



## Programme of the conference in Vienna

as of 17 May 2019

<u>Time</u>	<u>Session</u>	<u>Location</u>
<b>Tuesday, 21 May</b>		
18:00-19:30 hrs	Informal reception, meet & greet	National Defence Academy
<b>Wednesday, 22 May</b>		
08:10-08:30 hrs	Ecumenical morning prayer (optional)	Stiftskirche
08:30-09:00 hrs	Registration and coffee	
09:00-09:15 hrs	Opening by Brig.Gen. (ret) B. Royal, President of EuroISME	
09:15-09:30 hrs	Words of welcome on behalf of the National Defence Academy by the Commandant: Lt.Gen. E. Csitkovits	auditorium <i>Sala Terrena</i>

09:30-10:00 hrs	Inaugural address by: General Secretary of the Austrian Defence Ministry: Mag.Dr. Wolfgang Baumann	auditorium <i>Sala Terrena</i>
10:00-10:45 hrs	Key note address Dr. Ashley Savage (Austria), “Combating the Intramural and Extramural Challenges to Effective Whistleblower Protection in the Military,” incl. Q & A	auditorium <i>Sala Terrena</i>
10:45-11:05 hrs	Coffee break with book stand by our publisher Martinus Nijhoff	adjacent to auditorium
11:05-12:35 hrs	Session 1 with the parallel panels No. 1 to 3	

**Panel No. 1: Fundamental concepts**

*chair: Kristina Tonn (Germany)*

- Jean-François Caron, (Kazachstan) “Disobedience in the military: legal an ethical implications. The case of selective conscientious objection”
- Maziek Zajac (Poland), “Defeating Ignorance – Ius ad Bellum Heuristics for Contemporary Volunteer Military Personnel”
- Prof.dr. Jovan Babić, (EuroISME BoD; Serbia) “Limits of disobedience in the context of the established obligation to obey”

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**Panel No. 2: Revisionism in the context of dissent: for and against**

*chair Dr. Lonneke Peperkamp (The Netherlands)*

- Prof.dr. David Whetham (EuroISME BoD; United Kingdom), “Do some soldiers deserve to die more than others? Revisionist just war theory, selective conscientious objection and the reality on the ground”
- Dr. Shannon Brandt Ford (APAC ISME BoD; Australia), “The just war tradition and the morality of war: a principled approach to moral exceptionalism”
- Dr. Stephen Deakin (UK), “How is a man to decide? Unjust combatants, duress and McMahan’s *Killing in war*”

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**Panel No. 3: Historical cases**

*chair: Dr Patrick Mileham (EuroISME BoD; UK)*

- Lt.Col (ret) Timothy Lupfer (United States), “The relevance of the My Lai massacre”
- Rebekka Haffner, (Belgium) “Learning from the past: dissenting in a dictatorship and impact of the past on today’s military structures”
- Prof.Dr. Lorenzo Cavalaglio (Italy) & Adèle Julia Chenaux, (Italy) “Unlawful order and

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possible dissent. The Erich Priebke case”

- Col. (ret) Prof.Dr. Boris N. Kashnikov, (Russia) “Six motives of justified disobedience. A case study on the first Chechen War 1994-1996”

12:45-13:40 hrs Lunch-buffet with book stand by our publisher Martinus Nijhoff

13:45-15:15 hrs Session 2 with the parallel panels No. 4 to 6

**Panel No. 4 Selective conscientious objection: is it, or should it be permissible? (1)**

*chair: Dr. Stéphanie Bélanger (North American ISME BoD; Canada)*

- Lt.Col. Jolana Fedorková, (Czech Rep.) “Conditions for expressing disagreement in a military organisation in the Czech Republic”
- Eva Whitehead (Germany), “The legal duty to disobey illegal orders”
- Rev. Dr. Kenneth Matende (Canada), “Conscientious objection: ethical wrestling within the Canadian military”

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**Panel No. 5 The situation in South America**

