve Muyo**, PhD, Conflict Analysis and Resolution, Nova University

Security and migration dilemma in insurgency-affected areas of Nigeria

**Oladapo Kayode Oposina**, Visiting Scholar, Centre for Refugee Studies, York University

“Be careful of poison”: Contextualising the “choice” to reside in urban settings of refuge in Uganda

**Georgina Ramsay**, PhD, Anthropology, University of Newcastle

### **Panel 3 – Forced Migration: Exploring the Causes and Lasting Solutions in South and Southeast Asia (MH 3M59)**

**Chair: Elaine Peters**, former Program Director, Canadian Lutheran World Relief

Forced migration of Bhutanese refugees – Successful stories of third country settlement

**Tikaram Adhikari**, MA, Natural Resource Management, University of Manitoba, and Post Graduate Certificate, Education, University of London

The migration-development nexus: Exploring the challenges and opportunities of rural-urban migration in South Asia

**Hom Gartaula**, Postdoctoral Researcher, International Development Studies Program, Canadian Mennonite University; with **Warren Dodd**, CIHR Vanier Canada Graduate Scholar, PhD candidate, Department of Population Medicine, University of Guelph; and **Helen Hambly Odame**, Associate Professor, School of Environmental Design and Rural Development, University of Guelph

Hosting refugees in a legal vacuum: A Nepalese experience

**Laxman Lamichhane**, Advocate and Program Coordinator, Forced Migration Affairs, Forum for Protection of People’s Rights Nepal

Family tales: Resettlement of Southeast Asian refugee families

**Natina Roberts**, PhD student, Psychology, University of Auckland

### **Panel 4 – Advancing the Protection of Migrants and Exploring Innovative Solutions to Forced Migration (MSC 1MS16)**

**Chair: Juan Osuna**, Director, Executive Office of Immigration Review, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC

The constitution-based approach of Indian judiciary to the refugee rights and global standards of the UN Convention

**Nafees Ahmad**, Assistant Professor, International Law, South Asian University

Can R2P help protect the human rights of refugees?

**Hamzah Aldoghmi**, LLB, LLM, PhD candidate, Faculty of Law, Queensland University of Technology

Transboundary entrepreneurs: Peacebuilding potential in the U.S.–Mexico borderlands

**Jodi Dueck-Read**, PhD candidate, Instructor, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

Exercising humanitarianism one refugee at a time: Engaging civil society in refugee sponsorship

**Sabine Lehr**, Adjunct Assistant Professor, School of Public Administration, University of Victoria; Associate Faculty, Global Leadership and Humanitarian Studies, Royal Roads University

The role of civil society in assisting and protecting migrants caught in conflicts and natural disasters  
**Adejare Somorin**, President and Executive Director, International Initiative for Peace, Nigeria

### **Panel 5 – Exploring Current Issues of Sanctuary, Resettlement, and Citizenship in Canada (CH 3C01)**

**Chair: Nanette Neuwahl**, Jean Monnet Professor, EU Law, University of Montreal and Director of Studies, College of Europe (Natolin)

Current trends in Canada's private sponsorship of refugee program

**Brian Dyck**, Coordinator, MCC Canada National Migration and Resettlement Program

A legal and empirical study of sanctuary city policy in Toronto

**Graham Hudson**, Associate Professor, Department of Criminology, Ryerson University

Revisiting the sanctuary city: Citizenship or abjection? Spotlighting the case of Toronto

**John Laman**, Graduate student, York University

Strengthening citizenship, weakening citizens

**Audrey Macklin**, Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Toronto

The dynamics of refugee integration and resettlement

**Morgan Poteet**, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Mount Allison University

Transitioning from refugees to citizens: Lessons from Indochinese and Syrian refugee movements

**Stephanie Stobbe**, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

### **4:15pm–5:45pm CONCURRENT SESSIONS / PANELS et TABLES RONDES**

#### **Round Table – Recent Jurisprudential Trends in Article 1F(a) and (b) in Canada following the Supreme Court of Canada's Judgements in Ezokola and Febles (EGH)**

**Chair: Justice Russel Zinn**, Federal Court and Court Martial, Appeal Court of Canada, Head of the IARLJ Americas Chapter

#### **Discussants:**

**Justice James O'Reilly**, Federal Court of Canada, Ottawa

**Joseph Rikhof**, Senior Manager of the Law, Crimes Against Humanity and War Crimes Unit, Justice Canada, and Adjunct Faculty Member, Faculty of Law, University of Ottawa

