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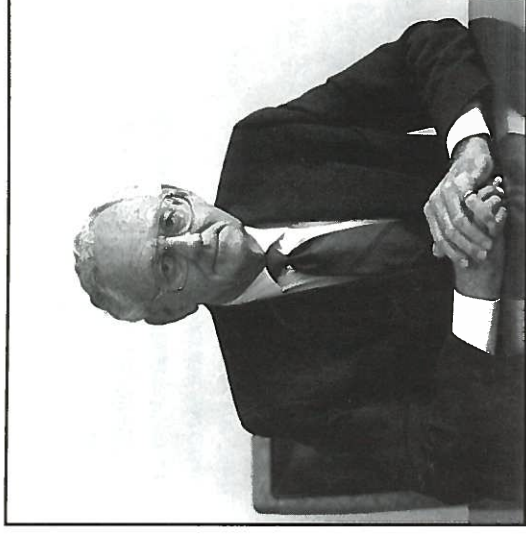
Procession:	Faculty and Class of 2000
Welcoming Address:	Professor D.J. Attard Director, IMLI
Graduation Address:	H.E. Mr. William O'Neil Secretary-General of the International Maritime Organization
Valedictory Address:	Mr. Anthony Commodore (Dominica) on behalf of the students
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Conferment of Degrees:	Professor D.J. Attard
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Everyone knows that the shipping industry depends upon its seafarers. We all acknowledge the importance of port operators, shippers, cargo companies and managers. But very few people realize the significance of the role played by lawyers.

Fortunately IMO does recognize the need for legal expertise in the attainment of its objectives and that is why the Organization established the International Maritime Law Institute more than ten years ago. IMO's most important function is to develop and maintain Conventions, Codes and other legal instruments dealing with shipping safety, the prevention of marine pollution and other matters. Maritime lawyers are essential when it comes to implementing these treaties and experience has shown that the lack of appropriate legal expertise is a major obstacle in many developing countries.

IMLI is helping to overcome this problem and the entire maritime community has benefited. Shipping is such an international industry that all those involved must be able to reach the high standards that the global community demands. This year's graduates will help ensure that this is achieved. I applaud them for their success - and the Institute for teaching them so well.



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Secretary-General, IMO*

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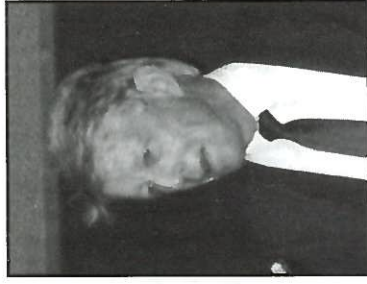
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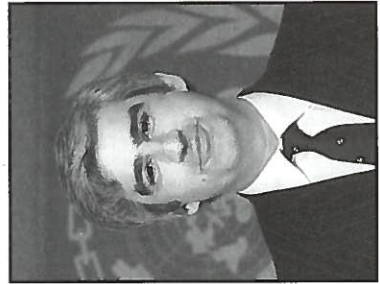


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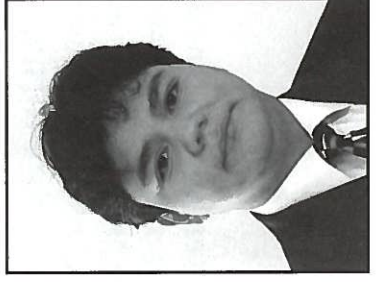
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Conferment of the Title of Honorary
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PROFESSOR FRANCIS MB REYNOLDS



H.E. Professor Guido De Marco, President of the Republic of Malta, conferring the Title of Honorary Professor of International Maritime Law on Professor Francis MB Reynolds in the presence of Professor David J. Attard

