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## BOCCONI CONVERSATIONS IN INTERNATIONAL LAW **THE RIGHT TO A FAIR TRIAL IN INTERNATIONAL LAW**

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As niche-seeking scholarship extends ever further into the outermost speculative reaches of international human rights law, it is easy to forget fundamental rights of everyday practical concern such as the right to a fair trial. But for those imprisoned unfairly and for the families of those unfairly executed, forgetting is a mercy never granted. For these and for all those facing criminal proceedings, the right to a fair trial remains of compelling importance. In their book *The Right to a Fair Trial in International Law* (Oxford University Press 2021), Amal Clooney and Philippa Webb provide a comprehensive explanation of what the right to a fair trial means in practice under international law. In the latest of our Bocconi Conversations in International Law, Philippa Webb will discuss the content of the right, highlighting both consensus and divisions in the international jurisprudence and considering factual scenarios that practitioners and judges may face in court, and will reflect more broadly on the right's continuing salience.



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