

REPORT OF THE ESIL INTEREST GROUP ON INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS LAW, 2016 - 2017

Following a successful workshop of the Interest Group at the ESIL annual conference in Riga in 2016, two of the co-chairs (Basak Cali and Lorna McGregor) co-edited a blog symposium entitled 'International Human Rights Law in Times of Crisis' on EJIL Talk! in February 2017. This symposium, which includes an introduction by Basak and Lorna and contributions by six of the papers presented in Riga is available here: <https://www.ejiltalk.org/author/cali-mcgregor/>

Following the practice of previous year's, we issued a call for papers on the international human rights law perspective on the 2017 annual conference theme. We received over 50 submissions with a combination of early career and established academics. We have invited speakers to submit their papers to us as blog posts for consideration for publication on EJIL Talk!

This year, the three co-chairs are stepping down from their positions but will be available to support incoming chairs. A call for nominees to stand for election has been issued.