

## Special Issue

# The Anticorruption Protocol to the United Nations Convention against Corruption (APUNCAC)

### Message from the Guest Editor

Corruption and impunity continue to plague the best efforts of activists to fight poverty and violations of basic human rights. It is evident that international action is needed. However, the precise nature of the required response is unclear.

The Special Issue focuses on the strategy embodied in the Anticorruption Protocol of the United Nations Convention against Corruption (APUNCAC). APUNCAC seeks to implement aggressive measures to fight corruption and impunity, including United Nations inspectors who would conduct independent investigations into allegations of corruption, then hand these cases to dedicated anticorruption courts insulated from domestic interference and manipulation.

The Special Issue will contribute to scholarship in the fields of anticorruption, international public law, the rule of law, and international governance, with a focus on the potential of international law as a social institution that could be adapted to fight corruption and impunity.

For more information, including access to the text of APUNCAC and related publications, please visit the APUNCAC website: <http://stopglobalcorruption.com>

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