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## IMLI APPOINTS NIPPON FOUNDATION LECTURER IN INTERNATIONAL MARITIME SECURITY LAW

The IMO International Maritime Law Institute (IMLI) is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Sanjeet Ruhal (India) as the Nippon Foundation Lecturer in International Maritime Security Law.



*Mr. Sanjeet Ruhal (India), the Nippon Foundation Lecturer in International Maritime Security Law*

Mr. Sanjeet Ruhal obtained a Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.) Degree from the DAV (PG) College, Dehradun in 2006 and a Master of Laws (LL.M.) Degree from the India Law Institute with specialization in maritime law in 2009. Mr. Ruhal obtained a Diploma in Ocean Law and Policy from the Rhodes Academy, Greece in 2016. Apart from his formal education, Mr. Ruhal has also attended the summer course on Public International Law at The Hague Academy of International Law in 2017 and the 27th National Security Law Institute at the University of Virginia in 2018. He was a Legal Intern at the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea (ITLOS) and the International Maritime Organization (IMO) in 2013 and 2014 respectively.

Before joining IMLI, Mr. Ruhal worked at the Symbiosis Law School, Pune, as Assistant Professor of Law (2016-2018). Between 2015 and 2016, he served as Assistant Professor of Law at Amity Law School, Amity University, Noida. He was a visiting lecturer at the Indian Law Institute, New Delhi, for the year 2011-2012.

Mr. Sanjeet Ruhhal has completed his Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) research and submitted his thesis, titled '*International Maritime Security Law with Special Reference to India – A Critical Appraisal*' to the Faculty of Law, University of Delhi. His areas of interest include the Law of the Sea, Maritime Law and National Security Law. He is the author of a number of articles and has delivered presentations at numerous conferences.

On joining the Institute, Mr. Ruhhal said:

*'Teaching at IMLI will be an extraordinary experience for me. It is an opportunity to meet students from diverse legal backgrounds, having rich practical experiences in maritime affairs. I will put in my best effort in contributing to the Institute's work in serving the rule of international maritime law.'*

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