INTERNATIONAL LEGAL CHALLENGES FOR THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY



This is the first joint conference of the Australian and New Zealand Society of International Law and the American Society of International Law and the first time that ASIL has met in the southern hemisphere. The Conference will address issues such as international litigation and arbitration, the WTO, intervention in international law, international law in the Asia-Pacific region, international criminal law and theories of international law.

Monday 26 June 2000 Sydney*

Conference **Inter Continental Hotel** Informal Dinner Hyde Park Barracks Cafe

> Tuesday 27 June 2000 travel Sydney to Canberra

Wednesday & Thursday 28 & 29 June 2000 Canberra*

Conference **University House Australian National University**

Conference dinner Parliament House Wednesday 28 June

Informal evening function

*Delegates may attend in one or both venues



ASIL was founded in 1906 with the purpose of educating and engaging the public in international law. With 4,500 members from more than 100 countries it brings together the everwidening circle of professionals through news and studies, by organising conferences, meetings and research groups, and arranging local networks and issue-specific groups.

ANZSIL was established in 1992. Its secretariat is based at the Centre for International and Public Law at the Australian National University in Canberra. The aims of ANZSIL include providing a forum for the discussion of research and practice in international law and increasing public awareness of international law. This is the eighth annual conference organised by the Society.



The Centre for International and Public Law is part of the Faculty of Law of the Australian National University in Canberra. Its primary focus is on the relationship between governments, and between governments and their citizens, from both a domestic and an international perspective.

MONDAY 26 JUNE Sydney MONDAY 26 JUNE

9:30 Opening and Keynote Address The Hon. Justice Michael Kirby, High Court of Australia

Panel 1: Dispute and the WTO: Success or failure?

Chair: Ross Ramsay (Deacons Graham

& James, Sydney)

Panelists: Frederick Abbott (Chicago Kent)

Hon. Richard Fisher (Deputy USTR)*

 $\textbf{Jan McDonald} \; (\mathsf{Bond} \; \mathsf{U})$

Sundhya Pahuja (Melbourne U)

Seymour Rubin (American U)*

Panel 2: Formulating and enforcing competition law in a global economy

Chair: Mark Joelson (DC Bar)

Panelists: Alan Fels (Chair, ACCC)

Jill McKeogh (UNSW)

Warren Pengilley (Deacon Graham & James)

Hon. Diane Wood (US Appeals Court)

12:30 Lunch address

Thomas Franck (former President, ASIL)

Panel 3: International environment law:
Covering the gaps in the 21st century

Chair: Edith Brown Weiss (Georgetown)

Panelists: Elana Geddis (Ministry FA&T,

NZ)

4:00

Gunther Handl (Tulane)

Dan Tarlock (Chicago Kent)

Martijn Wilder (Baker & McKenzie)

2:00 Panel 4: Issues in international arbitration

Chair: Charles Brower (White & Case)

Panelists: Garry Downes QC Gavan Griffith QC (Melbourne Bar)

Kathleen Paisley (Morrison & Foerster, Brus)

Michael Pryles (Minter Ellison)

Panel 5: Antarctica and the Southern Ocean: 40 years of the Antarctic Treaty

Chair: Don Mackay (Ministry FA&T, NZ)

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Panelists: Sam Blay (UTS)

Christopher Joyner (Georgetown)

Stuart Kaye (Tasmania U)

Felicity Wong (Ministry FA & T, NZ)

4:00 Panel 6: Litigating international law in national courts

Chair: Susan Karamanian (Locke Liddell)

Panelists: Alison Duxbury (Monash U)

Andreas Lowenfeld (NYU)*

Hon. Peter Nygh

7:00 Informal dinner

WEDNESDAY 28 JUNE Canberra

Welcome and Keynote Address
The Hon. Alexander Downer,
Australian Minister for Foreign Affairs

Panel 1: Is there an Asia-Pacific regional 11:00 law?

Chair: Sir Kenneth Keith (NZ Court of

Appeal)

11:00

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Panelists: Transform Agorau (SPFA)

David Goddard (Wellington Bar)
Donald Rothwell (Sydney U)

Robin Warner (ADF)

11:00

diversity

Panel 2: Recent developments in international criminal law

Chair: Tim McCormack (Melbourne U)

Panelists: Jose Alvarez (Columbia)

Helen Durham (Australian Red Cross)

Chair: Jonathan Charney (Vanderbilt)

Panelists: Ted McDorman (UVic)

Victor Prescott (Melbourne U)

Gillian Triggs (Melbourne U)

Panel 3: Maritime boundary

settlements through joint

development zones

David Ong (Essex)

1:30

Panel 9: Intervention and international law

Chair: Kristen Walker (Melbourne U)

