



UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI FACULTY OF LAW

MAJOR ACHIEVEMENT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2022



Major Achievements Faculty of Law Year 2022

TEACHING AND LEARNING

Achievement

Timely processing of graduands

Remarks

No. of graduands

- MA Environmental Law – 1
- LLM – 85
- LLB – 430



RESEARCH

Achievement

Research Conference

1st Annual Faculty of Law Research Conference held on 26th October 2022, 11 papers presented during the conference

Research Fair

Research Fair Held on 27th October 2022

Remarks



UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI
FACULTY OF LAW

+ RESEARCH
WEEK 2022

Faculty of Law Research Fair

THEME
Alternative Dispute Resolution as a Social Legal Innovation for Sustainable Development

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DATE:
27TH OCTOBER, 2022

VENUE:
LECTURE THEATRE



Faculty of Law Conference - Shared screen with speaker view

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CONFERENCES

Achievement

Remarks

The Faculty in partnership with the National Land Commission held a hybrid conference on Thursday 7th April 2022 at Chandaria Auditorium

It was a blended conference and over 400 participants took part

Beyond UNEP's 50th Anniversary: Attaining the SDGs A Symposium in conjunction with the 5th UN Environment Assembly & UNEP@50 "Honoring the Memory of Prof. Charles Okidi Odidi" 15 February 2022

92 participants attended

African Network of Constitutional Law (ANCL) Conference – Chief Justice was the Keynote Speaker Environmental Law from Below: Grassroots and Human Rights Perspectives on the Human Environment Agenda (Stockholm+50), A hybrid conference, organized by Faculty of Law at University of Nairobi in collaboration with the Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law, and China Dialogue Trust. Held on September 27, 2022

Conference attracted stakeholders from the region



2022 UNCITRAL Days in Africa: Modernization and Harmonization of International Commercial Law Framework in the AfCFTA Context held on 17th November 2022

Conference was held in collaboration with UNCITRAL and Nairobi Centre for International Arbitration attracted participants from around Africa

A Symposium in conjunction with the 5th UN Environment Assembly & UNEP@50

"Honoring the Memory of Prof. Charles Okidi Odidi"

15 February 2022

VIA ZOOM: 8 am (UN HQ), 2 pm (UN Geneva), 4 pm (UN Nairobi)

Register to attend online at the University of Nairobi:
<https://bit.ly/3GbYSkV>

SAVE THE DATE: Symposium Continues 15 March 2022
"ASSESSING UNEA 5 - THE NEXT STEPS FORWARD"



WEBINARS

Achievement

Remarks

Balancing the Checks: Judicialization of Politics vs Politicization of the Judiciary- Dr. Bwaya Buluma – Constitutional Law Scholar & Practitioner 11th February, 2022

Attended by 73 Participants

Judging and Technology: Lessons from the Australian Justice System, Prof. Tania Sourdin – Dean, Newcastle Law School 5th May, 2022

Attended by 72 Participants

In Pursuit of Economic Recovery: Recalibrating Kenya's Vision Post COVID 19 Dr. Mukhisa Kituyi 20th May, 2022

Attended by 72 Participants

The Inaugural, Meet the Author Series (MAS) Prof. Ambreena Manji 20th May, 2022

Attended by 67 Participants

Contemporary Legal Issues: Emerging Trends in Banking and Payment Platforms by Faith Mony Odhiambo held on 6th May, 2022

Attended by 41 Participants

Judicial Independence & Judicialisation of Electoral Politics: Reflections from Malawi. Prof. Edge Kanyongolo – Constitutional Lawyer/Academic. 10th November, 2022

Attended by 56 Participants

Demystifying the Blue Economy: Prospects and Opportunities for Lawyers. Amb. Nancy K. Karigithu, CBS Principal Secretary SDSMA & Special Envoy for Maritime and Blue Economy. 5th December, 2022

Attended by 83 Participants



10th NOVEMBER, 2022
TIME
3.00 PM EAT.
JOIN US 
TOPIC
JUDICIAL INDEPENDENCE & JUDICIALISATION OF ELECTORAL POLITICS - REFLECTIONS FROM MALAWI
ombasa.uonbi.ac.ke
SPEAKER
PROF. EDGE KANYONGOLO
CONSTITUTIONAL LAW ACADEMIC
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PUBLICATIONS

Achievement

Remarks

Dr. Evelyne Asaala; Expanding the Scope of Complementarity? Towards Institutionalized Complementarity between the International Criminal Court and National Criminal Justice Systems in Africa: National Accountability for International Crimes in Africa Journal

