



Doctoral and postdoctoral researchers at  
University of Zurich's Faculty of Law,  
Faculty of Arts and the Faculty of Business Administration  
**via e-mail**

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### Invitation to an interdisciplinary seminar for doctoral and postdoctoral researchers in the field of human rights at the University of Zurich

Dear researchers,

University of Zurich's Centre for Human Rights Studies organizes an interdisciplinary seminar for researchers in the field of human rights. The seminar aims at bringing together doctoral students and postdoctoral researchers from different areas of law and other disciplines who are conducting research in the field of human rights. The **one-day seminar** will be led by Prof. Dr. iur. Christine Kaufmann and held at the University of Zurich on **Friday, 6 November 2015**.

Participants are asked to prepare a short written abstract (not more than 10 pages) on their research questions or part of it and deliver a 15-minutes presentation at the seminar. They will then receive a prepared, in-depth feedback and comments from another participant as well as a member of the Centre for Human Rights Studies before the discussion will be opened to everyone. Participants are free to choose their topic or angle, as long as it is related to human rights. Deadline for the written abstracts is Friday, 16 October 2015.

Doctoral students of the Faculty of Law receive 6 ECTS-credit points for their successful participation in the seminar. Doctoral students of other Faculties will have to clarify within their Faculties if the participation can be awarded with ECTS-credit points. Students are assessed on the basis of their written abstract, their presentation and active participation; no grades will be provided ("pass/fail"). If you are interested in participating, **please register until Friday, 11 September 2015** at [info@menschenrechte.uzh.ch](mailto:info@menschenrechte.uzh.ch). Registrations are binding and will be prioritized based on date and time received. We would be very pleased to welcome you in our seminar. If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Kind regards,

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President of the Steering Committee UZHR

Dr. iur. Gabriela Medici  
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