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A LOAC MANUAL for Portugal

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PROGRAMME

9h00-9h30m

OPENING CEREMONY

9h30-11h15m

OPENING CONFERENCES

CHAIR: Lieutenant-general, Army, IUM Commander
Hermínio Teodoro Maio

Hybrid Warfare and Polemology

Federico Aznar Fernandez-Montesinos
Commander, CESEDEN

LOAC Manuals: What's the Point and Why Write One?

Aurel Sari
Professor, University of Exeter, Fellow of the Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers, Europe

A LOAC Manual for Portugal

José Alberto Azeredo Lopes
Professor, Católica Porto School of Law, Coordinator of the LOAC Manual Project

11h30-13h30

PARALLEL PANELS

PANEL 1.

CHAIR: António Silva Ribeiro
Admiral

Religion and International Humanitarian Law

Jónatas Machado
Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Coimbra

The Protection of Combatants

Maria Isabel Tavares
Professor, Católica Porto School of Law

Space and LOAC

Francisco Pereira Coutinho
Professor, Nova School of Law, Lisbon

Environment Protection and International Humanitarian Law

Paulo Canelas de Castro
Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Coimbra & Faculty of Law, Macau

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PANEL 2.

CHAIR: Marco Serronha
Lieutenant-general, Army

LOAC, Professional Military Education and Training

António Martins Pereira
Lieutenant-general

The Principle of Distinction and the Use of Cluster Bombs

Maria Assunção do Vale Pereira
Professor, School of Law, University of Minho

Subversive War

Francisco Proença Garcia
Professor, IEP, Católica University

The Rules of Precaution in the Era of Emerging Technologies

Afonso Seixas Nunes
Professor, School of Law, Saint Louis University

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PANEL 3.

CHAIR: Diogo Feio
Professor, Portuguese Military Academy

Civilians Deprived of their Liberty

Ana Rita Gil
Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Lisbon

Human Rights Law, IHL and Armed Conflicts

Miguel Santos Neves
Professor, Autónoma University, Lisbon

UAV and the Dehumanisation of Aerial War

João Vicente
Colonel, Air Force

Multi-Domain Operations: From Theory to Practice

Carlos Dias Afonso
Lieutenant-Col, Army

LUNCH

14h30-16h30

PANEL 4.

CHAIR: José Silva Carreira
Vice-admiral

Specific Means and Methods of Naval Warfare

Fátima Castro Moreira
Professor, Portuguese University

Naval Blockade

Armando Rocha
Professor, Católica Lisbon School of Law

Belligerent and Non-Belligerent Activities

Vasco Becker-Weinberg
Professor, Lusófona & Nova School of Law, Lisbon, Areas of Naval Operations

Specially Protected Vessels in Naval Warfare

Marta Chantal Ribeiro
Professor, Law Faculty, University of Porto

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PANEL 5.

CHAIR: José Luis Pinto Ramalho
General, Army

Politics and Military Operations

Luis Barroso
Colonel, Army

Distinctive Emblems, Signs and Signals

Ana Soares Pinto
Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Lisbon

Law enforcement Operations: The Case of GNR in Iraq

Mário Guedelha
Colonel, GNR

Ethics and Military Strategy

Paulo Duarte
Professor, Portuguese Military Academy

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PANEL 6.

CHAIR: João Vieira Borges
Major-general, Army

International Humanitarian Law through the Lens of International Criminal Law: War Crimes Trials and the impact on the Battlefield

Nuno Pinheiro Torres
Lecturer, Católica Porto Faculty of Law

Piracy and International Humanitarian Law

António Gonçalves Alexandre
Captain, Navy

The Challenges of Defining Cyber Operations in Modern Warfare under the Attack Definition of IHL: Implications for a LOAC Manual

Anabela Brizido
Guest Professor, Nova School of Law, Lisbon

Trick or cheat? Use of deception and LOAC

Francisco Queilhas Lima
Guest Lecturer, Católica Porto School of Law

Special Protection of Certain Civilian Objects, Installations and Property

Pedro Braga de Carvalho
Lawyer

16h45-17h15

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