

**Course Information**

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## I . Program Overview



### □ Program Objectives

The Seoul Academy of International Law (SAIL) is a training program organized by the Center for International Law (CIL) at the Korea National Diplomatic Academy (KNDA) of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Korea. It provides courses lectured by prominent scholars and practitioners in the field of international law to the participants from Asia and the Pacific region. The objective of the program is to promote greater understanding on the current trends in international law among those involved in international law practice. In an effort to establish the rule of law in the region on a more solid basis, the SAIL aims, in particular:

- To enhance the participants' understanding about international law
- To promote exchanges of views on contemporary international law
- To strengthen future cooperation and networks between the participants and the ROK
- To facilitate sharing knowledge in participating countries' foreign policies relating to current international legal issues

### □ Participants

Participants in the program come from various countries in Asia and the Pacific, and range widely from government officials, including diplomats and legal practitioners, to scholars, researchers as well as graduate students.

## II. Course Information

### □ Date and Venue

- **Date:** July 3 (Mon.) – 14 (Fri.), 2023
- **Venue:** Korea National Diplomatic Academy (Seoul, Korea)

### □ Participants: 33 participants from 24 countries in Asia and the Pacific

- Australia, Bangladesh, Brunei, Cambodia, China, Fiji, Indonesia, Japan, Kazakhstan, Laos, Malaysia, Mongolia, Nepal, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Türkiye, Uzbekistan, Vietnam, and Republic of Korea

### □ Lecturers and Courses

<b>David Joseph Attard</b> <i>Judge, ITLOS</i>	Law of the Sea
<b>Danae Azaria</b> <i>Associate Professor, UCL Faculty of Laws</i>	International Dispute Settlement
<b>Hiroyuki Banzai</b> <i>Professor, Waseda University</i>	Recent Trends of the Law on State Responsibility
<b>Shotaro Hamamoto</b> <i>Professor, Kyoto University</i>	International Investment Law
<b>Benedict Kingsbury</b> <i>Professor, New York University Law School</i>	Global Governance and International Law
<b>Stephen Mathias</b> <i>Assistant Secretary-General for Legal Affairs, UN</i>	UN and International Law
<b>Tae Jung Park</b> <i>Professor, KAIST</i>	International Economic Law
<b>Joseph Powderly</b> <i>Associate Professor of International Law, Leiden University</i>	Human Rights and International Criminal Law
<b>Kak-Soo Shin</b> <i>Senior Advisor, Shin &amp; Kim</i>	East Asia and International Law
<b>Jae Ho Sung</b> <i>Professor, Sungkyunkwan University Law School</i>	International Environmental Law

□ Lecture Timetable

WEEK 1	7/3 (Mon)	7/4 (Tue)	7/5 (Wed)	7/6 (Thu)	7/7 (Fri)
09:30-11:30	Opening Ceremony & Orientation		International Environmental Law (1) <i>Prof. Jae Ho Sung</i>	International Environmental Law (2) <i>Prof. Jae Ho Sung</i>	Field Trip
13:00-15:00	East Asia & International Law <i>Amb. Kak-Soo Shin</i>	Law of the Sea (1) <i>Jdg. David Attard</i>	Law of the Sea (2) <i>Jdg. David Attard</i>	Law of the Sea (3) <i>Jdg. David Attard</i>	
15:15-17:15		International Dispute Settlement (1) <i>Prof. Danae Azaria</i>	International Dispute Settlement (2) <i>Prof. Danae Azaria</i>	Recent Trends of the Law on State Responsibility <i>Prof. Hiroyuki Banzai</i>	
WEEK 2	7/10 (Mon)	7/11 (Tue)	7/12 (Wed)	7/13 (Thu)	7/14 (Fri)
09:30-11:30	UN & International Law (1) <i>Mr. Stephen Mathias</i>	UN & International Law (2) <i>Mr. Stephen Mathias</i>	Global Governance & International Law (1) <i>Prof. Benedict Kingsbury</i>	Global Governance & International Law (2) <i>Prof. Benedict Kingsbury</i>	Global Governance & International Law (3) <i>Prof. Benedict Kingsbury</i>
13:00-15:00	International Economic Law (1) <i>Prof. Tae Jung Park</i>	International Economic Law (2) <i>Prof. Tae Jung Park</i>	Human Rights & International Criminal Law (1) <i>Prof. Joseph Powderly</i>	Human Rights & International Criminal Law (2) <i>Prof. Joseph Powderly</i>	Human Rights & International Criminal Law (3) <i>Prof. Joseph Powderly</i>
15:15-17:15		International Investment Law (1) <i>Prof. Shotaro Hamamoto</i>	International Investment Law (2) <i>Prof. Shotaro Hamamoto</i>		Closing Ceremony