**James C. Simeon**, Associate Professor, Director of the School of Public Policy and Administration, York University

**Lorne Waldman**, Barrister and Solicitor, Waldman and Associates, Toronto

**Nancy Weisman**, Senior Legal Counsel, Immigration Division, Immigration and Refugee Board of Canada, Toronto

### **Panel 1 – Women and Forced Migration (MH 3M64)**

**Chair: Anna Snyder**, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

Constructing community: Newcomer women as “everyday peacemakers” in Winnipeg, Manitoba  
**Lisa McLean**, PhD student, School for Conflict Analysis and Resolution, George Mason University

Intersectional insight: Violence in the lives of Central American migrant women in Mexico  
**Margarita Julia Pintin-Perez**, PhD candidate, El Colegio de la Frontera Sur

Gender inequality during the journey of migrant women  
**Nancy Sabas**, Mennonite Central Committee, Guatemala

Status of refuge women in the existing literature: A case of Rohingya refugee women in Bangladesh  
**Tasfi Sal-sabil**, Independent researcher, Australia

### **Panel 2 – Peacekeeping, Peacemaking, and Peacebuilding Processes (MH 3M60)**

**Chair: Neil Funk-Unrau**, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, and Associate Dean, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

The structural and contextual factors that affect peacekeeping attitudes, behaviours, and contexts  
**Patlee Creary**, PhD candidate, Peace and Conflict Studies, University of Manitoba

The South Sudanese civil war and the IGAD-led peacemaking process  
**Abiyu Sebsibe Hailemariam**, MA, Governance and Development, University of Antwerp

“What about the Yazidis”? Genocide, displaced peoples, and the state  
**Adam Muller**, Associate Professor, English, and Research Associate with Mauro Centre for Peace and Justice Studies and Centre for Human Rights Research, University of Manitoba; with **Belle Jarniewski**, graduate student, University of Winnipeg, and Chair, Freeman Family Foundation Holocaust Education Centre

Human rights challenges  
**R. Dule Vicovac**, Human Rights Advisory Panel, United Nations Mission in Kosovo; with **Andrey Antonov**, Executive Officer, Human Rights Advisory Panel, and **Marek Nowicki**, Presiding Member, Human Rights Advisory Panel

### **Panel 3 – Forced Migration and Human Rights in Africa (MH 3M59)**

**Chair: John Derksen**, Associate Professor, Conflict Resolution Studies, Menno Simons College /University of Winnipeg

Reverse remittance practice among Ghanaian migrants in England and their network members in Ghana  
**Geraldine Adiku**, PhD student, Oxford University

Zimbabwean crisis and economic refugees: Its impact on Southern African Region

**Percyslage Chigora**, Associate Professor, Political Science, Midlands State University, Zvishavane Campus; with **Torque Mude**, Midlands State University, Department of Politics and Public Management

The right to leave: asylum-seekers and refugees facing a tricky situation in Africa

**Cristiano d’Orsi**, Postdoctoral fellow, Centre for Human Rights, Faculty of Law, University of Pretoria

The social protection of refugees and asylum seekers in South Africa

**Alexie Taguekou Kenfack**, LLD student, University of the Western Cape

#### **Panel 4 – Refugee Protection and Integration in Brazil, Ecuador, and Guatemala (MH 3M65)**

Chair: **Leslie Butt**, Associate Professor, Anthropology, University of Victoria

The role of faith-based communities in promoting host country integration: A case study of the Mennonite Church in Quito, Ecuador

**Tibrine da Fonseca**, Mennonite Central Committee, Ecuador

Global migration regime, mobility gap and local implications

**Sierra Kraft**, MA candidate, Human Rights, Columbia University

The principles of Buen Vivir and “universal citizenship”: Political and legal instruments for extending the rights of refugees in Ecuador

**Lucie Laplace**, PhD student, Political Science, Université Lumière Lyon 2

The 1997 Brazilian Refugee Law and the enlarged refugee definition

**Laura Sartoretto**, LLM, Public International Law, University College London, and PhD candidate, Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul-Brazil; with **Ana Luisa Zago de Moraes**, PhD, Criminal Sciences, Defensoria Pública União, Brazil

#### **Panel 5 – Réconcilier la Migration, l’Asile et la Sécurité (MH 3M61)**

Chair: **Morgan Poteet**, Assistant Professor Department of Sociology, Mount Allison University

Frontex: Les mains sales de l’Europe

**Sarah Barrere**, Lecturer and PhD student, Université de Montréal

Les expériences post-migratoires de demandeurs d’asile au regard des réformes au système d’octroi de l’asile: Une approche par les récits de vie

**Caroline Lester**, MA candidate, Social Work, Université de Montréal

Le droit de migration: Sortir de la logique utilitariste?