*chair: Prof.dr. David Whetham (EuroISME BoD; UK)*

- Armando Borrero (Colombia) & Víctor Barrera, (Colombia) “Extra-judicial executions, media Exposure and international pressure in Colombia – How to reform the military from the outside?”
- Andrés Aponte, (Colombia) “Restrictions of strategies in military integration in Colombia: the absence of dissent in counter-insurgent plans and the role of civil militarization”
- Dr. Julio Burdman (Argentina), “Exit and voice of the military in Latin America: legal and moral implications of the ‘integral security’ approach”

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**Panel No. 6 Ethixx (1)**

*Game leader: Lt.Col Michael Brendl (Germany)*

A board game of the German Armed Forces developed for ethics education and dilemma training. The number of seats is limited to 12.

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15:15-15:35 hrs Tea break with book stand by our publisher Martinus Nijhoff

15:45-17:30 hrs AGM (members only!)

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**Panel No. 9 Military socialization; pressures from society**

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*chair: Mohammed Metwali (Egypt)*

- Major Dr. Daniela Schmitz Wortmeyer, (Brasil) “Singular trajectories of the internalization of discipline: challenges for agency in military socialization”
- Lt.Col. (ret) Dr. Daniel Beaudoin, (France/Israel) “Whistle-blowing in the Israeli Defence Forces: loyalty or treason?”
- Dr. Arseniy Kumankov, (Russia) “Mediatisation of War, Militarization of Media: Effects of Mutual Influence”

**Panel No. 10: “Conditions for legitimate dissent -- cases and theory”**

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*Chair: Prof.dr. Gilles Guiheux (France)*

- Lt.Gen. Javier Urbina (Chile), “Dissent and Discipline in the Military Ethos: Values in Conflict?”
- Major Kléver Bravo (Ecuador), “Military values in the Ecuadorian Armed Forces: moral basis in the development of the operations against narco-terrorism on the northern border”
- Prof.Dr. Patricia Glazebrook, (USA) “Military, ex-military, and para-military involvement in the murder of environmental and land-protectors”

12:00-12:10 hrs

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12:10-13:00 hrs

Lunch with book stand by our publisher Martinus Nijhoff

13:00-14:30 hrs

Session 4 with the parallel panels No. 10 to 13

**Panel No. 11 Military education and critical thinking (1)**

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*chair: Dr. Shannon Brandt Ford (APAC ISME BoD; Australia)*

- Deanna Messervey (Canada) “Measuring the effectiveness of ethics training: considerations for militaries”
- Dr. Meike Wanner, (Germany) “The concept of *innere Führung* of the German Armed Forces”
- Dr. Stephen Hare (Canada) “Ethical foundations and military culture – Canadian defence ethics”

**Panel No. 12 Moral injury**

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*chair: Rev. Capt. Kenneth Matende (Canada)*

- Dr. Veronika Bock, (Germany) “‘Moral injury’ Shattered ethical assumptions in the context of warfare”
- Prof.dr. Ed Barrett (USA), “The nature, causes and implications of moral injury”

- Prof.dr. Nancy Sherman (USA) “Moral injury and Stoic resilience”
- Prof.dr. Michael L. Gross (Israel), “Moral injury in just war”

**Panel No. 13 Troubled persons or trouble-makers: is the expression of dissent loyal? (1)**

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*chair: Sr. Chaplain Dr. Janne Aalto (Finland)*

- Dr. Dragan Stanar (Serbia), “Martial virtues and misguided loyalty”
- Dr. Stéphanie Bélanger (North American ISME BoD, Can) & 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Jérémie Fraser (Can), “Dissidence and its consequences : an organisational perspective to the right to speech”
- Lt.Col. Evaggelia Kiosi, (Greece) “Applied ethics on sexual harassment in the military”

**Panel No. 14 Selective conscientious objection: is it, or should it be permissible? (2)**

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*chair: Lt. Col. Jolana Fedorková (Czech Republic)*

- Dr. Marc LiVecce, (USA) “Just war and moral injury – a dissenting view”
- Stéphanie Erwin (USA), “Voice in veteran borderlands”
- Dr. Magdalena M. Baran (Poland), “Courage as a tool of war”

