The Campaign to Stop Killer Robots is holding daily side events during the lunch period (13:00-14:30) of the Convention on Conventional Weapons (CCW) experts meeting on lethal autonomous weapons systems, which is being held at the United Nations in Geneva on 13-16 May 2014. Please also see the biographies of speakers available here: http://bit.ly/1o6wCmt

All side events will be held in Conference Room XXII and start at 13:00 with a sandwich lunch.

Tuesday, May 13: The Need for New International Law
Moderated by Ms. Sarah Knuckey of New York University and featuring:
  • Ms. Bonnie Docherty, Human Rights Watch
  • Mr. Brian Wood, Amnesty International
  • Prof. David Akerson, International Committee on Robot Arms Control

Wednesday, May 14: Technical and Operational Concerns
Moderated by Prof. Denise Garcia of the International Committee on Robot Arms Control (ICRAC) and featuring:
  • Prof. Noel Sharkey, ICRAC
  • Dr. Heather Roff, ICRAC
  • Dr. Juergen Altmann, ICRAC
  • Ms. Maya Brehm, Article 36

Thursday, May 15: Ethical and Moral Concerns
Moderated by Dr. Steve Wright of ICRAC and featuring:
  • Dr. Peter Asaro, ICRAC
  • Ms. Miriam Struyk, PAX
  • Dr. Charli Carpenter, Article 36

Friday, May 16: The Way Forward
Moderated by campaign coordinator Ms. Mary Wareham of HRW and featuring:
  • Ms. Jody Williams, Nobel Women’s Initiative and Nobel Peace Laureate
  • Amb. Jayathana Dhanapala, Pugwash Conferences on Science and World Affairs
  • Mr. Steve Goose, Human Rights Watch