



International Association of Law Libraries Newsletter | November 2018

News from the Board

The IALL Course in Luxembourg



IALA's 37th Annual Course on International Law and Legal Information was held in Luxembourg from 30th September – 3rd October 22nd.

For those who were unable to attend the conference the [IALA Blog](#) of 3rd November written by the IALL President, Jereon Vervliet, shares details of the programme and gives acknowledgement to those who made it such a success:

"We wholeheartedly thank both professors, the programme speakers, and the hard-working MPI LUX Local Planning Committee: Martina Winkel, Sabrina Logrillo, Irina Kühn, Allan Mulondo, and Roger Yerburch. We also thank Juja Chakarova for initiating the adventure, paving the way, and contributing to IALL's 2018 meeting. In addition, we could not have done without our fantastic sponsors, whom we also thank for their generosity."

The success of the Course may be summed up by the words of Julienne E. Grant in her 17th October post on [DipLawMatic Dialogues](#) where she said:

"The IALL Course itself was outstanding. Focusing on the theme of "Law in Luxembourg—Where Local Tradition Meets European and International Innovation," the various speakers collectively offered a fascinating glimpse of the multiple layers of Luxembourgish law, as well as selected aspects of EU and international law. Ranging from a local practitioner to scholars from the Max Planck Institute Luxembourg for Procedural Law, the speakers were engaging and progressive."

Again, for those unable to attend the conference the many tweets sent may be read on the [IALA2018](#) official twitter feed.

An email sent to the IALL e-list on 31 October by members of the Local Planning Committee requested all attendees to fill out a Survey:

- *The IALL would appreciate to have your feedback on the conference. Therefore we kindly ask you to participate in this Post-Event Feedback Survey: [IALA 2018 Post-Event-Feedback Survey](#)*

The email further advised of the following:

- *The presentations of some conference speakers have been uploaded on the conference website. Others will follow as soon as we have the speakers' consent. You will find the presentations in the programme: <http://iall.org/conf2018/program/>*
- *Besides this we would like to share some pictures of the event with you. A picture gallery will be uploaded on the conference website <http://iall.org/conf2018/> soon.*

IALL Bursary Award Recipients 2018

IALL awarded three regular professional development bursaries to attend the 37th Annual Course in October 2018 in Luxembourg to

- Yee Xin Chai, Research Librarian, Singapore Management University
- Adama Kone, Head of Documentation & Archives Services, National Assembly of the Ivory Coast
- Beth Parker, Assistant Director of Operations & Collections; Adjunct Professor of Law, Nova Southeastern University, USA

In addition, exceptionally, Mr Bright Kwaku Avuglah, Senior Library Assistant, University of Ghana School of Law, Ghana will be using his 2017 bursary award to enable him to attend the Luxembourg Course.

IALL also awarded three Members-Only bursaries to attend the 37th Annual Course in October 2018 in Luxembourg to:

- Catherine Deane, Research specialist, Sherman and Sterling, USA
- Amy Flick, Foreign, Comparative, and International Law Librarian, Emory University, USA
- Kamil Yeşiltaş, Head of Reference Services, Law School Liaison, Koc University, Turkey

Congratulations to all award recipients and we look forward to reading their brief trip reports via the IALL Blog.

The [IALL Blog](#) welcomes contributions from both members and colleagues. If you would like to submit a piece, please contact [Daniel Boyer](#)

The 2019 IALL Annual Course

For noting in your diary for next year – The 38th Annual Course of the International Association of Law Libraries will take place in [Sydney, Australia, from October 27 to October 30, 2019](#).

And in the words of the IALL President, Jereon Vervliet, "I [we] hope to meet you there!"

Renew your IALL membership NOW for 2019!!

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

*If you are a current **2018** IALL member you will be receiving a renewal invoice for your 2019 membership from our membership database <IAOLL36@wildapricot.org> during the week of November 4th. The emailed renewal invoice is generated by the system.*

Renewals should be made using our secure online form found by clicking on the Membership Application Form link at <<http://iall.org/join-iall/>>. Dues payments should be made using our preferred payment by credit card method. 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 vicepresident@iall.org and I will send you an invoice.

Please let me know if you have any questions by emailing me at vicepresident@iall.org. We greatly appreciate your continuing membership.

The Nominating Committee for the IALL Board Election (2019-2022)

As stated in an email in August this year by the IALL Secretary, David Gee,

*The first step in the IALL election process is the appointment of a **three person Nominating Committee**. Once appointed, the **Nominating Committee** will begin its work to establish a slate of candidates for the 2019 election. The work of the **Nominating Committee** includes polling IALL members for proposed candidates for office and reviewing candidate eligibility, ability, commitment, and institutional support for and/or permission to serve on the Board.*

The 3-person Committee has been formed and comprises:

Lesley Dingle – Chair
Rene Winter
Marci Hoffman

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**May we send our good wishes to all our
friends and colleagues for the Festive
Season and a happy (and peaceful) New
Year.**



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