AMBASSADOR OF THE ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT TO MALTA VISITS IMLI

Professor Dr. Norman A. Martínez Gutiérrez (Director, IMLI) and the IMLI Staff had the pleasure of welcoming on 14 November to the Institute H.E. Ambassador Mr. Khaled Anis (Ambassador of the Arab Republic of Egypt to Malta).

Upon his arrival, the Ambassador was introduced to the IMLI Class of 2022-2023 by the IMLI Director. This was followed by a meeting between Professor Martínez and Ambassador Anis in which future cooperation was discussed.
IMO DIRECTOR OF THE MARINE ENVIRONMENT DIVISION LECTURES AT IMLI

Mr. Arsenio Dominguez (Director, Marine Environment Division, IMO) delivered on 22 November an online lecture entitled the “Role and Achievements of IMO’s Marine Environment Division” to the IMLI Class of 2022-2023. Mr. Dominguez was welcomed by Professor Dr. Norman A. Martínez Gutiérrez (Director, IMLI).

During his introduction, Professor Martínez expressed his appreciation to Mr. Dominguez for dedicating time, despite his numerous work commitments, to deliver a lecture on the role and achievements of his Division to the IMLI Class.
AMBASSADOR OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY TO MALTA VISITS IMLI

H.E. Mr. Walter Haßmann (Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany to Malta) paid a courtesy visit to IMLI on 16 November 2022. Ambassador Haßmann was welcomed to IMLI by Professor Dr. Norman A. Martínez Gutiérrez (Director, IMLI) and IMLI Staff.

H.E. the Ambassador was also introduced to the IMLI Class of 2022-2023 by Professor Martínez with whom he held a meeting wherein possibilities for future cooperation were discussed.
IMO DIRECTOR OF THE MARITIME SAFETY DIVISION LECTURES AT IMLI

Dr. Heike Deggim (Director, Maritime Safety Division, IMO), delivered on 24 November an online lecture on the “Role and Achievements of IMO’s Maritime Safety Division” to the IMLI Class of 2022-2023. Dr. Deggim was introduced to the Class by Dr. Angeles Jimenez Garcia Carriazo (The Nippon Foundation Lecturer on Global Ocean Governance).

When introducing her, Dr. Jimenez informed the students that Dr. Deggim is a leading expert on issues of maritime safety and it is an honour to have her introduce the Maritime Safety Division and its numerous functions.
HONORARY PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL OCEAN INSTITUTE VISITS IMLI

Dr. Awni Behnam (Honorary President, International Ocean Institute) visited the Institute and was warmly welcomed and introduced to the IMLI Academic Staff and the Class of 2022-2023 by the Institute’s Director, Professor Dr. Norman A. Martínez Gutiérrez. Professor Martínez informed the students that Dr. Behnam belongs to the group of people who have a big heart for the oceans and noted that he was very honoured to receive him at IMLI to meet the Class.

Dr. Behnam thanked Professor Martínez and reminded the students that they are the future of the oceans. He encouraged them to take this responsibility very seriously, especially as they are in the place where they would receive adequate training for the task ahead.
Professor Eka Siradze (Associate Professor, Tbilisi State University, Georgia) delivered on 24 November an online lecture entitled the “UN Global and Regional Treaties for the Oceans II – Regional Seas Programme” to the IMLI Class of 2022-2023. Professor Siradze was introduced to the IMLI Class by Mr. Murat Sumer (The Nippon Foundation Lecturer in International Maritime Law).

Professor Siradze expressed her pleasure at being invited to lecture at IMLI once again, albeit online. With much pleasure and pride, she informed the students that the most important point on her curriculum vitae is that she is an Alumna of IMLI herself.
AMBASSADOR OF THE HELLENIC REPUBLIC TO MALTA VISITS IMLI

H.E. Ms. Tasia Athanasiou (Ambassador of the Hellenic Republic to Malta) paid a courtesy visit to IMLI on 24 November 2022. H.E. the Ambassador was introduced to the IMLI Class of 2022-2023 by Professor Dr. Norman A. Martínez Gutiérrez (Director, IMLI).

After meeting the students, H.E. Ms. Athanasiou expressed her delight at having so many countries being represented at IMLI.