



# **Emilie Hunter**

## Abbreviated CV

### **CURRENT POSITION**

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**PhD Candidate, European University Institute, Firenze, Italy 2009/09 – 2012/08**

- ⇒ *Willing and able? Analysing the investigation of international crimes in national judicial systems*

### **PREVIOUS POSITIONS**

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**Research and Programmes Coordinator, Human Rights Law Centre, University of Nottingham 2007/07 – 2009/08**

- ⇒ British Council Chevening Fellow Lecturer on practises of universal jurisdiction
- ⇒ Co-investigator on knowledge transfer user engagement with the European Union (ICC Legal Tools and EU Users)
- ⇒ Project design and management of ICC Legal Tools Project (database of national implementing legislation), bilateral assistance with CARICOM States, Coordination of the ICC Legal Tools Partner Network (Jun – Dec 2008) including presentations at the Sixth and Seventh Assembly of States Parties
- ⇒ Coordinator of Capacity Building Programmes on Criminal Justice and International Human Rights Standards for the Office of the Judiciary of Thailand
- ⇒ Creator of the HRLC Human Rights Defender Fellowship Scheme
- ⇒ HRLC Representative for the International Criminal Court, European Commission, Iraqi Ministry of Human Rights, Law Society of England and Wales, Association of Human Rights Institutes (AHRI), EU-China Human Rights Network, UK Research Office, Beijing

**Research Associate, Human Rights Law Centre, University of Nottingham, 2006/02 –2007/06**

- ⇒ Development of criteria for relational data (State attributes, meta data and hierarchical structure of substantive keywords) for ICC Legal Tools Database on National Implementing Legislation including attendance at fifth Assembly of States Meeting;
- ⇒ Project Officer for 2006/7 MENA Region Training Course on National Implementation of the ICC and Annual Student Human Rights Conference on International Criminal Accountability;
- ⇒ Research briefings for Co-Director and UN HRC Member Prof Michael O’Flaherty on extra-ordinary rendition flights in Ireland and Article 27 complaints before the UN Human Rights Committee and editorial assistance on training manuals for the Iraqi Ministry of Human Rights.

**Research Officer, Europaeum, University of Oxford 2004/12 – 2006/01**

- ⇒ Research responsibility for *Political Reform and Exclusion in India*, completing and cataloguing field interviews across India, and Assistant Editor ‘Recasting Indian Politics’ (Macmillan Jul 2006) funded by the British Academy.

**Researcher, Tibet Information Network (Delhi) 2003/01 –2003/12**

- ⇒ Human Rights Impact Assessment of recent development policy changes in Western China, including the conduct of field research.
- ⇒ Human rights training in the Universities of Chennai, Mumbai, Delhi and Chandigarh

### **RESEARCH / PROJECT AWARDS**

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#### **Principal Investigator**

- ⇒ *Freedom of Expression Festival*, University of Nottingham Development Grant of £6,200, 2009
- ⇒ *Research Environments for At Risk Scholars*, Sigrid Rausing CARA Pathfinder Grant of £9,923, 2006

#### **Co-investigator**

- ⇒ *Towards a successful partnership: the ICC Legal Tools and the European Union*, University of Nottingham Knowledge Transfer Award of £24,057, 2008:
- ⇒ *Developing the ICC Legal Tools Project*, University of Nottingham Research Support Grant of £3,220, 2007
- ⇒ *Universal Jurisdiction Litigation costs*, Isdell Foundation Grant of \$25,000, 2006

#### **Conference Convenor**

- ⇒ *International Human Rights and the Environment*, University of Nottingham Development Grant of £3,800, 2008
- ⇒ *ICC and the State*, Cross Disciplinary Research Group Grant of £3,200, 2007

### **PUBLICATIONS AND ARTICLES**

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- ⇒ *‘National Implementation of the ICC Statute within the European Union’* AHRI Working Group 2 paper, forthcoming
- ⇒ *‘Freedom of religion in China: A Case Study of Tibetan Buddhism’* Tibet Watch, 2007

