

International Criminal Court

Public Information and Outreach in Uganda Calendar of activities – June 2010

Overall Objective: To support the organisation of the Court's side events during the Review Conference; to disseminate information about the outcome of the Review Conference; to inform various constituencies about the mandate and work of the ICC.

Activity	Date	Place	Summary	Means of
				Verification
Provided support	June 1 - 11	Muynonyo	Outreach staff provided	
during the Review		Commonwealth	support throughout the	
Conference of the		Resort, Kampala	period of the Review	
Rome Statute			Conference.	
			Presentations/speeches of	
			keynote speakers and ICC	
			informational materials were	
			circulated among national	
			and international journalists	
			who were based in the	
			media centre. In this way,	
			the bulk of journalists who	
			did not have access to the	
			main conference area	
			received.	
			Relevant documents in a	
			timely manner.	
			Also during this period, the	
			team provided support in	

organising the Court's main side events carried out during the conference (multi-media exhibition, launch of female counsel campaign and moot-court).

On 2 June, the Court organised a multi-media exhibition titled "The road from Rome to Kampala". The exhibition took place in the ICC Field Office in Kampala, and it was attended by Senior Court Officials, States Parties delegates, the diplomatic community, local and international NGOs, the media and representatives of government ministries. As for the launch of female campaign event, PIDS staff in cooperation with the Uganda Law Society and FIDA facilitated the attendance over seventy Uganda female. PIDS also supported OPCD in publicising the moot court as well as audio-visual coverage of the event.

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School Outreach	15 June	Awere Senior	PIDS partnered with several	Sandard
session		Secondary; Gulu	schools in the Gulu district	feedback
		district, Acholi	on the day of the African	evaluation
		sub-region	Child to honour the	and question
			thousands of children who	forms
			have suffered and still	
			suffering in conflict	
			situations in different parts	
			of the world.	
			Attendance: 126	
School Outreach	16 June	Lukome Senior	PIDS partnered with several	
session		Secondary	schools in the Gulu district	
		School; Gulu	on the day of the African	
		district, Acholi	Child to honour the	
		sub-region	thousands of children who	
			have suffered and still	
			suffering in conflict	
			situations in different parts	
			of the world.	
			46 students and teachers.	
School Outreach	16 June	Sacred Heart	PIDS partnered with several	
session		Secondary	schools in the Gulu district	
		School, Gulu	on the day of the African	
		district, Acholi	Child to honour the	
		sub-region	thousands of children who	
			have suffered and still	
			suffering in conflict	
			situations in different parts	
			of the world.	
			Attendance: 642 students	
			and teachers.	

School Outreach	17 June	Bishop Angelo	PIDS partnered with several	
session		Negri secondary	schools in the Gulu district	
		school, Gulu	on the day of the African	
		District, Acholi	Child to honour the	
		sub-region	thousands of children who	
			have suffered and still	
			suffering in conflict	
			situations in different parts	
			of the world.	
			Attendance: 600	
School Outreach	18 June	Parents	PIDS partnered with several	
session		Comprehensive	schools in the Gulu district	
		college, Gulu	on the day of the African	
		district, Acholi	Child to honour the	
		sub-region	thousands of children who	
			have suffered and still	
			suffering in conflict	
			situations in different parts	
			of the world.	
			Attendance: 186 students	
			and teachers	
Live radio talk show	16 June	Mega Fm, Gulu	Outreach organized a special	Questions
hosted by children		district, Acholi	live radio dialogue on Mega	and concerns
		sub-region	Fm, a community radio	raised during
		northern Uganda	based in Gulu for students	the radio
			and a special guest from the	programme
			NGO War Child - Canada to	
			highlight issues related to	
			war crimes of an	
			international nature and	
			abuses allegedly committed	

			particularly against children	
			by different armed actors	
			during conflicts. People	
			asked questions about	
			heinous acts such as murder,	
			conscription, abduction,	
			slavery, torture and rape.	
			Audience: An estimated	
			audience of 1.5 million	
			people in northern Uganda	
			listened to the programme	
			while over twenty people	
			called to asked questions or	
			make comments.	
Briefing for	22 June	Kampala	The briefing was organised	Monthly
University law			for students attending the	report
students			summer law programme in	- Feedback
			the Uganda Christian	from the
			University. Outreach staff	group
			provided a general overview	attending the
			of the work of the Court and	meeting
			gave highlight on the	-Standard
			Review Conference which	feedback
			concluded in Kampala on	evaluation
			June 11. The session was	and question
			very interactive and	forms
			students asked a lot	
			questions which were	
			responded to by the	
			Outreach team	
			Number of Audience: 12	

Radio programmes	8-30 June	Acholi, Lango,	The radio programmes	
implemented by		Teso and Madi	implemented by outreach	
partners in the		sub-regions.	partners in the four most	
affected communities			affected sub-regions	
			continue to attract	
			listenership in their	
			respective localities. These	
			interactive radio	
			programmes provide	
			information about the work	
			of the Court once every	
			week in the local languages	
			where they are located.	
			In the course of sixteen (16)	
			radio programmes during	
			the month of reporting, over	
			four million people in the	
			affected communities of the	
			Acholi, Lango, Teso and	
			Madi sub-regions were	
			reached.	
Reporting of daily	12 -30 June	Kampala	The team prepared daily	Daily press
activities, daily media			reports and sent to HQ;	cuttings of
monitoring, inputting			monitored media trends to	ICC related
information into			keep track of ICC related	stories
Outreach database			stories and took appropriate	
compiling/entering			interventions when it was	
and evaluating			required.	
frequently asked				
questions.				