

## *CURRICULUM VITAE*

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

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### **EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS**

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2011 **PhD in law (Docteur en Sciences juridiques)**, Faculty of Law, ULB  
Title: “The relationship between *jus contra bellum* and *jus in bello*: impermeable entities or interconnected vessels?” (in French)  
2006 **Diplôme d’études approfondies (DEA)** in Public International Law, Faculty of Law, ULB (equivalent of MPhil)  
2005 **Diplôme d’études supérieures (DES)** in Public International Law, Faculty of Law, ULB (equivalent of LLM)  
2002 **Law graduate**, Faculty of Law, National & Kapodistrian University of Athens

### **ACADEMIC CAREER**

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2012– 2013 **Visiting Fellow**, Lauterpacht Centre for International Law, University of Cambridge  
**Visiting Lecturer**, Faculté des Sciences juridiques, politiques et sociales, Université Lille 2  
**Suppléant**, Belgian Royal Military School  
**Assistant**, Faculty of Law, ULB (on leave)  
2011– 2012 **Visiting Lecturer**, *Faculté Libre de Droit de Lille*, France  
**Maître d’enseignement**, Faculty of Law, ULB  
**Suppléant**, Belgian Royal Military School

10/2010 – 09/2012    **Assistant**, Faculty of Law, ULB

01/2007 – 09/2010    **Researcher - Mini-ARC scholar**, Faculty of Law, ULB

## **TEACHING ACTIVITIES**

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- **International Humanitarian Law** (IHL)
  - Courses at the *Faculté Libre de Droit de Lille* and at the *Faculté des Sciences juridiques, politiques et sociales* (Université Lille 2) (undergraduate, 2011-2013)
  - Numerous courses and seminars on IHL and Human Rights for members of armed forces and other professionals, organised, by the IHL Institute of San Remo (Italy), the Centre of Excellence for Stability Police Units (Italy), the Belgian Royal Military School and the Belgian Red Cross (see table annexed to the CV)
- **International Responsibility** (post-graduate, *Master complémentaire* in Public International Law, Faculty of Law, ULB, 2010-2012)
- **Public International Law** (under-graduate, Belgian Royal Military School, 2011-2013)
- **International Criminal Law** (Course for Law of Armed Conflict Counsellors (*Conseillers en droit des conflits armés*) organised by the Belgian Royal Military School, 2009-2012)
- **Public International Law Seminars** (undergraduate, Faculty of Law, ULB, 2010-2011)
- Coach of several teams representing ULB at the Charles Rousseau International Law moot court competition and at the Jean Pictet Competition on International Humanitarian Law
- Supervision of several undergraduate and postgraduate students' LLB and LLM dissertations (Faculty of Law, ULB, 2010-2012)

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

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2011 – 2012    **Adviser** to the Counsel and Advocate of the Belgian Ministry of Justice for the case concerning *Questions relating to the Obligation to Prosecute or Extradite (Belgium v. Senegal)* at the International Court of Justice

2009            Co-author, with Professor Emeritus Eric David of ULB, of a consultation for the People's Mojahedin Organisation of Iran (PMOI)

06/2005 – 11/2005    **Legal Archivist**, Energy Charter Treaty Secretariat

## **SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES**

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- Since 2011
- Member of the Belgian team of contributors to *Oxford Reports on International Law in Domestic Courts*
  - Expert – member of the 'Legislation' Working Group of the Belgian Inter-ministerial Commission of Humanitarian Law
  - Member of the Scientific Committee of the Centre of Studies for Military Law and the Law of War

- Member of the European Society of International Law, of the French Society for International Law and of the Hellenic Society of International Law and International Relations

15 Aug. – 2 Sept. 2011 Centre for Studies and Research, The Hague Academy of International Law, Session 2011; General topic: ‘Remedies for the Actions of International Organisations’

2009, 2010 Jury member, IHL Moot Court Competition, Belgian Red Cross – French-speaking Section (Brussels, Belgium)

2001 – 2003 Member of the Board of Editors and Editor in Chief of the review *Public Law Applications* (student national scientific journal)

## **CONFERENCES, SEMINARS AND LECTURES**

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14 May 2013 « Armed conflicts before domestic courts: the classification of conflicts by the national judge »  
Roundtable panel, Lauterpacht Centre for International Law, University of Cambridge

17 April 2013 « Identification of Customary International Humanitarian Law by National Courts », Seminar Talk, McCoubrey Centre for International Law, University of Hull

