

SAVE THE DATE AFRICA, CULTURE, AND INTERNATIONAL LAW

17-18 October 2025, Maputo, Mozambique Polana Serena & Southern Sun Hotels

FRIDAY, 17 OCTOBER 2025

8:30–9:30 AM Registration

9:30–10:00 AM Opening Ceremony

10:00–10:45 AM Keynote Speech

10:45–11:15 AM Coffee Break & Conference Photo

11:15 AM-12:15 PM PANEL I: State Responsibility & Legal Pathways for Restiution of African Art & Artifacts

12:15–1:15 PM Lunch

1:15–2:15 PM PANEL II: Cultural Heritage Under Seige: Protection Against Conflicts, Climate Change, & Illicit Trafficking

2:15–2:45 PM Coffee Break

2:45–4:00 PM PANEL III: Traditional Knowledge, Indigenous Practices, Innovation & Africa's IP Landscape

4:15–5:00 PM FIRESIDE CHAT: African Creative Industries: Navigating Global Markets & Capturing Value

5:00- 6:00 PM PANEL IV: Cultural Rights As Human Rights: African Perspectives

6:30 PM

Cocktail Reception & 2025 Award for Excellence in International Law & Practice

African Society of International Law 14th Annual Conference



SATURDAY, 18 OCTOBER 2025

8:30–9:30 AM Young Scholars' Roundtable

9:30–10:30 AM PANEL V: One Continent, Many Voices: Conversation On Culture & African Regional Integration

10:30-10:45 AM Coffee Break

10:45-11:30 AM Keynote Speech

11:30-12:30 PM PANEL VI: Decolonizing Museums

12:30–1:30 PM Lunch

1:30-2:30 PM Roundtable On Africa & The Culture Of International Law

2:30-3:00 PM

CLOSING CEREMONY: Legacies And Horizons: Concluding Reflections On Africa, Culture, And International Law



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