## 2. Terms of Participation

### ❑ Language of Instruction: English

### ❑ Qualification of Applicants

- Public officers, including diplomats and legal practitioners in charge of international legal affairs, with over 5 years of work experience
- Researchers and scholars in international legal affairs in institutions and universities
- Graduate students majoring in international legal affairs in academic institutions and universities
- Proficiency in spoken English
- Knowledge and experiences in international law

### ❑ Regulations

- Participants should participate in the program to the best of their abilities.
- Participants should refrain from engaging in political activities or any form of employment for profit or gain.
- Participants must return to their home country upon completion of the program.
- Participants should not extend their stay beyond the length of the program for personal reasons.
- Participants are not permitted to change the flight schedule arranged by the CIL for personal convenience.
- Participants should not accompany any member of their family to the program.
- Participants are to assume responsibility for any personal expenses incurred.
- Participants are required to strictly observe the course schedule and abide by the rules and regulations stipulated by the CIL in respect to the program.
- Participants should cooperate in preventing any sexual harassment.

### **3. Rules and Policies**

The participants in the Seoul Academy of International Law (hereinafter participants) are expected to have read, abide by, and respect the following rules and policies that the CIL endorses in implementing the program. It is also understood that the participants are provided with the highlights of such rules and policies on the occasion of the program orientation.

#### **1. Privacy and Copyright Policy**

Unless the participants state otherwise in writing, it is considered that:

- a. The CIL may provide and disclose the participants' information, including the name, nationality, organization and position of the participants, to relevant entities within the limit provided by the CIL's policy or regulations thereof;
- b. The CIL possesses the right of using all the documents and information provided by the participants for the operational purposes of the Seoul Academy of International Law (hereinafter the Academy), including their duplication, translation, distribution, and/or posting to websites.

#### **2. Punctuality and Attendance Policy**

- a. Participants will need to be punctual for any classes that the Academy offers.
- b. Certificates of Attendance are awarded at the end of the Academy only to those who have attended at least seventy (70) percent of the classes.

#### **3. Policy on Misconduct**

- a. Any form of harassment or insult, including but not limited to misconduct arising out of racial/ethnic, gender or class discrimination, whether it be physical or verbal, will be dealt with in accordance with Korean laws.
- b. Sexual harassment, defined as a form of behavior characterized by sexually connotative words, acts or gestures that could undermine individual dignity and by which the victim takes offense, is regarded as a serious misconduct and will be acted upon accordingly.
- c. All participants are encouraged to report to the CIL immediately participants' such misconduct as explained above, especially when damage should occur from misconduct by the participants.

#### 4. Policy on COVID-19

- a. Participants are asked to understand that COVID-19 presents an ongoing risk in Korea as in the rest of the world.
- b. Participants are required to understand that all scheduled programs are subject to modification, or even cancellation, according to the situation regarding COVID-19.
- c. Participants shall strictly follow the policies and safety measures prescribed by the Academy and the Korea Disease Control and Prevention Agency (KDCA) at all times during the participation in the program.

#### 5. Security and Well-being Policy

Participants are solely responsible for their own personal belongings, safety, health and well-being, and are asked to conduct themselves accordingly.

#### 6. General Rules

- a. Participants shall not engage in political activities and any form of employment for profit or gain for the duration of the courses at the Academy.
- b. Participants are liable for any damage whatsoever to any property that arises from the carelessness, negligence, omission or default of the participants for the duration of the courses at the Academy.

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