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Acting for the abolition of the death penalty around the world

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LATEST NEWS



64th ACHPR Session: Concluding in Egypt, Where Sentences & Executions are on the Rise

The 64th Ordinary Session of the African Commission on Human and People's Rights (ACHPR) is concluding in Sharm-el-Sheikh, Egypt. The ACHPR, the African Union organ steadfast in promoting and protecting human rights on the African continent, held the session from 24 April – 14 May 2019. Despite holding official human right's discussions in a country where sentencing and executions are on the rise, the abolitionist voice was still heard.

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Awareness Building Workshop with African Union Members

The end of March saw a first of its kind awareness-building workshop in Addis-Ababa, Ethiopia for the permanent French-speaking members to the African Union.

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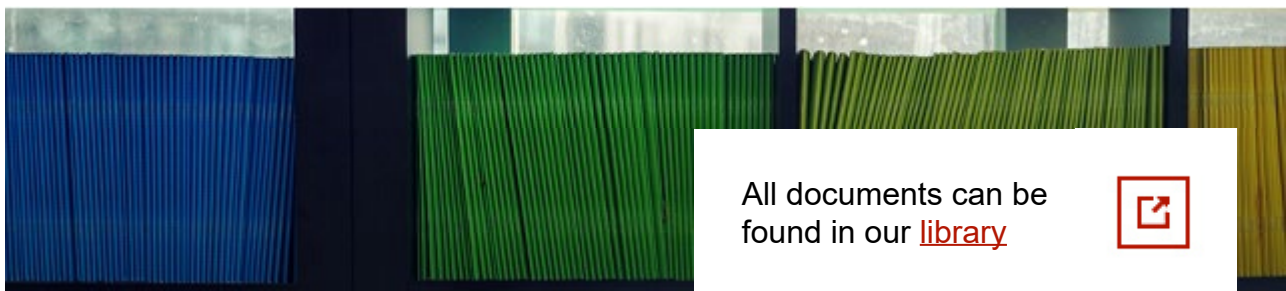
Arab League Summit: the death penalty at the heart of the alternative summit organized by civil society

On the occasion of the 30th session of the Arab League Summit, a parallel counter-summit, organized by civil society, was held to address the issue of human rights in the Arab world.

Hédia Zaalouni - World coalition against the death penalty

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The death penalty for drug offences: foreign nationals

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The death penalty for drug offences: conditions of detention on death row

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Death sentences and executions 2018. Global Report

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IMPORTANT DATES



24th June - 12th July | UN Human Rights Council 41st Session

Special Rapporteurs on executions, women, mental health, judges and lawyers, side events and statements on the abolition of the death penalty

24th June | The Puerto Rican Coalition Against Death Penalty has requested to depose at the U.N. Special Committee on Decolonization

For the 11th yea, the Puerto Rican Coalition will appeared before this Special Committee to denounce the imposition of the US. Federal Law that includes the application of the death penalty to Puerto Ricans, for crimes committed within the jurisdiction

25th June | Panel discussion hosted by Harm Reduction International in Geneva

"Duty to protect the life and harm reduction measures in drug policies: Reflection on General Comment 36 on the Right to Life of the Human Rights Committee."

26th June | International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking and International Day in Support of Victims of Torture

Support Don't Punish campaign (IDPC: International Drug Policy Consortium)

24th - 28th June | CoE – PACE and Conference of INGOs Summer session 2019 in Strasbourg

Report of the Commissioner for Human Rights, General Rapporteur on the abolition of the death penalty: Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights

2nd July | Presentation by Japan Innocence and Death Penalty Information Center

"The Death Penalty: East and West" - Hyogo University from 2:40 to 3:40 in Building 6 Room 202



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