



BUREAU VERITAS LEGAL ADVISOR DELIVERS LAW OF MARITIME SAFETY COURSE AT IMLI

Dr. Philippe Boisson, Communication Director and Legal Advisor of the Bureau Veritas Marine Division, traditionally delivered a course on the Law of Maritime Safety which is one of the key subjects of the Shipping Law curriculum of IMLI's LL.M. programme. The course is an intensive one and its aim is to give a comprehensive overview of the international instruments providing for safety of shipping in all respects. It consists of units dealing with the regulatory process related to maritime safety, the ship safety, construction and equipment, cargo safety, the human element and operational safety, the control of ship safety and finally with the classification societies.



Dr. Philippe Boisson lecturing to the IMLI class of 2007-2008

Dr. Boisson has been a visiting lecturer at IMLI since 1993 and is a member of the IMLI Governing Board. He has been for many years intensively involved in the maritime field, occupying high standing posts as Communication Director and Legal Adviser of the Bureau Veritas Marine Division. He is Vice-President of the French Maritime Law Association, Titulary Member of the CMI, and Arbitrator at the Chambre Arbitrale Maritime de Paris. He is also a visiting professor at the Faculty of Law, Lille University. Dr. Boisson has written many articles on the marine safety system and classification societies. He is the author of a major study entitled "Safety at Sea, Policies, Regulations

and International Law” published by Bureau Veritas Publications in 1999 which has been rewarded by the French Marine Academy and the international Albert Lilar Prize.

Addressing the IMLI class of 2007 – 2008, Dr. Boisson stated he was pleased to participate in yet another annual IMLI LL.M. programme pointing out that IMLI and all IMLI graduates can be certain that they have a friend at Bureau Veritas.

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