THURSDAY 29 JUNE

Canberra

Kevnote Address

The Hon. Daryl Williams,

law for the 21st century

Karen Engle (Utah)

Thomas Franck (NYU)

Karen Knop (Toronto U)

Anne Orford (Melbourne U)

Australian Attorney-General

Panel 7: Theories of international

Chair: David Kennedy (Harvard)

Panelists: Deborah Cass (ANU)

Panel 8: Human rights and cultural

Chair: Robert McCorquodale (ANU)

Panelists: Tony Anghie (Utah)

Sarah Pritchard (Sydney Bar)

Alison Quentin-Baxter (NZ)

Andrew Byrnes (Hong Kong U)

Panelists: Jan Linehan

Pene Mathew (Melbourne U)
Mary Ellen O'Connell (Ohio State)

Gerry Simpson (ANU)

Ralphe Wilde (Cambridge)

Panel 4: Teaching international law

Chair: Ruth Wedgwood (Yale)

Panelists: John King Gamble (Penn

State)

Catherine Iorns (Victoria U, Wellington)

Dianne Otto (Melbourne U)

Guigo Wang (City U Hong Kong)

Panel 10: Issues of international law in federal systems

Chair: Rebecca Irwin (AGs)

Panelists: Henry Burmester (AGs)

Brian Galligan (Melbourne U)
Jane Stromseth (Georgetown)

Mark Tushnet (Georgetown)

Panel 5: Indigenous rights in international law

Chair: Shelley Wright (Sydney U)

Panelists: Larissa Behrendt (ANU)

Makere Harawira (Auckland U)

Panel 6: Comparative lessons from national treaty regimes

Chair: David Wirth (Boston College)

Panelists: Bill Campbell (AGs)

Mai Chen (Chen & Palmer, NZ)

David Kinley (Monash)

Linda Malone (William & Mary)

7:00 Conference dinner Parliament House

Convenors: Hilary Charlesworth, President, ANZSIL; Susan Karamanian, former Vice President, ASIL

Plenary panel: Reviewing the year of international law

Chair: Ivan Shearer (Sydney U)

Panelists: Philip Alston (EUI)

Christine Chinkin (LSE)

Treasa Dunworth (Auckland U)
Ruth Wedgwood (Yale)

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3:30





REGISTRATION FORM

26 June 2000 Sydney 28 & 29 June 2000 Canberra

Early-bird rate by **5 May 2000**Registration by **9 June 2000**

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ANZSIL / ASIL member early-bird rate	\$325	ANZSIL / ASIL member early-bird rate	\$245
ANZSIL / ASIL member rate after 5 May	\$375	ANZSIL / ASIL member rate after 5 May	\$295
speaker / chair rate	\$275	speaker / chair rate	\$220
full-time student rate (proof required)	\$210	full-time student rate (proof required)	\$150
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Sydney dinner guest	\$65	Sydney dinner guest	\$65
Canberra dinner* (28 June)	\$75	Total A\$	
Canberra dinner guest	\$75	Canberra <u>only</u>	
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		speaker / chair rate	\$175
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SYDNEY

The Conference venue in Sydney is the Inter Continental Hotel, a beautifully restored historic building in the heart of the city and a two-minute walk from the glorious Sydney Harbour with its distinctive Bridge and Opera House. Accommodation can be reserved at this or other hotels in the central city area (further details below) by using the Accommodation Reservation Forms included with this brochure.

An informal conference dinner will be held at the Hyde Park Barracks Cafe which is situated in the grounds of the original barracks built to house the soldiers who kept law and order in Sydney's early years. The short walk to the restaurant from the Inter Continental Hotel will take you along historic Macquarie Street past some of Sydney's most magnificent colonial buildings. Please note that numbers for this dinner are strictly limited to 80. Delegates are welcome to bring a guest. For those who wish to make other dining arrangements, the Inter Continental Hotel has a range of dining areas, and the

Harbour foreshore with a selection of cafes and restaurants is only a two-minute walk away.

TRAVEL from SYDNEY to CANBERRA

Information on travel options for this journey of 300 kilometres is included on the separate Travel Information Sheet in the brochure for US delegates.

CANBERRA

The Conference venue in Canberra is University House at the Australian National University in the central city. Accommodation can be reserved at this comfortable residence or other hotels in the central city area (further details below) by using the Accommodation Reservation Forms included with this brochure. On Wednesday evening there will be a dinner at the new Parliament House, preceded by an optional short guided tour of this magnificent building. Delegates are welcome to bring a guest.

TRAVEL

Delegates are to make all their own arrangements for travel to and from Australia, and for any travel within Australia including travel from Sydney to Canberra on Tuesday 27 June. Information on travel options for this journey of 300 kilometres is included on a separate sheet in this brochure for US delegates.

