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PROGRAMME OF THE 2012 SESSION

First Period: 9-27 July

PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW

**Inaugural Conference:
The United Nations and
International Law-Making** (9 July)

Mahnoush H. ARSANJANI
Former Director, Codification
Division of the United Nations
Office of Legal Affairs, New York

* **General Course
(The Creativity of International Law)**
(9-27 July)

Serge SUR
Professor at the University
Panthéon-Assas, Paris

**Human Rights of Undocumented
Migrants** (9-13 July)

Loretta ORTIZ AHLF
Professor at Iberoamericano
University, Mexico D.F.

* **The Independence of Arbitral
Bodies Established in the
Framework of International
Organizations** (9-13 July)

Nassib G. ZIADÉ
Former Deputy Secretary-General,
International Centre for Settlement
of Investment Disputes (ICSID),
The World Bank, Washington D.C.

**Jus Cogens at the International
Court of Justice** (16-20 July)

YEE Sienho
Changjiang Xuezhong Professor
at Wuhan University Institute of
International Law, China

**The African Union and
International Law** (16-20 July)

H.E. Abdulqawi YUSUF
Judge at the International Court
of Justice

* **Effects on Individuals of Protection
Systems under International Law**
(23-27 July)

Christophe SWINARSKI
Former Legal Counsel
of the ICRC, Geneva

**Significance of the History of the
Law of Nations in Europe and
East Asia** (23-27 July)

Masaharu YANAGIHARA
Professor at Kyushu University,
Japan

Second Period: 30 July-17 August

PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL LAW

* **Inaugural Conference
Conflicts of Laws and Uniform Law
In Contemporary Private Inter-
national Law : Dilemma or
Convergence?** (30 July)

Didier OPERTTI BADÁN
Professor at the Catholic University
of Montevideo

**General Course
(The Law of the Open Society)**
(6-17 August)

Jürgen BASEDOW
Director of the Max Planck
Institute for Comparative and Inter-
national Private Law, Hamburg

**The Private International Law
Dimension of the Security Council's
Economic Sanctions**
(30 July-3 August)

Nerina BOSCHIERO
Professor at the University
of Milan

* **The New Codification of Chinese
Private International Law**
(30 July-3 August)

CHEN Weizuo
Professor at Tsinghua University,
Beijing

**Applying Foreign Public Law In
Private International Law –
A Comparative Approach**
(30 July-3 August)

Andrey LISITSYN-SVETLANOV
Professor at the Institute of State
and Law, Russian Academy
of Sciences, Moscow

* **Party Autonomy in Private
International Law: A Universal
Principle between Liberalism
and Statism** (6-10 August)

Christian KOHLER
Honorary Director-General at the
Court of Justice of the European
Union, Luxembourg

**Applying the most Favourable
Treaty or Domestic Rules to
Facilitate Private International
Law Co-operation** (6-10 August)

Maria Blanca NOODT TAQUELA
Professor at the University
of Buenos Aires

* **Bioethics in Private International
Law** (13-17 August)

Mathias AUDIT
Professor at the University
of Paris Ouest Nanterre La
Défense

**Compétence-Compétence in the
Face of Illegality in Contracts and
Arbitration Agreements**

Richard H. KREINDLER
Professor at the University
of Münster

* Lecture delivered in French, simultaneously interpreted into English.

SEMINARS FOR DIPLOMA CANDIDATES AND POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS

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English-speaking section:

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Panthéon-Sorbonne

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Arnaud NUYTS, Professor at the Université libre of Brussels

CENTRE FOR STUDIES AND RESEARCH: 20 August-7 September 2012

After the regular courses, the Academy's Center for Studies and Research in International Law and International Relations will be in session. Participation in the work of the Center is open to jurists who are highly qualified by their intellectual maturity and experience in international law. The participants, in two groups of about twelve in each, must follow the directed courses, without interruption, in French or in English and produce a personal work of research.

Subject of research: CRIMINAL ACTS AT SEA

Directors of Studies:

French-speaking section: **Dr. Kimberley N. TRAPP**, Lecturer at Newnham College, University of Cambridge

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