

HUMAN AND NON-HUMAN TARGETS IN ARMED CONFLICTS

What norms apply to the determination of lawful targets? What persons and objects may be lawfully targeted in armed conflict? What are the reasons, both legal and extra-legal, of civilian losses? What principles must be observed when attacking military objectives? How can the protection of persons who are not participating in hostilities can be strengthened? Is it possible to develop a consistent approach to targeting in armed conflict regardless of the legal qualification of the armed conflict? This monograph answers these questions and many more. Taking into account both military objectives and civilian objects, it considers the extent of their protection in a range of contexts, providing an essential source of reference for scholars dealing with issues across international humanitarian law and armed conflict.

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Abbreviations

ACHR	American Convention on Human Rights
AFLR	<i>Air Force Law Review</i>
AfrChH&PR	African Charter on Human and Peoples Rights
AJIL	<i>American Journal of International Law</i>
AL	<i>Army Lawyer</i>
Am. Univ. Int. Law Rev.	<i>American University International Law Review</i>
Am. Univ. J. Int. Law Policy	<i>American University Journal of International Law and Policy</i>
AP I	Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949, and relating to the Protection of Victims of International Armed Conflicts
AP II	Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949, and relating to the Protection of Victims of Non-International Armed Conflicts
APs	Additional Protocols to the Geneva Conventions for the Protection of Victims of War of 1949
APYIHL	<i>Asia-Pacific Yearbook of International Humanitarian Law</i>
ArChHR	Arab Charter on Human Rights
ASM	<i>Acta Societatis Martensis</i>
ASP	Assembly of States Parties of the Rome Statute

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BII&CL	British Institute of International and Comparative Law
BYIL	<i>British Yearbook of International Law</i>
CanYIL	<i>Canadian Yearbook of International Law</i>
CCW	Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects
Chi. J. Int'l L.	<i>Chicago Journal of International Law</i>
ChJIL	<i>Chinese Journal of International Law</i>
CIA	Central Intelligence Agency
CICR	Comité International de la Croix-Rouge
CILSA	<i>Comparative and International Law Journal of Southern Africa</i>
DJC&IL	<i>Duke Journal of Comparative and International Law</i>
Duke L. J.	<i>Duke Law Journal</i>
ECHR	Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms
ECtHR	European Court of Human Rights
EJIL	<i>European Journal of International Law</i>
ENMOD	Convention on the Prohibition of Military or Any Other Hostile Use of Environmental Modification Techniques
EUCFR	Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union
Fla. J. Int'l L.	<i>Florida Journal of International Law</i>
Ga. J. Int'l & Comp. L.	<i>Georgia Journal of International and Comparative Law</i>
GC I	Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of the Wounded and Sick in Armed Forces in the Field
GC II	Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of Wounded, Sick and

	Shipwrecked Members of Armed Forces at Sea
GC III	Convention Relative to the Treatment of Prisoners of War
GC IV	Convention Relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War
GCs	Geneva Conventions for the Protection of Victims of War
GLJ	<i>German Law Journal</i>
Hamline J. Pub. L. & Pol'y	<i>Hamline Journal of Public Law and Policy</i>
HC	Hague Convention
HNSJ	<i>Harvard National Security Journal</i>
Houst. Law Rev.	<i>Houston Law Review</i>
HR	Regulations concerning the Laws and Customs of War on Land annexed to Convention respecting the Laws and Customs of War on Land
I&CLQ	<i>International and Comparative Law Quarterly</i>
IAC(s)	international armed conflict(s)
IACHR	Inter-American Commission on Human Rights
IACtHR	Inter-American Court of Human Rights
ICC	International Criminal Court
ICCPR	International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights
ICESCR	International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights
ICJ	International Court of Justice
ICL	International Criminal Law
ICRC	International Committee of the Red Cross
ICTR	International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda
ICTY	International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia
IDFLR	<i>Israel Defense Forces Law Review</i>
IED	improvised explosive device