ACCOMMODATION

The Conference Secretariat has made a number of block bookings for the conference but is not handling any individual bookings. Delegates are to make their own accommodation bookings directly to the hotel of their choice. An Accommodation Reservation Form for each hotel is included with this brochure. All accommodation enquiries should be made directly to the hotel of your choice.

TRAVEL within Australia

The following information applies to those making bookings in Australia. US delegates making bookings from the USA should refer to the Travel Information Sheet.

We are pleased to have chosen Ansett Australia as the Official Airline for our conference. To ensure that Ansett continue their valuable support to our committee, it is essential that you make your travel arrangements through the Ansett Australia National Reservations department on 131300 and quote masterfile number MC 22071 to obtain a 40% discount off the normal economy airfare. This is an unrestricted fare with no cancellation penalties. However, it is subject to availability. Your Ansett Australia consultant will be happy to advise the best airfare applicable to your travel requirements.

Dress and Climate

Although the Conference Dinner in Canberra is a formal occasion, dress is still fairly informal: lounge suit for men, smart daywear for women. US delegates are reminded that June is the middle of the Australian winter and although you are unlikely to encounter snow it can be very cold, especially at night. Average daily temperatures in Sydney in June are 9 degrees to 16 degrees Celsius (48-62 F), and in Canberra 1 degree to 12 degrees Celsius (34-55 F).

ACCOMMODATION - Sydney

The following hotels are holding block bookings for the nights of Sunday 25 and Monday 26 June. Your reservation should be made on the appropriate form included with this brochure and faxed directly to the hotel. Please note the closing date for making reservations is 28 April for the Inter Continental Hotel (the conference venue) and 25 May for the other hotels. No rooms can be guaranteed after these dates.

Hotel Inter Continental Sydney (Conference venue)

117 Macquarie Street, Sydney NSW 2000

Tel: + 61 2 9230 0200 Fax: + 61 2 9240 1240

email: sydney@interconti.com web: www.interconti.com

Rate: A\$236.50 per night (A\$215 + 10% tax) for Harbour View Room

A\$192.50 per night (A\$175 + 10% tax) for City View Room

Reservations should be made by 28 April 2000

Central Park Hotel (10 min. walk to conference venue)

185 Castlereagh Street (cnr Park & Castlereagh Sts)

Sydney NSW 2000

Tel: +61 2 9283 5000 Fax: +61 2 9283 2710

email: centralpark@centralpark.com.au

web: www.centralpark.com.au

Rate: A\$159.50 per night (A\$145 + 10% tax)

(includes complimentary continental room service breakfast)

Reservations should be made by 25 May 2000

Country Comfort Sydney Central (20 min. walk / 5 min. taxi ride to conference venue)

cnr George and Quay Streets, Sydney NSW 2000

Tel: +61 2 9212 2544 Fax: +61 2 9281 3794

web: www.touraust.com

Rate: A\$148.50 per night (A\$135 + 10% tax)

Reservations should be made by 25 May 2000

The Southern Cross Sydney (7 min. walk to conference venue)

cnr Elizabeth & Goulburn Streets, Sydney NSW 2000

Tel: +61 2 9282 0987 Fax: +61 2 9211 8130 email: a.reuter@bigpond.com.au

Rate: A\$115 per night (includes tax)

Reservations should be made by 25 May 2000

ACCOMMODATION - Canberra

The following hotels are holding block bookings for the nights ot Tuesday 27, Wednesday 28 and Thursday 29 June. Your reservation should be made on the appropriate form included with this brochure and faxed directly to the hotel. Please note the closing dates for making reservations, particularly the closing date of 2 June 2000 for those wishing to stay at University House (the conference venue). No rooms can be guaranteed after these dates.

University House (principal conference venue)

1 Balmain Crescent, Acton ACT 2600

Tel: + 61 2 6249 5211 Fax: + 61 2 6249 5252

email: accommodation.unihouse@anu.edu.au

web: www.anu.edu.au/unihouse

Rate: A\$83 per night (single) A\$92 (twin) A\$95 (double) Reservations should be made by **2 June 2000**

Hyatt Hotel Canberra (5 min. taxi ride to conference venue)

Commonwealth Avenue, Yarralumla ACT 2600

Tel: + 61 2 6270 1234 Fax: + 61 2 6281 5998 email: canberra@hyatt.com.au

web: www.hyatt.com.au Rate: A\$195 per night

(Group reservation number 22899)

Reservations should be made by 26 May 2000

Rydges Canberra (10 min. walk / 3 min. taxi ride to conference venue)

London Circuit, Canberra ACT 2600

Tel: + 61 2 6267 1200 Fax: + 61 2 6257 3071

email: reservations_canberra@rydges.com

web: www.rydges.com Rate: A\$120 per night

Reservations should be made by 19 May 2000