- ⇒ *'Historic lawsuit will investigate Tibetan genocide,'* Tibetan Review, February 2006
- ⇒ *'Spanish lawsuit charges Jiang Zemin for Tibetan genocide',* Tibetan Review, July 2005
- ⇒ *'ADB supports Western Development Drive, but not in Tibet'* Tibet Information Network, Volume 32, Issue 1, 2005

## SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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- ⇒ *'Is Universal Jurisdiction relevant in ending social injustice and poverty,* Graham Turnbull Memorial Prizegiving Ceremony, The Law Society of England and Wales, London, 24 April 2008
- ⇒ *Supporting Implementation of the Rome Statute in the Caribbean,* HRLC and CICC Fringe meeting for CARICOM States and NGO's, Sixth ASP, New York, Dec 2007
- ⇒ *Management of HRLC database of ICC national implementing legislation,* The ICC Legal Tools Programme of the Norwegian Centre for Human Rights and the broader ICC Legal Tools Project, Peace Research Institute Oslo (PRIO), Sep 2007
- ⇒ *National Implementation of the Rome Statute: initiatives of the HRLC,* National Implementation Meeting of the Coalition of the International Criminal Court, ASP Meeting, the Hague, Nov 2006
- ⇒ *Universal Jurisdiction and International Criminal Accountability,* Roundtable discussion with Judge Baltasar Garzon, Edinburgh Fringe Festival, Aug 2007
- ⇒ *The role of universal jurisdiction in providing justice for victims: the Tibet case,* International Tibet Support Network Regional Meeting, Berlin, Dec 2006
- ⇒ *International Human Rights Institution',* Voices for Change Annual Youth Training, Gloucester, Aug 2006
- ⇒ *Participatory Measures in the 1997 Thai Constitution: Ethnic Minorities and land rights,* Harvard Project for Asian International Relations Conference, Shanghai, Aug 2004

## EDUCATION

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**MA International and Comparative Law, Merit,** School of Oriental and African Studies, London, 2004

- ⇒ Subjects: International Human Rights Law; Chinese Law; Law and Society in SE Asia
- ⇒ Dissertation thesis: *Conflicting definitions of autonomy in the Sino-Tibetan conflict: A Human Rights Approach.*
- ⇒ Research Assistance: *Participatory measures in the 1997 Thai Constitution,* research contribution to *Law, Governance and Constitutional Reform in Thailand Project,* Dr Andrew Harding, University of Victoria & King Prajadhipok's Institute.

**BA (hons) History of Art, 2:1,** University of Bristol, 2002

- ⇒ Dissertation paper: *The Paris Commune and Avant-Gardism: The café as a symbol of resistance.*

**A Level History, Geography, Photography: 28 Points,** Thomas Mills High School, Framlingham, 1998

**GCSE A grades: 6; B grades: 4,** Thomas Mills High School, Framlingham, 1996

## SUMMER SCHOOL PARTICIPATION

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- ⇒ *Justicia penal internacional: Los avances y faltas,* Universidad Complutense de Madrid, director, Juez Baltasar Garzón Real, Jul 2008
- ⇒ *Tortura y terrorismo,* Universidad Complutense de Madrid, director, Juez Baltasar Garzón Real, Jun 2005
- ⇒ *Wills Memorial Scholarship,* British Institute, Florence **2000:** Renaissance Political History

## HUMAN RIGHTS PROJECT WORK

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- ⇒ *Coordinator,* Legal Tools Outsourcing Partners Network, July – December 2008
- ⇒ *Co-litigant,* Comite de Apoyo al Tibet, 2005 – 2008: Spanish criminal investigation into Tibetan genocide, including victim interviews, preparation of testimonies for elements of crimes (forced sterilisation, torture) and assessment of remedies under Chinese criminal law
- ⇒ *Board of Directors,* Free Tibet Campaign, 2007 – present: Leading UK-based human-rights NGO
- ⇒ *Association of Human Rights Institutes Steering Committee representative 2007-2009*