Published March 2022

Dr. Robert Kibugi; Assessing Kenya's legal approach and the practice towards landlessness amongst rural small holder farmers including women's rights; The United Nations' Declaration on Peasants Rights

Published Jan 2022

Dr. Robert Kibugi ; Assessment of the African Union, FAO, and UNCCD Roles in Enhancing Soil Governance in Africa Through the Lens of Agriculture Policy Action

Published June 2022

Steve N Machan, Jones F Agwata, Nicholas O Ogug; Environmental Factors Influencing the Sustenance of the Camel Milk Value Chain in Isiolo County, Northern Kenya

Published March 2022

Dr. Kariuki Muigua, Accessing Justice through ADR, Nairobi, Glenwood Publishers, 2022

Published December 2022

Dr. Kariuki Muigua, Attaining Environmental Justice for Posterity, Volume 2, Nairobi, Glenwood Publishers, 2022

Published November 2022



GRANTS

Achievement

Remarks

World Food Programme (WFP) For The Provision To Develop Regional Guidelines For Gender Transformative Work Norms Through WFP Food Assistance For Assets Interventions

Grant Amount 31,608 USD

Global Alliance For Justice Education (GAJE); Student Run Legal Awareness Day and Conference on Clinical Legal Education

Grant Amount 1,300 USD

NORHED: Women's Children's Nature's Rights in environmental governance

Grant Amount 20,251,609 Norwegian Kroner

Disability Rights Project

Grant Amount 3,553,350 Kes

WIOMSA: Realizing a blue urban agenda for coastal cities in Kenya through sustainable production and consumption policy

21,792,132.00 Kes




JOURNALS

Achievement

The East African Journal of International Humanitarian Law

Remarks

The Inaugural Issue was launched in September 22nd, 2022



EAJIHL
Eastern Africa Journal on International Humanitarian Law

Call for Papers

Are you an IHL specialist, judge, lawyer, military adviser, student or other practitioner working in the governmental and non-governmental sectors?

The Eastern Africa Journal on International Humanitarian Law (EAJIHL) is an annual peer reviewed journal published by the University of Nairobi. The Journal aims at encouraging discourse around contemporary issues of International Humanitarian Law in the Eastern African region and beyond. Having been founded on the month of November 2021, the Journal now welcomes submission of papers from you.

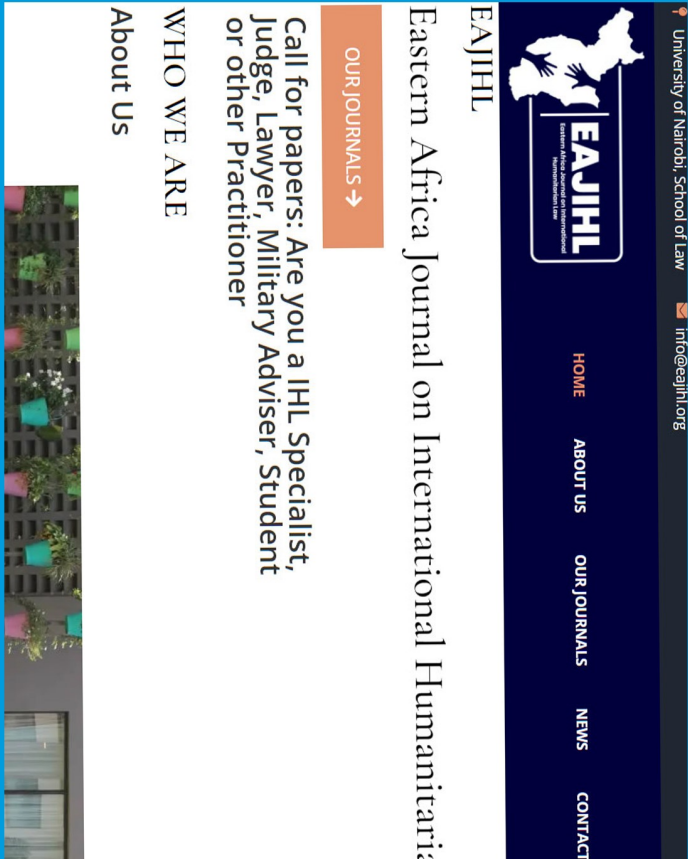
Each article must range between 4,000 & 10,000 words, accompanied by:

- Full name, telephone contacts of the author,
- Declaration of originality,
- A statement indicating if the paper has previously been published or submitted for publishing with any publisher. If so, the name of the publisher and the date when the paper was published, and
- A statement by the author granting EAJIHL consent to publish the submitted work. The submitted work will then be submitted to the EAJIHL's peer review process. The EAJIHL reserves the right to edit submitted articles

