

Erin Hunt

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Humanitarian disarmament expert focusing on indiscriminate weapons, victim assistance, casualties and international disarmament treaties.

Biography

Erin Hunt is the Program Manager at Mines Action Canada. She has been working in humanitarian disarmament in various capacities since 2006 and doing public education on the Ottawa Treaty banning landmines since 2003. She contributes to the work of the International Campaign to Ban Landmines, the Cluster Munition Coalition, the International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons and the Campaign to Stop Killer Robots. Erin was a member of the civil society negotiating team during the 2017 process to negotiate the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons with the Nobel Peace Laureate International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons. She can speak about gender and disarmament, and Canadian policies on disarmament issues more broadly. Erin has a master's degree in Human Security and Peacebuilding from Royal Roads University.

Industry Expertise

International Affairs, Non-Profit/Charitable, International Trade and Development

Areas of Expertise

Disarmament, Landmines, Cluster Munitions, Nuclear Weapons, Civil Society Campaigning, Indiscriminate weapons, Explosive weapons , Assistance to victims of armed conflict, Killer robots

Event Appearances

Ignominious Anniversary: Remembering Hiroshima

Ethics in Tech Event For The 75th Anniversary of Hiroshima

The PANEL

The AI Arms Race Should We Be Worried? (http://www.cpac.ca/en/programs/public-record/episodes/61295742?fbclid=IwAR1GrNN5PnBjVknCLZIY-jrnUY2fVe3iRuHLEGmUkl2QxD1QIZHKVwR_iWc)

Campaign to Stop Killer Robots Statement

United Nations General Assembly First Committee First Committee
(http://reachingcriticalwill.org/images/documents/Disarmament-fora/1com/1com16/statements/12Oct_CSKR.pdf)

Statement on Victim Assistance

United Nations Open Ended Working Group taking forward multilateral nuclear disarmament negotiations (http://www.reachingcriticalwill.org/images/documents/Disarmament-fora/OEWG/2016/Statements/10May_MinesActionCanada.pdf)

Worldwide Investments in Cluster Munitions; a shared responsibility

6th Meeting of States Parties to the Convention on Cluster Munitions

Statement on Weapons Reviews

United Nations Convention on Conventional Weapons (<https://stopkillerrobots.ca/2016/04/13/mines-action-canadas-intervention-on-article-36-weapons-reviews/>)

Worldwide Investments in Cluster Munitions; a shared responsibility

First Review Conference of the Convention on Cluster Munitions

Equal Basis Report Launch

14th Meeting of States Parties to Mine Ban Treaty

Statement on Autonomous Weapons Systems

United Nations Convention on Conventional Weapons (<https://stopkillerrobots.ca/2015/04/13/mines-action-canadas-opening-statement-at-convention-on-conventional-weapons/>)

Education

Royal Roads University

Masters of Arts Human Security and Peacebuilding

University of Victoria

Bachelor of Arts Political Science

Accomplishments

2017 Nobel Peace Prize

Active campaigner with the International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons (ICAN) which was awarded the 2017 Nobel Peace Prize for efforts to promote nuclear disarmament and negotiate the 2017 Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons. Erin was actively involved in the humanitarian initiative leading up to the negotiations and was a key member of ICAN's negotiating team focusing on the positive obligations found in Articles 6 and 7 in the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons.

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