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WORKSHOP Envisioning International Justice: what role for the International Criminal Court?

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DRAFT PROGRAMME

Introductory remarks

• Maria Arena, MEP, Chair of the Subcommittee on Human Rights

Academic expert presentations

Political support and cooperation by States:

• **Olympia Bekou**, Professor of Public International Law, Head of School, School of Law, University of Nottingham

Case selection and prioritisation by the Court:

- **Triestino Mariniello,** Associate Professor, Liverpool John Moores University, currently Senior Research Fellow at the Humboldt University of Berlin
- **Yvonne McDermott Rees,** Professor of Legal Studies, Hillary Rodham Clinton School of Law, Swansea University

Input from stakeholders/ human rights defenders

- Alison Smith, Director for International Justice, No Peace Without Justice
- Rodney Dixon QC, Lawyer Temple Garden Chambers, London/The Hague
- Mamtimin Ala, Writer and human rights activist

Debate

Concluding remarks by the Chair

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