

International Association of Law Libraries Newsletter | December 2017

News from the Board

The IALL Course in Atlanta



IALL's 36th Annual Course on International Law and Legal Information was held in Atlanta, Georgia, USA – from 22nd – 26th October – and it was on all counts a tremendous success, more so when keeping in mind the short time frame the Local Planning Committee was given to organize it.

The highly informative and one-of-a-kind program that could only be possible in Atlanta, was the result of careful, sensitive and intelligent planning by the members of the Committee. The Committee excelled in the organizational stakes together with being friendly and helpful hosts, something for which the state of Georgia is renowned. Congratulations and sincere thanks are duly deserved and bestowed upon each of the Committee members.

An email sent out to the IALL e-list on 21 November by the Chair of the Local Planning Committee, Christina Glon, has requested all attendees to **please fill in the Survey**:

Below is a link to a brief survey asking your thoughts on everything from the program and venue to the outings and events. The survey is short and your honest feedback is sincerely requested:

Survey – IALL 36th Annual Course // Atlanta, Georgia, USA

The official photographer and Committee member, Avery Le, posted an email directing attendees to the photos she took during the Course:

As promised, here is the shared folder of most of the photos I took at the IALL Annual Course: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/0B3q7Lot3tj4hQkVneEZ6SGg4OEk?usp=sharing

I set it so that you can add your own photos of IALL also, so if you have any that you would like to share with the delegates, please feel free to upload or drag and drop it into the folder as well.

Several people have written informative blogs on the various topics presented including the pre-conference Workshop under the heading, *IALL 2017 Recap*, which may be viewed at <u>DipLawMatic Dialogues</u>

A report on the Atlanta Course, *Thank you, Atlanta!* written by the IALL President, Jeroen Vervliet, may be viewed on the IALL Blog.

The <u>IALL Blog</u> welcomes contributions from both members and colleagues. If you would like to submit a piece please contact <u>Daniel Boyer</u>

The 2018 IALL Annual Course

For noting in your diary for next year – The Max Planck Institute for International European and Regulatory Procedural Law in Luxembourg will host the IALL Annual Course 2018, It will take place from Sunday 30 September - Wednesday 3 October 2018. Professor Burkhard Hess, one of the two Directors of the Institute, and Juja Chakarova, the Library Director, have oversight of the program.

Renew your IALL membership NOW for 2018!!

Renewal of IALL membership is due before 1 January 2018.

Barbara Garavaglia, IALL Vice President, recently sent an email to the IALL e-list as follows:

If you are a current 2017 IALL member you will be receiving a renewal email for your 2018 membership from our membership database < IAOLL36@wildapricot.org> within the next few days. The email will also include a renewal invoice generated by the system.

Renewals should be made using our secure online form at < https://iall.org/membershipSA/> using our preferred payment by credit card. If this isn't possible please pay using the alternative payment methods listed on the invoice.

If you are not a current member, you may also join using the online form. If you need an invoice please contact me via email to <u>vicepresident@iall.org</u> and I will send you an invoice.

Please let me know if you have any questions. We greatly appreciate your continuing membership.

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