18-19 Jan 2013 Expert seminar on the « Formation and identification of international customary law », under the direction of the Special Rapporteur of the UN International Law Commission, Lauterpacht Centre for International Law, Cambridge University

29 Nov. 2012 « The relations between *jus ad bellum* and *jus in bello* : independence versus conflation »  
Speaker at the *Oxford Public International Law Discussion Group*, New College, Oxford University

22-23 Nov. 2012 ‘Les tensions entre *jus ad bellum* et *jus in bello* dans le cadre des mandats du Conseil de sécurité’,  
Conference organised by the University of Grenoble 2 (Grenoble, France)

13 Sept. 2012 ‘Quand est-ce qu’un conflit armé non international commence ? Enseignements à la lumière des révoltes de 2010-2012 en Tunisie, en Egypte, en Libye et en Syrie’  
Workshop of the European Society of International Law (ESIL) Interest Group on Peace and Security (Valencia, Spain)

1<sup>st</sup> June 2012 ‘Les relations entre le *jus ad bellum* et le *jus in bello* : une voie à sens unique’  
Expert Seminar organised by the Catholic University of Louvain, under the auspices of the Belgian Society of international Law (Geneva, Switzerland)

- 24 Mar. 2012 ‘Un Etat pourrait-il invoquer la théorie des contre-mesures pour justifier son refus d’exécuter une résolution du Conseil de sécurité dont il allèguerait qu’elle viole le droit international ?’ (with Dr. A. Tzanakopoulos)  
Round Table on the Responsibility of International Organisations co-organised ULB / Université Paul Cézanne – Aix-Marseille III (Aix-en-Provence, France)
- 10 Feb. 2012 ‘Independence between *jus ad bellum* and *jus in bello* and State responsibility: reparations for violations of *jus ad bellum* and *jus in bello* in light of the Eritrea / Ethiopia Claims Commission Final Arbitral Awards’  
Conference on State Responsibility organised by the Hellenic Branch of the International Law Association (Athens, Greece)
- 20 Oct. 2011 ‘International Organisations Involved in Armed Conflict: The Material and Geographical Scope of Application of International Humanitarian Law’  
12th International Bruges Colloquium, organized by the International Committee of the Red Cross and the College of Europe (Bruges, Belgium)
- 8 April 2011 ‘The Disengagement of Israeli Forces from Gaza Strip and Israel’s Interception of the Flotilla Heading Towards Gaza: What Does International Humanitarian Law Have to Say?’  
International Conference organized by the ULB (Brussels, Belgium)
- 4 April 2011 ‘Responsibility of International Organisations for Violations of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights: Attribution Issues’  
Seminar organised by the Centre of Studies for Military Law and the Law of War (Brussels, Belgium)
- 4 Sept. 2010 ‘Problèmes de symétrie: des brèches au mur de Berlin aux brèches à l’égalité des belligérants?’  
4<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference of the European Society of International Law (Cambridge, UK)
- 12 Dec. 2008 ‘Changements de qualification de la situation en Irak et en Afghanistan au regard du droit international humanitaire’  
Seminar: *Quelle politique de développement pour le Moyen-Orient et l’Afrique du Nord?*, Centre National de Coopération au Développement (Brussels, Belgium)

## **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS**

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### **A. Published works**

#### *1. Books*

– *Le début et la fin de l’application du droit de l’occupation*, Paris, Pedone, 2010, 334 p.

#### *2. Books edited*

– *The International Responsibility of States in the Articles of the ILC, in International Jurisprudence and Literature* (assist. ed.), Sakkoulas, Athens, 2004, 157 p. [with A. Yiokaris, P. Pazartzis (eds), L.-M. Bolani, M. Karavias, A. Tzanakopoulos (asst eds)] (in Greek)

