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## The Department of Political Sciences and The Journalism Programme

*invite you to a seminar on the topic of*

**Protecting the right to life of journalists: ensuring a  
higher level of attention**

**presented by**

**Prof Christof Heyns**

Christof Heyns is Professor of Human Rights Law and Co-Director, Institute for International and Comparative Law in Africa, Faculty of Law, University of Pretoria and United Nations Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions. This presentation draws on the report delivered by Prof Heyns as UN Special Rapporteur to the Human Rights Council on 19 June 2012, A/HRC/20/22, which in turn benefitted from background research done by the staff of the mandate in Geneva and Pretoria and the Centre of Governance and Human Rights, University of Cambridge, UK.

Stephan Hofstatter and Mzilikazi wa Afrika, two journalists from the *Sunday Times*, will act as respondents.

**Date:** Tuesday 16 October  
**Time:** 11.00-12.30  
**Venue:** Seminar Room, HSB 21-16