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## **EVENTS / AKTIVITÄTEN**

**Lecture at the Internationaler Club La Redoute, Bonn (12 July 2010)/  
Vortrag im Internationalen Club La Redoute, Bonn (12. Juli 2010)**

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Peter Croll referiert am 12. Juli zum Thema „Entwicklungs- und Sicherheitspolitik im Kontext der Weltwirtschaftskrise“ im Internationalen Club La Redoute in Bonn.

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**Lecture at the University of Trier, Trier (15 July 2010)/  
Vortrag an der Universität Trier, Trier (15. Juli 2010)**

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Im Rahmen der Afrika-Vorlesungsreihe der Universität Trier wird Peter Croll am 15. Juli einen Vortrag mit dem Thema „Ursachen und Wirkungen der afrikanischen Migration nach Europa und ihre sicherheitsrelevanten Implikationen“ halten.

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**BICC Board of Trustees Meeting, Bonn (5 July 2010)/  
Gesellschafterversammlung des BICC, Bonn (5. Juli 2010)**

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Am 5. Juli wird die alljährliche Gesellschafterversammlung der BICC GmbH stattfinden.

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**Expert delegation from South Sudan visits Germany (24–29 June 2010)/  
Expertendelegation aus dem Südsudan besucht Deutschland (24. – 29. Juni 2010)**

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From 24 to 29 June, an expert delegation from South Sudan visited Berlin and Hermansburg. Talks with members of parliament, ministry staff members as well as the press and the public took place.

On 24 June, William Deng Deng, Chairperson of the South Sudan Disarmament, Demobilization and Reintegration Commission (SSDDRC), Daniel Deng Lual (Falasha), Chairman of Community Security und Arms Control (SSBCSAC), Zach Vertin, Horn of Africa Analyst, International Crisis Group (ICG), Waldemar Vrey, Head of the Justice and Security Sector Advisory Coordination Cell (JSSACC) in the UN Mission to Sudan (UNMIS), Southern Sudan, and Wolf-Christian Paes, Senior Program Manager at BICC and Technical Advisor in the SSDDRC, discussed in Berlin about the situation in South Sudan before the referendum in 2011.

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[http://www.bicc.de/uploads/pdf/events/Einladung\\_Suedsudan\\_Podiumsdiskussion\\_24\\_06\\_2010.pdf](http://www.bicc.de/uploads/pdf/events/Einladung_Suedsudan_Podiumsdiskussion_24_06_2010.pdf)

**BICC Workshop during the Deutsche Welle Global Media Forum, Bonn (22 June 2010)/**

**BICC Workshop beim Deutsche Welle Global Media Forum, Bonn (22. Juni 2010)**

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With more than 50 events, the Deutsche Welle Global Media Forum continued its annual successful international conference in 2010 from 21 to 23 June 2010 under the title “The Heat is on – Climate Change and the Media.” BICC contributed to this international conference on 22 June 2010, with the workshop “Environmental migration and conflict.”

The BICC workshop sought to disaggregate the nexus between climate change-induced migration and the scope for conflict in receiving areas by identifying and assessing the impact of these mitigating factors. Following a review of previous research and conceptualizations, the panelists Fabrice Renaud, Head Environmental Vulnerability and Energy Security Section UNU-EHS, Dennis Tänzler, Senior Project Manager Adelphi Research, Astrid Ziebarth, Program Officer GMF Berlin Office, Jerry Sommer, journalist and BICC Research Associate, and Andrea Warnecke, Senior Researcher at BICC, debated especially focused on the role and scope of action by relevant stakeholders—governments, NGOs, and the media—in receiving areas.

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**Kimberley Process Intersessional Conference, Tel Aviv, Israel (21–23 June 2010)/**

**Kimberley Prozess Konferenz, Tel Aviv, Israel (21. – 23. Juni 2010)**

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Marie Mueller participated in the international KP conference as representative of the Fatal Transactions network as part of the civil society coalition. The KP is an initiative that brings together governments, diamond industry and civil society organizations to impede the trade in conflict diamonds.