### 3. Articles and Contributions

- “And Yet it Exists: In Defence of the ‘Equality of Belligerents’ Principle”, *Leiden Journal of International Law*, vol. 26, 2013, pp. 449-472
- “The Illegality of Military Support of Rebels on the Libyan War : Aspects of *Jus contra Bellum* and *Jus in Bello*” (with Olivier CORTEN), *Journal of Conflict and Security Law*, vol. 18, 2013, pp. 59-93
- « Appréciation de l’application de certaines règles du droit international humanitaire dans les rapports portant sur l’interception de la flottille naviguant vers Gaza », *Revue belge de droit international*, no. 2012/1, pp. 84-115
- “The application of international humanitarian law and human rights law in cases of prolonged occupation”, *International Review of the Red Cross*, vol. 94, 2012, 165-205
- “International organisations involved in armed conflict: material and geographical scope of application of international humanitarian law” in *L’implication des organisations internationales dans les missions de paix : le cadre juridique applicable et la question de la responsabilité*, Actes du Colloque de Bruges, 20-21 octobre 2011, *Collegium*, vol. 42, CICR – College of Europe, 2012, pp. 29-40
- “Résolution 143 (1960): La question du Congo”, in E. DECAUX – N. LEMAY-HÉBERT – D. PLACIDI (eds.), *Les grandes résolutions du Conseil de Sécurité*, Paris, Dalloz, 2012, pp. 35-43
- “Of Occupation, *Jus ad Bellum* and *Jus in Bello*: A Reply to Solon Solomon’s ‘The Great Oxymoron: *Jus In Bello* Violations as Legitimate non-Forcible Measures of Self-Defense: The Post-Disengagement Israeli Measures towards Gaza as a Case Study’ ”, *Chinese Journal of International Law*, vol. 10, 2011, pp. 897-914
- « L’application du droit international humanitaire aux occupations dites « transformatives » : mythes et réalités », *Belgian Review of international Law (Revue belge de droit international - R.B.D.I.)*, vol. XL, 2007, pp. 365-400.
- « L’affaire des *Activités armées sur le territoire du Congo* (Congo c. Ouganda) : une lecture restrictive du droit de l’occupation ? », *R.B.D.I.*, vol. XXXIX, 2006, pp. 703-741.

### 4. Shorter notes, comments and other publications

- « Problèmes de symétrie: des brèches au mur de Berlin aux brèches à l’égalité des belligérants ? », 4<sup>th</sup> Biennial ESIL Conference, available at <[http://www.esil-en.law.cam.ac.uk/Media/Draft\\_Papers/Agora/Koutroulis.pdf](http://www.esil-en.law.cam.ac.uk/Media/Draft_Papers/Agora/Koutroulis.pdf)>
- « Retour vers le futur : quelques remarques à propos de l’arrêt *Kononov c. Lettonie* », European Society of International Law (ESIL) Interest Group on Peace and Security, June 2010, available at <<http://igps.wordpress.com>>
- Collaborator, responsible for the IHL section of the Belgian practice in international law published in the *Revue belge de droit international*; see, E. David (ed.), « La pratique du pouvoir exécutif et le contrôle des chambres législatives en matière de droit international », *R.B.D.I.*, vol. XLI, 2008, pp. 146-165 (« Droit des conflits armés »)

## **B. Works under publication**

### *1. Books*

– *Les relations entre le jus contra bellum et le jus in bello : étanchéité absolue ou vases communicants ? L'indépendance en tant que caractéristique principale des relations entre le jus contra bellum et le jus in bello*, Bruxelles, Buylant (expected in 2013)

### *2. Articles, contributions, notes*

– “Statute of the International Criminal Court, Commentary of Article 50”, in P. DE HERT – J. FLAMME – O. STRUYVEN (eds.), *Code of International Criminal Law and Procedure, Annotated*, Larcier editions, pp. 244-248 (expected in 2013)

– “Statute of the International Criminal Court, Commentary of Article 52”, in P. DE HERT – J. FLAMME – O. STRUYVEN (eds.), *Code of International Criminal Law and Procedure, Annotated*, Larcier editions, pp. 254-257 (expected in 2013)

– « Entre la non-interférence et le contrôle judiciaire: l'équilibrisme des juridictions nationales face aux actes des organisations internationales », in D. SAROOSHI (ed), *Responsibility and Remedies for the Unlawful Acts of International Organizations*, Hague Academy of International Law, Centre for Studies and Research, The Hague, Martinus Nijhoff (34 p.) (expected in 2013)

– « Droit international humanitaire et *jus contra bellum* », in R. VAN STEENBERGHE (s.l.d.), *Le droit humanitaire en tant que régime spécial de droit international : étude des rapports de systèmes*, Bruylant, Bruxelles, pp. 149-186 (expected in 2013)

– « Les tensions entre le *jus ad bellum* et le *jus in bello* dans le cadre des opérations autorisées par le Conseil de sécurité », in K. BANNELIER CHRISTAKIS – C. PISON (s.l.d.), *Aux confins du jus ad bellum et du jus in bello – Retour sur les interventions autorisées par le Conseil de sécurité au Kosovo, en Afghanistan, à la Libye et au Mali*, Paris, Pedone (expected in 2013)

