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## IMLI AND FAO HOLD FIRST TRAINING COURSE ON INTERNATIONAL FISHERIES LAW

The IMO International Maritime Law Institute (IMLI) in collaboration with the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) is currently holding a three-week competency-based International Fisheries Law Training Course at the Institute's premises, Malta. The Course which began on 19 June 2018 is jointly developed by the FAO and IMLI.



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The objectives of the training include among others capacity building in terms of knowledge in international fisheries law and governance with an emphasis on the relevant FAO instruments such as the FAO Agreement on Port State Measures to Prevent, Deter and Eliminate Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated (IUU) Fishing. The Course participants are from Ghana, Indonesia, Namibia, and Saint Vincent and the Grenadines whose national administrations are responsible for fisheries resource governance. The Course is delivered by IMLI, for FAO with the teaching staff from the Faculty of IMLI, FAO Legal Office and the Fisheries and Aquaculture Department and FAO Consultants, and the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) officials. Judge Jin-

Hyun Paik, President of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea and Professor Philippe Gautier, Registrar of the same Tribunal delivered expert contributions, respectively, to the Course.



*His Excellency Judge Jin-Hyun Paik (President, the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea) and Professor David Attard (Director, IMLI) with the Course participants*

The Course is developed within the framework of FAO's Global Capacity Development Programme to support the implementation of the FAO Agreement on Port State Measures. The funding for the Course is provided by the Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation (Norad) and the Swedish Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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