*"Whereas the IMO International Maritime Law Institute recognizes the merits of **Professor Francis MB Reynolds** Who has given dedicated service to the study and development of international maritime law and international trade law; Who has inspired legal thinking by virtue of his teaching of maritime and international commercial law at numerous universities, particularly the University of Oxford;
Who has written various scholarly publications and contributions, including the monumental *Bowstead and Reynolds on Agency and Benjamin on Sale of Goods*, of which he is one of the authors;
Who has contributed to the preparation of the United Kingdom 1992 Carriage of Goods by Sea Act which inter alia reformed rights to sue on bills of lading;
And who has generously contributed to the teaching of carriage of goods by sea at the IMO International Maritime Law Institute, thereby contributing in great measure to the growing repute of the IMO International Maritime Law Institute as a centre of academic excellence;*

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A most meritorious candidate for the Title of Honorary Professor of International Maritime Law.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the powers vested by the Statute under which the IMO International Maritime Law Institute is established, the said distinction of Honorary Professor of International Maritime Law is being conferred on

Professor Francis MB Reynolds

On this 17th day of March of the year two thousand"

Conferment of the Title of Doctor of
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MR. WILLIAM BIRCH REYNARDSON



H.E. Professor Guido De Marco, President of the Republic of Malta, conferring the Title of Doctor of International Maritime Law Honoris Causa on Mr. William Birch Reynardson in the presence of Professor David J. Attard

*"Whereas the IMO International Maritime Law Institute recognizes the merits of **Mr William Birch Reynardson** Who has given life-long service to the rule of international maritime law and to the development of international trade law; Who has been appointed Commander of the British Empire for services to international maritime law; Whose wisdom as Vice-President of the Comité Maritime International contributed to the widespread commitment to the harmonization of international maritime law;
Who has been a guiding light to his fellow British maritime lawyers especially during his term as Vice President of the British Maritime Law Association;
And who has, in the immediate past, shared the benefit of his unique and tremendous experience with generations of maritime lawyers and contributed in great measure to the growing repute of the IMO International Maritime Law Institute as a centre of academic excellence;*

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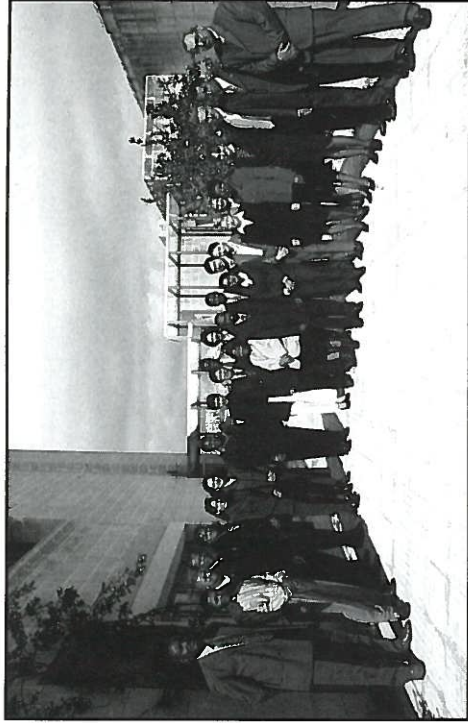
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IMLI VISITING FELLOWS - ACADEMIC YEAR 1999-2000

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Mr. M. Colling (U.K., Administrator, Commission of the European Communities, Maritime Policy Unit, Maritime Directorate, Directorate – General Transport)	- Law of Maritime Safety
Mr. E. J. Corrado (U.S.A., Counselor and Consultant, Robins Kaplan & Miller)	- The Role of the EU in Shipping
Dr. C. Doumbia-Henry (Brussels, Deputy Director of the Sectoral Activities Department, International Labour Office)	- Marine Environmental Law
Dr. T. Fenech (Malta, Fenech & Fenech Associates)	- International Labour Law
The Hon. Mr. Justice J.A. Filletti (Malta)	- Nationality & Registration of Ships
Mr. B. Golds (U.K., Former Member of the Government Legal Service, Treasury Solicitors Department, Department of Transport)	- Settlement of Disputes
Ms. M. Grech, (Malta, Malta Maritime Authority)	- Legislative Drafting
Mr. P. Griggs (U.K., President, Comité Maritime International)	- STCW
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Mr. J.Y. Legoux (France, Seafarers' Section Secretary, International Transport Workers' Federation)	- International Immunities and privileges
Dr. D. Lindemann (Germany, Chairman, German Shipowners' Association)	- State Responsibility
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	- Legislative Drafting
	- The Place of Law and the Courts in the International Commercial Life of the World
	- Maritime Safety
	- Collisions
	- Law of Marine Insurance
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	- Charterparties
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STUDENTS ACADEMIC YEAR 1999 - 2000



