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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2024-2025

Throughout the academic year 2024–2025, IMLI had the privilege of hosting a number of distinguished guests and leading experts in their fields, who visited the Institute to share their expertise through thought-provoking lectures. The IMLI Class also had the opportunity to take part in engaging interactive exercises.

MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT, INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC WORKS OF MALTA LECTURES AT IMLI

IMLI had the distinct pleasure of welcoming for the first time the Honourable Minister Dr. Chris Bonett MP (Minister for Transport, Infrastructure and Public Works of Malta).

The Honourable Minister Dr. Bonett was warmly welcomed by Professor Dr. Norman A. Martínez Gutiérrez (Director, IMLI), IMLI Staff and the IMLI Class of 2024-2025.



Following his introduction, the Honourable Minister Dr. Bonett delivered a lecture entitled “Malta – The Maritime Nation” to the IMLI Class of 2024-2025.



The Honourable Minister Dr. Chris Bonett MP (Minister for Transport, Infrastructure and Public Works of Malta) signing the IMLI Distinguished Visiting Fellows' Book



The Honourable Minister Dr. Bonett delivering his presentation to the IMLI Class of 2024-2025



The Honourable Minister Dr. Chris Bonett MP (Minister for Transport, Infrastructure and Public Works of Malta), Professor Dr. Norman A. Martínez Gutiérrez (Director, IMLI), and the IMLI Class of 2024-2025

**DIRECTOR OF THE INTERNATIONAL MOBILE SATELLITE ORGANIZATION
LECTURES AT IMLI**

IMLI had the pleasure of welcoming again Mr. Laurent Parenté (Director General, International Mobile Satellite Organization (IMSO)). Mr. Parenté was warmly welcomed by Ms. Elda Kazara-Belja (Senior Lecturer/Head of Administration, IMLI), IMLI Staff and the Class of 2024-2025.

Following his introduction, Mr. Parenté delivered a set of lectures entitled “Regulatory Oversight of Certain Satellite Communication Systems and Coordination of the LRIT System”.



*Mr. Laurent Parenté
(Director General, IMSO)
meeting the
IMLI Class of 2024-2025*



*Mr. Laurent Parenté (Director General, IMSO), Ms. Elda Kazara-Belja (Senior Lecturer/
Head of Administration, IMLI) and the IMLI Class of 2024-2025*

NICOLAUS COPERNICUS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR LECTURES AT IMLI



IMLI welcomed for the first time, Dr. Zuzanna Pełowska-Dąbrowska (Professor, Department of Commercial Law, Maritime Law and Civil Procedure Nicolaus Copernicus University, Toruń, Poland). Dr. Pełowska-Dąbrowska was warmly greeted by Ms. Ramat Jalloh (Lecturer, IMLI), members of the IMLI Staff and the Class of 2024-2025.

Following her introduction to the Class, Dr. Pełowska-Dąbrowska proceeded to deliver a set of lectures entitled “*Conflict of Laws and International Maritime Law*”.

*Dr. Pełowska-Dąbrowska signing the
IMLI Distinguished Visiting Fellows' Book*





Dr. Zuzanna Peplowska-Dąbrowska (Professor, Department of Commercial Law, Maritime Law and Civil Procedure Nicolaus Copernicus University, Toruń, Poland) and the IMLI Class of 2024-2025

DIRECTOR OF LOCKTON OMNI LECTURES AT IMLI

IMLI had the pleasure of welcoming for the first time, Mr. Aret Taşçıyan (Director, Lockton Omni).

Mr. Taşçıyan was warmly welcomed by Professor Dr. Norman A. Martínez Gutiérrez (Director, IMLI), IMLI Staff and the IMLI Class of 2024-2025. Following his introduction Mr. Taşçıyan delivered a lecture entitled “*P&I Insurance*” to the IMLI Class of 2024-2025.



Mr. Aret Taşçıyan (Director, Lockton Omni) meeting the IMLI Class of 2024-2025



Mr. Aret Taşçıyan (Director, Lockton Omni), Professor Dr. Norman A. Martínez Gutiérrez (Director, IMLI), and the IMLI Class of 2024-2025

THE IMLI CLASS ANNUAL MOOT COURT

The IMLI Class of 2024–2025 took part in a Moot Court on International Dispute Settlement under Part XV of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS).

This intellectually stimulating exercise, held annually by the Institute, is an integral component of the academic curriculum and forms part of the *Module on Law of the Sea: Specific Regimes II*.

The Moot Court provides the Class with a practical and immersive opportunity to engage with the complex mechanisms of dispute resolution in the maritime domain, while honing their advocacy, legal reasoning, and teamwork skills in a simulated international judicial setting.

