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ASIL Publications and Resources

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[General Principles of International Law: Independence of the Judiciary](#) (*International Judicial Monitor*, Volume 1, Issue 2)

Transnational Judicial Dialogue at ASIL

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[Universal Declaration, Article 10](#) (Right to a fair trial by an independent and impartial tribunal)

[International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, Article 14](#). (Right to a fair trial by an independent and impartial tribunal)

[UN Basic Principles on Independence of the Judiciary](#)

[UN Basic Principles on the Role of Lawyers](#)

[Bangalore Principles of Judicial Conduct](#)

[Universal Charter of the Judge](#)

[Statement of Principles on the Independence of the Judiciary in the LAWASIA Region](#) (6th Conference of Chief Justices of Asia and the Pacific)

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[Office of the UN Special Rapporteur on the Independence of Judges and Lawyers](#)

[International Commission of Jurists](#)

[International Association of Judges](#)

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[Pakistan Ministry of Law, Justice, & Human Rights](#)

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