Mr. Muhammad Nurruddeen ABDULKADIR
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DISSERTATIONS & DRAFTING PROJECTS FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 1999 - 2000

- Mr. Muhammad Nurruddeen **ABDULKADIR (Nigeria)** - The Rights of a Coastal State on its Continental Shelf: The Nigerian Perspective / *The Nigerian Ports (Reception Facilities) Regulations, 2000*
- Ms. Azara AL-HASSAN **(Ghana)** - The Protection of Archeological and Historical Objects Found at Sea (The Ghanaian Perspective) / *The Carriage of Goods by Sea Act 2000 for the Republic of Ghana*
- Mr. Mohammed Mu'azu ALIYU **(Nigeria)** - The Prevention of Pollution of the Marine Environment From Ships: An Appraisal of the 'Adequacy' of Nigeria's Institutional and Legal Framework / *Merchant Shipping (International Safety Management) Act, 2000*
- Mr. Clifford Marcellino Jason ANDRE **(Seychelles)** - The Maritime Zones of Seychelles Under the New Law of the Sea / *Oil Pollution Preparedness and Response Act*
- Ms. Alenka ANDRIJASIC **(Slovenia)** - The Contribution of the Shipmaster to Maritime Safety with Special Reference to Slovenian Law (Emphasis on Prevention Aspects) / *Carriage of Hazardous and Noxious Substances by Sea*
- Dr. Stefan-John BERRY **(Malta)** - The Law and Practice of the Recognition and Enforcement of Arbitral Awards / *The Air Pollution (From Ships) Bill*
- Mr. Anthony COMMODORE **(Dominica)** - Illicit Drug Trafficking by Sea and International Law: Suppression of an International Crime Through International Law and Co-operation / *Prevention of Pollution from Ships Act-Commonwealth of Dominica*
- Ms. Miroslava DE OLAGUIBEL DOMINGUEZ **(Mexico)** - The Functions of the Mexican Navy Under the New Law of the Sea / *The Carriage of Passengers and their Luggage by Water. Amendments to the Mexican Navigation Act*
- Mr. Pedro DUARTE NETO **(Brazil)** - Pilotage in Brazil / *A Draft Legislation Project Incorporating the United Nations International Convention on Arrest of Ships, 1999, into the Brazilian Legislation*
- Mr. Sézard Zouzoua GOBA **(Cote D'Ivoire)** - The Regulation of Fishing in Cote D'Ivoire / *The Implementation of the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL 73/78) in Cote D'Ivoire*
- Mr. Edward Dauda KABIR **(Nigeria)** - Arrest of Ships With Particular Reference to Nigeria / *Maritime Legislation Drafting Project on Arrest of Ships*
- Ms. Verica KOVACEVIC **(Yugoslavia)** - Arbitration and Alternative Dispute Resolution in Shipping Disputes: Advantages and Legal Difficulties / *Incorporation of the 1989 Convention on Salvage into the Law on Maritime and Inland Navigation of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Amendment of Part VII, Section 2)*
- Ms. Dominika LEMPICKA **(Poland)** - The Regulation of Pilotage in Poland in the Light of a Comparative Analysis of Pilotage Organization Systems and Pilots' Liability / *Pilotage Act*
