

# The Human Rights Implications of the U.S. Targeted Killing Program



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10.00-12.00

ROOM XXV  
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Geneva, Switzerland

This side event will discuss the international and U.S. law standards applicable to, and the human rights implications of, the U.S. targeted killing program. The panel will include discussion of the transparency and accountability issues raised by the program, the increased numbers of reported civilian deaths, and recent revelations about the possible undercounting of civilian casualties.

## PANELISTS:

### CHRISTOF HEYNS

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### HINA SHAMSI

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### PARDISS KEBRIAEEI

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