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**Conference: Security apparatuses in authoritarian and fragile states, Bonn (17–18 June 2010)/**

**Konferenz Sicherheitsapparate in autoritären und fragilen Staaten, Bonn (17. – 18. Juni 2010)**

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On 17 and 18 June, an international BICC conference on “Security Apparatuses in Authoritarian and Fragile States—Functions and Reform Potentials” took place at the Wissenschaftszentrum Bonn. The topics of the panels were:

- From Normative Prescription to Theory-based Context Analysis: Rationalities of Security Formations in Non-democratic Regimes
- The Roles and Functions of Security Forces in Fragile States
- Multi-level Security Governance: The Interplay of State and Non-State Actors
- Rule of Law and Democratization through SSR?
- Consequences for Research and Policymaking

This conference was supported by the German Foundation for Peace Research and the Foundation for International Dialogue of the Savings Bank of Bonn.

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### **23rd Annual Conference of the German Peace Psychology Association, Bielefeld (16–18 June 2010)/**

**23. Jahrestagung des Forum Friedenspsychologie e.V. (FFP), Bielefeld (16. – 18. Juni 2010)**

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Ananda S. Millard participated in the 23rd Annual Conference of the German Peace Psychology Association, hosted by the Institute for Interdisciplinary Research on Conflict and Violence, at the Center for Interdisciplinary Research (ZIF), University of Bielefeld. On 16 June, she gave a talk entitled: "Understanding types of wartime rape: addressing a current gap of knowledge."

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[http://www.friedenspsychologie.de/docs/Conference\\_PeacePsychology2010.pdf](http://www.friedenspsychologie.de/docs/Conference_PeacePsychology2010.pdf)

## **PRESS RELEASES / PRESSEERKLAERUNGEN**

### **16 June 2010 / 16. Juni 2010**

Internationale Kampagne Fatal Transactions kritisiert Verhaftung von Menschenrechtsaktivist in Simbabwe

[http://www.bicc.de/uploads/pdf/press/2010/PE\\_Simbabwe.pdf](http://www.bicc.de/uploads/pdf/press/2010/PE_Simbabwe.pdf)

### **4 June 2010 / 4. Juni 2010**

Weltbank muss Teil der Lösung werden: Entwicklungs- und Klimabank

[http://www.bicc.de/uploads/pdf/press/2010/PE\\_IWF\\_Tschad.pdf](http://www.bicc.de/uploads/pdf/press/2010/PE_IWF_Tschad.pdf)

### **2 June 2010 / 2. Juni 2010**

Rights groups express outrage at stage persecution of Zimbabwean activists

[http://www.bicc.de/uploads/pdf/press/2010/Zimbabwe\\_Final\\_CRD\\_Statement.pdf](http://www.bicc.de/uploads/pdf/press/2010/Zimbabwe_Final_CRD_Statement.pdf)

## **NEW PUBLICATIONS / NEUE PUBLIKATIONEN**

New policy paper on Climate change, migration and conflict

Within the framework of the Transatlantic Study Team on Climate-induced Migration, the German Marshall Fund of the United States has released eight background papers investigating the causes and repercussions of environmental migration. As part of the Study Team, together with Dennis Tänzler of Adelphi Research, Berlin, Andrea Warnecke and Ruth Vollmer have co-authored a paper entitled Climate Change, Migration, and Conflict: Receiving Communities under Pressure. All papers can be viewed and downloaded under the following link:

[http://www.gmfus.org/cs/publications/publication\\_view?publication.id=650](http://www.gmfus.org/cs/publications/publication_view?publication.id=650)

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Marie Müller. 2010. *Revenue transparency to mitigate the resource curse in the Niger Delta?* Occasional Paper V. Bonn: BICC, June (forthcoming)

Andrea Warnecke (ed.). 2010. *Diasporas and Peace: A Comparative Assessment of Ethiopian and Somali Organisations in Europe.* brief 42. Bonn: BICC, May.  
<http://www.bicc.de/index.php/publications/briefs/brief-42>

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