– « Independence between *jus ad bellum* and *jus in bello* and State responsibility : reparations for violations of *jus ad bellum* and *jus in bello* in light of the Eritrea / Ethiopia Claims Commission Final Arbitral Awards », in Ph. PAZARTZIS (ed) *State Responsibility : Current and Future Challenges*, The Hague – Boston – London, Martinus Nijhoff / Brill (expected in 2013)

– « The Prohibition of the Use of Force in Arbitrations and Fact-Finding Reports », in M. WELLER (ed), *The Oxford Handbook of the Use of Force in International Law*, Oxford, Oxford University Press (expected in 2013)

– « Martens Clause », in *Oxford Bibliographies in International Law* (expected in Spring 2013) (<<http://www.oxfordbibliographies.com/obo/page/international-law>>)

## **HONOURS AND PRIZES**

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– *Prix Alice Seghers* attributed by the ULB Faculty of Law for the doctoral thesis (2012)

**TABLE OF SPECIALIZED COURSES AND SEMINARS**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Title of the course / seminar</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>General course in the context of which the course / seminar was given</b>
7 January – 8 February 2013	« International Criminal Law » « Non international armed conflicts » « Belligerent occupation » « Law of neutrality »	15 3 3 3	Course for Law of Armed Conflict Counsellors ( <i>Conseillers en droit des conflits armés</i> – CDCA 2013), organised by the Belgian Royal Military School, Brussels
27 February – 30 March 2012	« International Criminal Law » « Non international armed conflicts » « Belligerent occupation » « Law of neutrality »	15 3 3 3	Course for Law of Armed Conflict Counsellors ( <i>Conseillers en droit des conflits armés</i> – CDCA 2012), organised by the Belgian Royal Military School, Brussels
5 September 2011	« Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law »	3	IHL course, 24 <sup>th</sup> edition (organised by the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) and the Belgian Red Cross, Han-sur-Lesse, Belgium)
26 April – 27 May 2011	« International Criminal Law » « Non international armed conflicts » « Belligerent occupation » « Law of neutrality »	14 3 3 3	Course for Law of Armed Conflict Counsellors ( <i>Conseillers en droit des conflits armés</i> – CDCA 2011), organised by the Belgian Royal Military School, Brussels
31 May – 10 June 2010	« International Criminal Law » « Non international armed conflicts » « Belligerent occupation » « Law of neutrality »	18 3 3 3	Course for Law of Armed Conflict Counsellors ( <i>Conseillers en droit des conflits armés</i> – CDCA 2010), organised by the Belgian Royal Military School, Brussels
9 October 2009	« The Applicability of Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law to Peace Operations »	3	15 <sup>th</sup> Advanced Course on Law of Armed Conflict, Institute of International Humanitarian Law, San Remo, Italy

April – May 2009	« International Criminal Law »	18	Course for Law of Armed Conflict Counsellors ( <i>Conseillers en droit des conflits armés</i> – CDCA 2009), organised by the Belgian Royal Military School, Brussels
	« Belligerent Occupation »	4	
26 January 2009	« Qualification of Armed Conflicts »	1	Specialized IHL course for diplomatic personnel, Belgian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, organised by the Belgian Red Cross, Brussels
	« Protection of Detainees in situations of Armed Conflict »	1	
27-28 November 2008	« Occupied territories: Applicable Law and Contemporary Problems » (intermediary level)	3	Course on Peace-Keeping Activities for officers of intermediary and superior level Centre of Excellence for Stability Police Units (CoESPU) (G8 training center), Vicenza, Italy
	« The adaptability of IHL in view of recent evolutions in the field of occupation law » (superior level)	3	
8 October 2008	« The Applicability of Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law to Peace Operations »	3	13 <sup>th</sup> Advanced Course on Law of Armed Conflict, Institute of International Humanitarian Law, San Remo, Italy
10 June 2008	« Belligerent Occupation »	4	Course for Law of Armed Conflict Counsellors ( <i>Conseillers en droit des conflits armés</i> – CDCA 2008), organised by the Belgian Royal Military School, Brussels
28-29 November 2007	« Occupied territories: Applicable Law and Contemporary Problems » (intermediary level)	3	Course on Peace-Keeping Activities for officers of intermediary and superior level Centre of Excellence for Stability Police Units (CoESPU) (G8 training center), Vicenza, Italy
	« The adaptability of IHL in view of recent evolutions in the field of occupation law » (superior level)	3	
12 October 2007	« The Fight against Terrorism and International Humanitarian Law »	3	11 <sup>th</sup> Advanced Course on Law of Armed Conflict, Institute of International Humanitarian Law, San Remo, Italy