14:30-14:45 hrs

Tea break, with book stand by our publisher Martinus Nijhoff

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14:45-15:25 hrs

Key note address by Capt. (ret) Dr. Tom Clonan (Rep. of Ireland), “Blowing the Whistle on Sexual Violence in the Irish Armed Forces - The Personal and Professional Implications for Whistle-blowing in the Military Environment”

auditorium *Sala Terrena*

15:25-15:30 hrs

Short break

15:30-17:00 hrs

**Poster sessions by students**

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*Chair: Capt. Dr. Michaël Dewyn (EuroISME BoD; Belgium)*

- Svetlana Glebova-Vinogradova, (Russia), “Religious and philosophical justifications of modern international terrorism”
- Talia Shoval, (Israel), “Environmental ethics in Just War Theory”
- Anna Kietzerow, (USA), “The crimes of past regimes. When a state should not apologise”
- Grigory Chasovskikh, (Russia) “Natural justice and parochial altruism in evolution ethics”
- Bojana Siemeunović (Serbia), “Loosening military hierarchy: how technology affects

- whistle-blowing” (via video)
- Toni Paruso, (USA), “Should We Teach Ethics to Combat Leaders?”
- Dmitri Tourko, (Russia), “Walter Benjamin’s critique of violence and dissent”

pause

18:30-22:00 hrs      Formal dinner & prize ceremony      Marriott hotel, 1<sup>st</sup> floor

**Friday, 24 May**

08:10-08:30 hrs      Ecumenical morning prayer (optional)      Stiftskirche

08:30-09:00 hrs      Coffee      adjacent to auditorium

09:00-09:05 hrs      News from APAC ISME by Dr. Shannon Brandt Ford      auditorium *Salla Terrena*

09:05-09:10 hrs      News from North American ISME by Dr. Stéphanie Bélanger

09:10-09:20 hrs      Successions to EuroISME’s President and co-Executive Director

09:20-10:05 hrs      Key note address by: Col. (res) Liron Libman (Israel), ““Theirs not to reason why?” Beyond obedience and disobedience: Questioning superior decisions in the military,” incl. Q & A

10:05-10:25 hrs      Coffee      adjacent to auditorium

10:25-11:50 hrs      Session 4 of parallel panels No. 14 to 17

**Panel No. 15 *Ethixx* (2)**

*Game leader: Lt.Col. Michael Brendl (Germany)*

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**Panel No. 16 Military education and critical thinking (2)**

*chair: Dr. Arseniy Kumankov, (Russia)*

- Sr.Chaplain Dr. Janne Aalto (Finland), “Dissent and voice in ethics training”
- Dr. Eva van Baarle (Neth) & Prof.dr. Desiree Verweij, (Neth) “A critical appraisal of the *Bildung*”

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ideal in military ethics education”

- Capt. Kevin Mullaney PhD (USA) & Prof.dr. Mitt Regan, (USA) “Generating internal dissent: the process of intuitive ethical awareness and action”

**Panel No. 17 Troubled persons or trouble-makers: is the expression of dissent loyal? (2)**

*chair: Dr. Julio Burdman (Argentina)*

- Dr. Florian Demont-Biaggi, (Switzerl.) “Through dissent against moral disengagement”
- Prof.dr. Juha Mäkinen, (Finland) “Good/bad dissent and voice in a military peace-keeping expert organisation”

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**Panel 18 High tech, the chain of command, and dissent**

*chair: Col. (ret) Prof.Dr. Boris N. Kashnikov, (Russia)*

- Prof.dr. Shannon French (USA), “iSoldier: Ethical challenges for High-Tech troops”
- Dr. Christine Boshuijzen-van Barken (Neth.), “Moral decision-making in modern military operations”
- Major Joseph O. Chapa, (USA) “Martial virtue in modern war”

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12:00-12:30 hrs Farewell address by: Ian Fishback (USA)

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12:30-12:40 hrs Closing comments by the new President of EuroISME

**NO lunch buffet this year!**