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<b>DATES</b>	<b>LOCATIONS</b>	<b>TITLES</b>	<b>Link to speech</b>
03 September 2014	Apia, Samoa	Multi-stakeholders' Dialogue on Oceans, Seas and Biodiversity Small Island Developing States Conference	<a href="#">Click here</a>
17 July 2014	United Nations Conference Room 2	International Criminal Justice Day The United Nations and the International Criminal Court Partners of Shared Value	<a href="#">Click here</a>
7 July 2014	Conference Room 1, UNHQ New York	Forty-seventh Session of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law	<a href="#">Click here</a>
16 June 2014	United Nations Conference Room 1	General Assembly Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group to study issues relating to the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity beyond areas of national jurisdiction	<a href="#">Click here</a>
9 June 2014	Dag Hammarskjöld Library Penthouse	20th anniversary of the entry into force of the Convention and World Oceans Day 2014	<a href="#">Click here</a>



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3 June 2014	United Nations New York	Symposium on the Contribution of Post-Genocide Justice to the Reconciliation in Rwanda	<a href="#">Click here</a>
30 May 2014	Siège des Nations Unies, New York	UNION INTERNATIONALE des AVOCATS (UIA) Sommet UIA des Présidents des Barreaux	<a href="#">Click here</a> (French)
28 May 2014	Peking University People's Republic of China	“My first Eight months as the Legal Counsel of the United Nations”	<a href="#">Click here</a>
27 May 2014	People's Republic of China	International colloquium to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the enunciation of the Five Principles of Peaceful Co-existence Keynote address	<a href="#">Click here</a>
27 May 2014	People's Republic of China	International colloquium to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the enunciation of the Five Principles of Peaceful Co-existence  Panel on The Contribution and Role of the Five Principles on the Development of International Law	<a href="#">Click here</a>



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15 May 2014	Brdo, Slovenia	Seminar on the Ratification and Implementation of the Kampala Amendments to the Rome Statute of the ICC "TURNING THE KAMPALA AMENDMENTS INTO REALITY"	<a href="#">Click here</a>
14 May 2014	Geneva, Switzerland	International Law Commission	<a href="#">Click here</a>
21 April 2014	Hofstra University – Maurice A. Deane School of Law Hempstead, New York	The Third Annual Philip J. Shapiro Endowed International Visiting Scholar Lecture “Legal Aspects of Modern United Nations Peacekeeping”	<a href="#">Click here</a>
8 April 2014	Economic Commission for Africa Headquarters Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	Regional Course in International Law	<a href="#">Click here</a>
1 April 2014	Conference Room 2 United Nations New York	General Assembly Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group to study issues relating to the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity beyond areas of national jurisdiction	<a href="#">Click here</a>
31 March 2014	Conference Room 2 United Nations New York	General Assembly Ad Hoc Working Group of the Whole United Nations, Conference Room 2, New York Headquarters.	<a href="#">Click here</a>



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31 March 2014	United Nations New York	American Bar Association "ABA Day at the UN"	<a href="#">Click here</a>
19 March 2014	New York University Arthur T. Vanderbilt Hall 40 Washington Square South	31st Annual Seminar for Diplomats on International Humanitarian Law	<a href="#">Click here</a>
10 February 2014	Conference Room 6 United Nations New York	Statement at the Thirty-fourth session of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf	<a href="#">Click here</a>
3 February 2014	Conference Room 7 United Nations New York	“The role of UNCLOS in sustainable development” OLA/DOALOS Side event	<a href="#">Click here</a>
2 December 2013	Freetown Sierra Leone	Closing Ceremony of the Special Court for Sierra Leone “The Special Court for Sierra Leone – Lessons and Legacy”	<a href="#">Click here</a>
2 December 2013	Freetown Sierra Leone	Swearing-in of the Judges of the Residual Special Court for Sierra Leone	<a href="#">Click here</a>



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26 November 2013	Dar es Salaam Tanzania	Signing of the Headquarters Agreement for the Arusha Branch of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals	<a href="#">Click here</a>
20 November 2013	International Criminal Court The Hague, Netherlands	Message to Opening of 12th Session of the Assembly of States Parties of the International Criminal Court	<a href="#">Click here</a>
11 November 2013	OLA/DOALOS Conference Room United Nations New York	Thirty-third session of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf	<a href="#">Click here</a>
5 November 2013	Conference Room 6 United Nations New York	Pledging Conference in Support of the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia (ECCC)	<a href="#">Click here</a>
1 November 2013	Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations New York	The UN and EU legal systems after the Kadi judgement: Assessment and way forward - Opening statement.	<a href="#">Click here</a>
29 October 2013	New York Headquarters Trusteeship Council Chamber	International Court of Justice Seminar Opening & Closing statements.	<a href="#">Click here</a>



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28 October 2013	New York Headquarters Trusteeship Council Chamber	Informal Meeting of the Legal Advisers of the Ministries of Foreign Affairs	<a href="#">Click here</a>
27 September 2013	New York Headquarters	Secretary-General's Message to Event on The Kampala Amendments to the Rome Statute <i>[delivered by Miguel de Serpa Soares, Under-Secretary General for Legal Affairs, The United Nations Legal Counsel. ]</i>	<a href="#">Click here</a>
25 September 2013	New York Headquarters Delegate's Dining Room	Ministerial Breakfast on Peaceful Settlement of Disputes 100 Years Peace Palace: Advancing the Framework for Peaceful Settlement of Disputes	<a href="#">Click here</a>