

## Jean-Pictet International Humanitarian Law Moot Court Competition 2023

### What is it? Meet, Learn, Enjoy

The Jean-Pictet Competition is the largest and most prestigious Humanitarian Law moot court Competition. It takes place every year in a new country usually between February and March. Over the course of one week, around 48 teams from the five continents will be assigned different roles, solve controversial legal issues, and experience a fictional armed conflict.

### Why? To take the law out of the books

Are you tired of learning about the law in a classroom? Do you ever wonder how/if international law applies in the real world? Do you ask yourself what is the applicable legal framework to the temporary armed conflicts or if the law even matters in reality?

### *If you answered yes to any of these questions...*

This is your chance to gain practical experience on International Humanitarian Law in a practical, multicultural, and fun manner. This unique learning and networking opportunity will teach you about the most controversial and recent debates in the field of International Humanitarian Law. You will deal with complicated legal issues from different perspectives depending on your role in the simulation. You will also acquire experience in oral advocacy, diplomacy, practical legal problem-solving skills as well as oral proficiency that will impress your future employers. Becoming a Pictetist will be a great addition to your CV, especially if you are planning to work in the field of Public International Law.

### Who can participate?

The selected team representing JLU will consist of three registered students below the age of 30. Students with a law or international relations background are welcome!

### Requirements

- Good knowledge of the English language
- Motivated and capable of teamwork
- Interest in Public International Law in general and International Humanitarian Law specifically
- Good knowledge of Public International Law or Humanitarian Law will be an asset

You can send your application consisting of a letter of motivation and a CV before **21:00 September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022**, by e-mail to: [Farnaz.Dezfouli-Asl@recht.uni-giessen.de](mailto:Farnaz.Dezfouli-Asl@recht.uni-giessen.de).