Please visit eajihl.org/guidelines/ for detailed guidelines before submission of articles

All submissions are required to satisfy the Editorial Guidelines for Contributors. The submissions must be submitted by **14th November 2022** to:

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PARTNERSHIPS & COLLABORATIONS

Achievement

Remarks

NORHED: Women's Children's Nature's Rights in environmental governance

MOU signed 24th Jan 2022

Global Alliance For Justice Education (GAJE); Student Run Legal Awareness Day and Conference on Clinical Legal Education

MOU signed 24th April 2022

Collaboration Agreement on Establishment of the IHR Journal in partnership with ICRC

MoU signed 4th Feb 2022

Partnership with KHRC to provide legal aid

MoU Signed 25th April 2022



TRAINING

Achievement

The Faculty in partnership with Trial Advocacy Training Institute (TATI) conducted training on Trial Advocacy from October 3 to 7, 2022

Remarks

Training objectives were met



MOOTS

Achievement

Remarks

The Faculty of Law hosted the first Commercial ADR Moot competition

Took place on 7th October 2022

The Faculty participated in the following international competitions:

1. Stetson IEL Moot, USA (in person April 2022)

Won Best Memorials, Top Oralist.

2. All Kenya Moot Competition, Kenyatta University

Overall Winners

3. CI Arb Arbitration Moot, Strathmore University

Won Top Oralist; Among best Memorials
Among top oralists

4. Willem C Vis ICA Moot (Vienna, virtually April 2022)

Reached Semi-Finals (with a team of first years),

5. Christof Heyns Human Rights Moot, Egypt (in person Sept 2022)

Won Among Top Memorial; Honourable Mention

6. Alfred Deakin (Jul/Aug 2022)



MENTORSHIP

Achievement

Remarks

Various students mentored on leadership and research

35 Students mentored in 2022

Career mentorship during Legal Aid Week

Over 40 students mentored



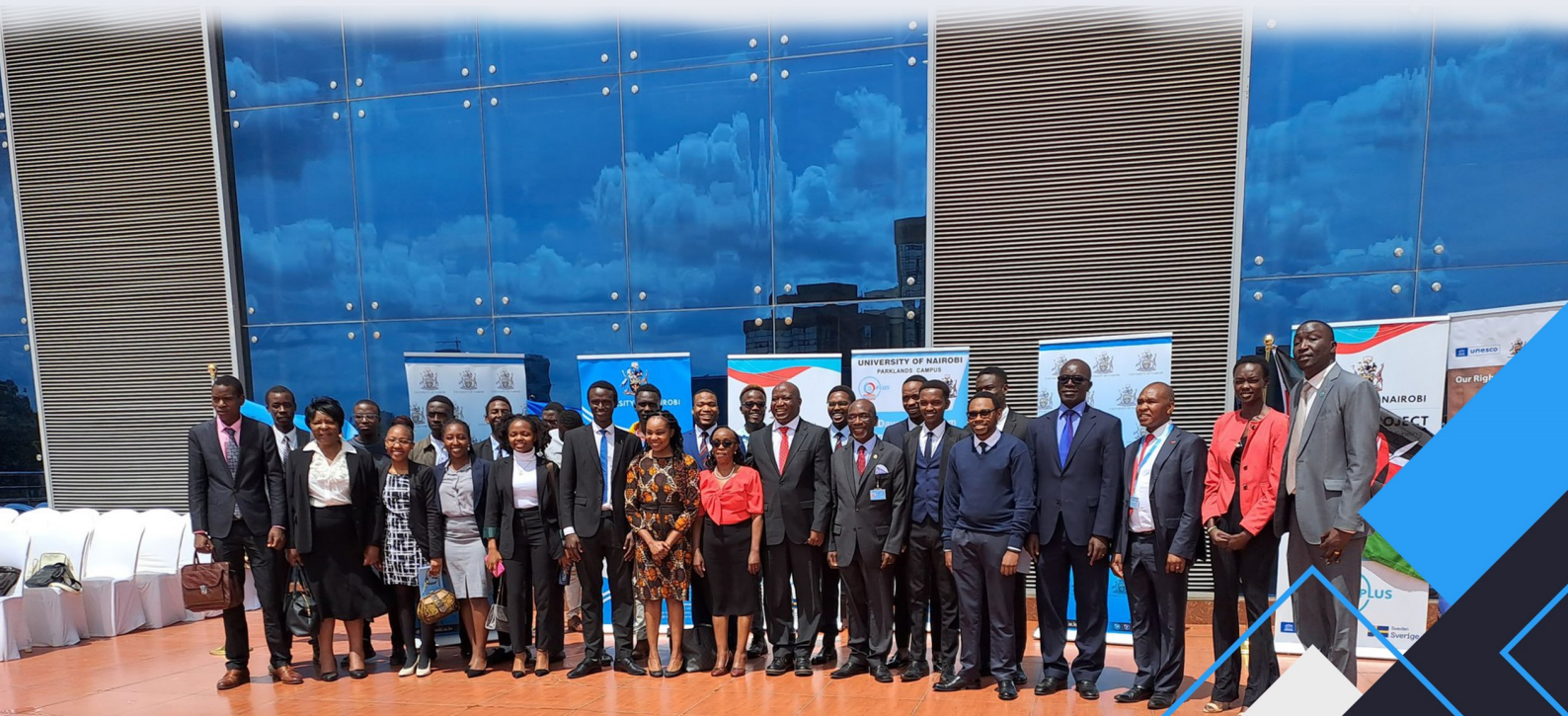
COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Achievement

