

Public Lecture

The UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples

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Professor Federico Lenzerini is a Professor of International Law, at the University of Siena, and is the Rapporteur of the International Law Association (ILA) Committee on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples. This Committee is currently drafting a Commentary on the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, the draft of which will be presented to the ILA 74th conference in The Hague later this year.

Other interests:

In addition to work on the rights of indigenous peoples, Professor Lenzerini also researches and writes on the protection of cultural heritage, the rights of refugees and asylum, and international trade law. He has written recent books on all these areas.

He is a member of the ILA Committee on Biotechnology; and he has been a Consultant to the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) and a Legal Advisor to the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs on the protection of cultural heritage.

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