- Mr. Ruben Y. MACEDA **(Philippines)** - Maritime Boundary Delimitation in the South China Sea: A Philippine Perspective / *Proposed Bill on Philippine Carriage of Passengers and their Luggage by sea*
- Ms. Vija PUTANE **(Latvia)** - Ship Registration in Latvia / *Provisions on the arrest of Ships to Amend Chapter 15 of the Maritime Code of the Republic of Latvia*
- Mr. Akhtar Hayat QASMI **(Pakistan)** - Prevention, Control and Reduction of Marine Pollution and the Coastal State Jurisdiction Under the Law of the Sea Convention 1982 / *The National Fisheries Regulatory Authority Act*
- Ms. Vivian Radha RAMBARATH **(Trinidad & Tobago)** - Marine Environmental Protection for the Insular Caribbean: Joint Implementation / *An Act to Regulate and Make Provision for Liability and Compensation for Damage in Connection with the Carriage of Hazardous and Noxious Substance by Sea*
- Mr. Thélesphore RATSIMISARAKA **(Madagascar)** - Madagascar and the Protection of its Marine Environment Against Oil Pollution from Ships / *Act to Implement the 1990 International Convention on oil Pollution Preparedness, Response and Co-operation (1990 OPRC Convention)*
- Ms. Perline RAVONIARISOA **(Madagascar)** - General Comments on Contracts of Affreightment / *Legislative Draft for the Implementation of the International Convention on Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Damage, 1992 and the International Convention on the Establishment of an International Fund for Compensation for Oil Pollution Damage, 1992, in Madagascar*
- Ms. Eka SIRADZE **(Georgia)** - The Right of Innocent Passage and Hot Pursuit in the Light of Georgia's Maritime Zones Legislation / *The Law on Carriage of Goods by Sea, to Amend Chapter VIII (Contract for Maritime Transport of cargo) and Related Provisions of the Maritime Code of Georgia*
- Mr. Abamada Hassani SOILJHI **(Comoros)** - Prevention of Ship Source Marine Pollution in the Indian Ocean: A Comorian Perspective / *Proposed Law for the Implementation of the International Oil Pollution Preparedness, Response and Co-operation Convention (OPRC 1990) in Comoros*
- Ms. Silipa TAGICAKI **(Fiji)** - Jurisdictional Issues Regarding the Management of Highly Migratory Fish Stocks in the High Seas (A Western and Central Pacific Perspective) / *Amendments to the Fiji Marine Spaces Act 1978*
- Ms. Ourveene Geereesha TOPSY **(Mauritius)** - Delimitation of the Maritime Boundaries of Mauritius / *The Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Bill*
- Ms. Glory Ori Chituru UVERE **(Nigeria)** - Port State Control: Legal Issues From a Nigerian Perspective / *Merchant Shipping (Port State Control) Regulations*
- Dr. Cornelia ZAMMIT GERMAN **(Malta)** - The Doctrines of Hot Pursuit and Constructive Presence in International Law / *Regulations for the Prevention of Pollution by Sewage and Garbage from Ships, 2000*