Remarks

The Faculty hosted UoN Legal Aid Week on 5 - 9 December 2022

Students and members of the public benefited from Legal Aid Services



NOTABLE VISITORS

Achievement

Prof. Aaron Mushengyezi, Vice Chancellor of Uganda Christian University (UCU)

H.E. Mrs Giovanna Valverde- Ambassador of Costa Rica to Kenya

H.E. Pirkka Tapiola, Ambassador of Finland to Kenya and Somalia and Permanent Representative to UNEP and UN Habitat, Ambassador-designate to Eritrea, the Seychelles and Uganda

H.E. Gabriela Martinic, Ambassador of the Argentine Republic to Kenya and Permanent Representative of the UN Office in Nairobi

H.E. Chol Ajongo, Ambassador of the Republic of South Sudan and Permanent Representative to UNEP and UN Habitat

Remarks

Visited on 24th March 2022

Visited on 9th September 2022

Visited on 15th September 2022

Visited on 25th November 2022



AWARDS

Achievement

Remarks

Nairobi Legal: Teacher of the Year Award

Mr. Samson Alosa was First Runner Up

CB Madan 2022 Student Awards

Awarded to three (3) students of the Faculty of Law, University of Nairobi:

- Miracle Mudeyi
- Leonida Moturi
- Tabby Odira

Kalasha International Film and TV Awards

Faculty of Law's Theatre of the Absurd Nominated for the Best Student Film

Arbitration Awards

- Dr. Kariuki Muigua won the African Arbitrator of the Year 2022 Award
- Dr. Kariuki Muigua won the ADR Practitioner of the Year award

CIARB Publication of the Year Award

Dr. Kariuki Muigua won the award

Staff Performance Awards

6 Faculty Staff Awarded for exemplary performance

- Prof. Collins Odote
- Dr. Njaramba Gichuki
- Dr. Wyne Mutuma
- Mr. Macharia Waigwi
- Ms Linda Aduda
- Ms Keziah Mbugua

Moot awards

The Faculty received various awards in Moot Competitions at the Local, Regional and International Levels



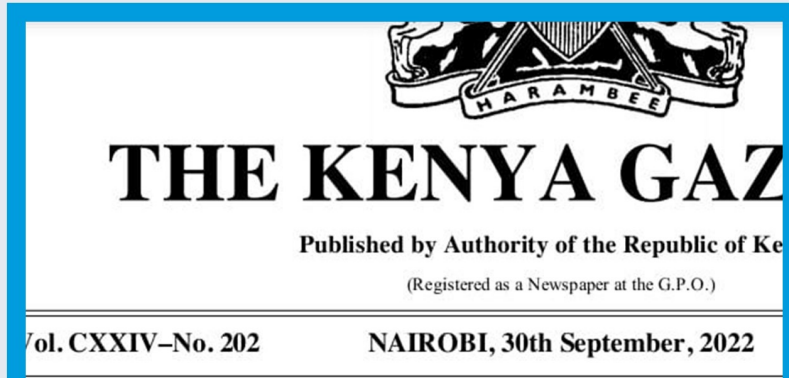
APPOINTMENTS

Achievement

Remarks

Presidential Working Party on Education Reforms, 2022

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Prof. Collins Odote was appointed a member



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RESIDENTIAL WORKING PARTY ON EDUCATION REFORM

APPOINTMENT

IT IS notified for the general information of the public that William Samoei Ruto, President of the Republic of Kenya and Commander-in-Chief of the Defence Forces has appointed a Working Party on Education Reform.

The Working Party shall comprise of the following members:

Raphael Munavu (Prof.) – *Chairperson*,
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Eunice Gachoka (Ms.)

The terms of reference

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- (vi) the technology...

