

CICR

Humanitarians and their moral stance in war : the underlying values / Eva Wortel

Document type:	Article
Title:	Humanitarians and their moral stance in war : the underlying values
Host item entries:	International review of the Red Cross,
Author zone:	Eva Wortel
Language(s):	eng
Abstract:	In this article, the moral values underlying humanitarian principles are analysed. What were these original moral values? Have they changed? To what extent are they in danger today? Has humanity itself become an instrumental value? To answer these questions, the author examines the humanitarian discourse: firstly, how these values have been described by humanitarians themselves, and secondly, how they are used by humanitarians in specific contexts.
Keyword in French:	MORALE HUMANITAIRE PRINCIPES FONDAMENTAUX DE LA CROIX-ROUGE CODE DE CONDUITE ACTEUR NON ETATIQUE CICR
Keyword in English:	HUMANITARIAN MORALITY FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES OF THE RED CROSS CODE OF CONDUCT NON-STATE ACTOR ICRC
Authors:	Wortel, Eva
Go to:	International review of the Red Cross / ICRC International review of the Red Cross [Vol. 91, no. 876, December 2009] / ICRC