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IHL	International Humanitarian Law
IHLS	<i>International Humanitarian Legal Studies</i>
IHRL	International Human Rights Law
IIL	Institute of International Law
IJHR	<i>International Journal of Human Rights</i>
IL&Pol	<i>International Law and Politics</i>
ILC	International Law Commission
ILM	<i>International Legal Materials</i>
ILR	<i>International Law Reports</i>
ILS	<i>International Law Studies</i>
ILSSUSNWC	<i>International Law Studies Series US Naval War College</i>
ILY	<i>International Law Yearbook</i>
IMT	International Military Tribunal
IRRC	<i>International Review of the Red Cross</i>
ISIS/ISIL	<i>Islamic State of Iraq and Sham/Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant</i>
IsrLR	<i>Israel Law Review</i>
IsrYHR	<i>Israel Yearbook on Human Rights</i>
J. East Asia Int. Law.	<i>Journal of East Asia and International Law</i>
J. Transnat'l L. & Pol'y	<i>Journal of Transnational Law and Policy</i>
JC&SL	<i>Journal of Conflict and Security Law</i>
JICJ	<i>Journal of International Criminal Justice</i>
JIHLS	<i>Journal of International Humanitarian Legal Studies</i>
JL&CW	<i>Journal of Law and Cyber Warfare</i>
JLIS	<i>Journal of Law, Information and Science</i>
JNSLP	<i>Journal of National Security Law and Policy</i>
LJIL	<i>Leiden Journal of International Law</i>
LN	League of Nations
LNTS	League of Nations Treaty Series
Loy. U. Chi. Int'l L. Rev.	<i>Loyola University of Chicago International Law Review</i>

Md. J. Int. Law Trade	<i>Maryland Journal of International Law & Trade</i>
MelbJIL	<i>Melbourne Journal of International Law</i>
MICT	Mechanism for International Criminal Tribunals
Minn. L. Rev.	<i>Minnesota Law Review</i>
ML&LWR	<i>Military Law and Law of War Review</i>
MLR	<i>Military Law Review</i>
MON	Ministerstwo Obrony Narodowej (Polish Ministry of Defence)
MPEPIL	<i>Max Planck Encyclopedia of Public International Law</i>
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
Naval L. Rev.	<i>Naval Law Review</i>
NCJIL&CR	<i>North Carolina Journal of International Law and Commercial Regulation</i>
New Crim. L. Rev.	<i>New Criminal Law Review</i>
NIAC(s)	non-international armed conflict(s)
NSAI	<i>Non-State Actors and International Law</i>
NSLB	<i>National Security Law Brief</i>
NYT	<i>New York Times</i>
NYU JILP	<i>New York University Journal of International Law and Politics</i>
OPIL	<i>Oxford Public International Law</i>
ORIL	<i>Oregon Review of International Law</i>
PCIJ	Permanent Court of International Justice
PGM	precision-guided munition
PMC/PSC	private military (security) company
Regent J. L. & Pub. Pol'y	<i>Regent Journal of Law and Public Policy</i>
RIAA	<i>Reports of International Arbitral Awards</i>
SCSL	Special Court for Sierra Leone
Sing JICL	<i>Singapore Journal of International and Comparative Law</i>
TJCIL	<i>Tulsa Journal of Comparative and International Law</i>
TexILJ	<i>Texas International Law Journal</i>

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TNOiK	Towarzystwo Naukowe Organizacji i Kierownictwa „Dom Organizatora” (Publishing House)
U. Miami Int’l & Comp. L. Rev.	<i>University of Miami International and Comparative Law Review</i>
U. Tol. L. Rev.	<i>University of Toledo Law Review</i>
UAV/UCAV	unmanned (combat) aerial vehicle
U.C. Davis J. Int’l L. & Pol’y	<i>University of California Davis Journal of International Law and Policy</i>
UCLA JILFA	<i>University of California Los Angeles Journal of International Law & Foreign Affairs</i>
UMNS&ACLR	<i>University of Miami National Security and Armed Conflict Law Review</i>
UN	United Nations
UN GA	General Assembly of the United Nations
UN SC	Security Council of the United Nations
UN SG	Secretary-General of the United Nations
UNTS	United Nations Treaty Series
UNWCC	United Nations War Crimes Commission
UPaJIL	<i>University of Pennsylvania Journal of International Law</i>
USAFAJLS	<i>United States Air Force Academy Journal of Legal Studies</i>
VCLT	Vienna Convention on Law of Treaties
VirJIL	<i>Virginia Journal of International Law</i>
WYAJ	<i>Windsor Yearbook of Access to Justice</i>
Yale J. Int. Law	<i>Yale Journal of International Law</i>
YIHL	<i>Yearbook of International Humanitarian Law</i>
YILC	<i>Yearbook of International Law Commission</i>

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