**Clement Mougombili**, PhD student, Université Rennes

Réseaux criminels transnationaux et migration clandestine au Canada

**Kevin Moustapha**, PhD candidate, Law and Lecturer, School of Criminology, Université de Montréal

Syriens dans le Caucase du Sud: Les défis de l'intégration  
**Anaël Tchoufian**, LLM student, McGill University

**5:45pm–6:45pm**     **Dinner** on your own (nearby restaurants along Portage Ave.)

**7:30pm–10:00pm**     **SPECIAL PLENARY PANEL and RECEPTION / PANEL et RÉCEPTION**  
(Marpeck Commons, Canadian Mennonite University) – *open to the public*

*7:00pm buses depart for Marpeck Commons, Canadian Mennonite University*

*10:00pm buses return to University of Winnipeg*

**International Association of Refugee Law Judges (IARLJ): The War Refugee in International Refugee and Humanitarian Law**

**Introduction: Dr Stephanie Stobbe**, Chair of CARFMS 2016, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

**Welcome: Dr Cheryl Pauls**, President, Canadian Mennonite University; and **Dr Gordon Zerbe**, Vice President Academic and Dean, Canadian Mennonite University

**Introduction of Plenary Panel: Dr Idil Atak**, President of CARFMS, Assistant Professor, Criminology, Ryerson University

**Chair: Justice Kashim Zannah**, High Court Judge and Chief Judge for the State of Borno, Nigeria, Vice President of IARLJ

**Participants:**

**Justice Russel Zinn**, Federal Court and Court Martial, Appeal Court of Canada, Head of the IARLJ Americas Chapter

**Judge Judith Gleeson**, Upper Tribunal Judge, The Upper Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber), Field House, London

**Justice Isaac Lenaola**, Presiding Justice, Constitution and Human Rights Division, High Court of Kenya; Deputy Principal Judge, East Africa Court of Justice; and Judge of the UN Special Residual Court for Sierra Leone

**Justice Dunstan Mlambo**, President, Geuteng Division of the High Court of the Republic of South Africa

**Juan Osuna**, Director, Executive Office for Immigration Review, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC

**Mario Dion**, Chair, Immigration and Refugee Board of Canada, Ottawa

**Reception** to follow in Marpeck Commons

**SATURDAY, 14 MAY 2016**

**8:00am–9:00am**     **REGISTRATION / INSCRIPTION (MSC 1st floor)**

**9:00am–10:15am KEYNOTE ADDRESS / CONFÉRENCE (EGH)**

**Introduction/Announcements: Stephanie Stobbe**, Chair of CARFMS 2016, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

**Introduction of Speaker: James C. Simeon**, Associate Professor, Director of the School of Public Policy and Administration, York University

**Keynote Address: Welcome Refugees!**

**Ms Loly Rico**, President, Canadian Council for Refugees, Toronto

**10:15am–10:45am COFFEE BREAK / RAFRAÎCHISSEMENTS (EGH hallway)**

**10:45am–12:00pm PLENARY PANEL ON DEVELOPMENT (EGH)**

**Development and Aid Adjustment for Refugees in Origin States, Refugee Camps and Resettlement Countries**

**Introduction/Announcements: Stephanie Stobbe**, Chair of CARFMS 2016, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

**Chair: Kirit Patel**, Assistant Professor, International Development Studies, Menno Simons College/University of Winnipeg

**Participants:**

**Janice Hamilton**, Executive Director, Manitoba Council for International Cooperation

**Barbara Macdonald**, Program Director, Canadian Foodgrains Bank International Programs

**Patricia Maruschak**, Program Director, Canadian Lutheran World Relief

**Don G. Peters**, Executive Director, Mennonite Central Committee Canada

**12:00pm–1:00pm LUNCH** (pick up bag lunch at **EGH hallway**)

**12:10pm INFORMATION SESSION on NEW IRB GUIDELINES (EGH)**

**Introduction of Speaker: James C. Simeon**, Associate Professor, Director of the School of Public Policy and Administration, York University

Immigration and Refugee Board (IRB) new guidelines on sexual orientation

**Mr Mario Dion**, Chair, Immigration and Refugee Board of Canada

**1:15pm–4:30pm TOUR OF CANADIAN MUSEUM FOR HUMAN RIGHTS (CMHR)**  
(tickets pre-paid at registration, or pay at the doors)

*1:15 pm buses depart from University of Winnipeg*

*4:30 pm buses return to University of Winnipeg*

**Introduction: Dr Clint Curle**, CMHR Head of Stakeholders Relations

**Talk on Refugee Exhibit: Armando Perla**, Curator

**Conference Closing Remarks: Stephanie Stobbe**, Chair of CARFMS 2016, Menno Simons  
College/University of Winnipeg

**Guided tour of Canadian Museum for Human Rights**