

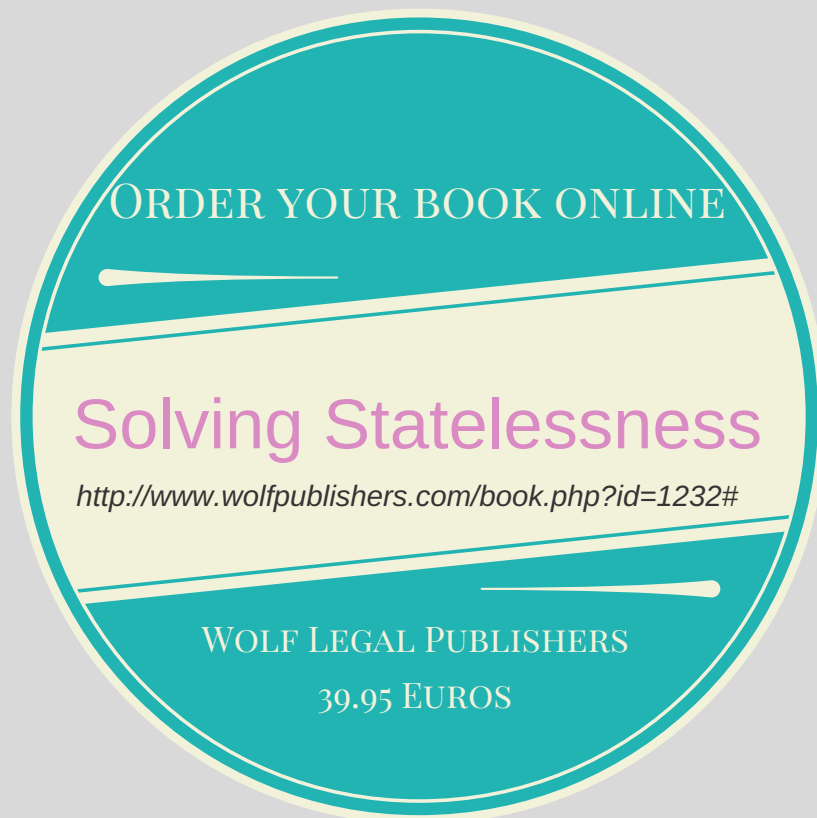
# SOLVING STATELESSNESS

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The book has been described by **Irene Khan**, Director-General of the International Development Law Organisation, as “essential reading for the human rights advocate or development practitioner who is committed to reaching and protecting the most marginalised in society. It amply demonstrates that unless the problem of statelessness is solved, the obligations of human rights, the aspirations of development and the rule of law will never be fully realised. Importantly, it also shows how statelessness can be solved, and so is of great practical and theoretical importance”.



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