



**One-day conference
organised by the Belgian Group of
the International Society for Military Law and the Law of War
&
The Chair of Law of
the Belgian Royal Military Academy**

*Recent conflicts in the Middle East &
related international law questions*

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08.30 – 08.50	<i>Registration</i>
09.00 – 09.05	<i>Opening of the conference</i>
09.05 – 09.25	<i>Setting the scene: Overview of the conflicts that are or were recently taking place in the Middle East</i>
09.25 – 10.45	<i>Interactive debate 1: The jus ad bellum perspective</i>
10.45 – 11.05	Coffee break
11.05 – 12.25	<i>Interactive debate 2: The jus in bello perspective</i>
12.25 – 13.30	Lunch break
13.30 – 14.50	<i>Interactive debate 3: Perspectives on counter-terrorism</i>
14.50 – 15.05	Break / leg stretch
15.05 – 16.25	<i>Interactive debate 4: Perspectives on the naval dimension</i>
16.25 – 16.30	<i>Closing of the conference</i>