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STUDENT PROFILE 1989 - 2000

1. Algeria	1	31. Jamaica	2	60. Senegal	1
2. Angola	4	32. Kenya	5	61. Seychelles	2
3. Azerbaijan	1	33. Latvia	5	62. Sierra Leone	2
4. Bahrain	1	34. Liberia	1	63. Slovenia	1
5. Bangladesh	4	35. Libya	2	64. Somalia	1
6. Barbados	1	36. Lithuania	2	65. South Africa	2
7. Benin	1	37. Madagascar	2	66. Sri Lanka	5
8. Brazil	2	38. Malawi	3	67. Sudan	1
9. Burundi	1	39. Malaysia	2	68. St. Kitts & Nevis	1
10. Cameroon	2	40. Maldives	4	69. St. Vincent & The Grenadines	1
11. Cape Verde	2	41. Malta	27	70. Tanzania	6
12. China	2	42. Marshall Islands	1	71. Togo	1
13. Colombia	2	43. Mauritania	1	72. Tonga	1
14. Comoros Islands	1	44. Mauritius	3	73. Trinidad & Tobago	3
15. Congo	2	45. Mexico	2	74. Tunisia	1
16. Cuba	1	46. Mozambique	4	75. The Bahamas	1
17. Dominica (Comm. Of)	4	47. Myanmar	1	76. The Gambia	3
18. Estonia	1	48. Namibia	2	77. The Philippines	3
19. Ethiopia	3	49. New Zealand	1	78. Uganda	2
20. Fiji	3	50. Nicaragua	1	79. USA	1
21. Georgia	2	51. Nigeria	17	80. Venezuela	2
22. Ghana	4	52. Pakistan	4	81. Vietnam	1
23. Guatemala	1	54. Panama	1	83. Yugoslavia	1
24. Haiti	1	55. Papua New Guinea	2	84. Zambia	2
25. Honduras	2	56. Peru	1	85. Zimbabwe	1
27. India	1	57. Poland	1	Palestinian Autonomous Territories	1
28. Indonesia	2	58. Russia	1		
29. Iran	3	82. Samoa	3		
30. Ivory Coast	1	59. Saudi Arabia	7		
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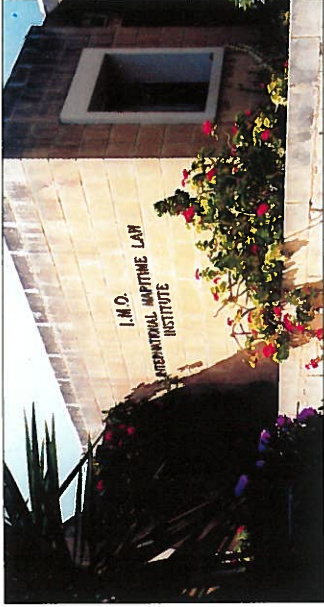
H.E. Mr. William O'Neil, (Secretary-General, IMO) during the unveiling ceremony of the sculpture commemorating IMLI's tenth anniversary



From left to right, members of the panel Dr. C.P. Srivastava (Secretary-General Emeritus, IMO), Professor David J. Attard (Director, IMLI), H.E. Mr. William O'Neil (Secretary-General, IMO), the Hon. Censu Galea (Minister for Transport and Communications, Malta) and Mr. Patrick Griggs (President, Comité Maritime International) during the seminar commemorating IMLI's tenth anniversary



Mr. G.P. Yoest (Director of International Affairs, U.S. Coast Guard) with Members of the Academic Staff and the IMLI Class of 1999-2000



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From left to right, Professor David J. Attard (Director, IMLI), H.E. Mr. William O'Neil (Secretary-General, IMO) and the Hon. Censu Galea (Minister for Transport and Communications, Malta) on a cruise on the Thames organized for IMLI by Thomas Miller & Co. Ltd.



From left to right, Dr. Joe Fenech (IMLI Governor), Professor David J. Attard (Director, IMLI), Doctor of International Maritime Law Honoris Causa Mr. William Birch Reynardson, H.E. Professor Guido De Marco, President of the Republic of Malta, Honorary Professor of International Maritime Law Professor Francis MB Reynolds and the Hon. Censu Galea (Minister for Transport and Communications, Malta) during the Honoris Causa Ceremony



H.E. Mr. William O'Neil (Secretary-General, IMO) with Professor David Attard (Director, IMLI) and the Class of 1998-1999 during a lunch hosted by the Secretary-General at the IMO headquarters, London



Dr. Rosalie Balkin (U.K., Director, Legal Affairs and External Relations, IMO) with the Class of 1999-2000 during a visit to the French Oceanographic Vessel 'D'Entrecasteaux'