

3rd

ADVANCED SEMINAR ON INTERNATIONAL MARITIME LAW

in memoriam of Prof. Dora Nikaki

10-12 July 2019 Wed.-Fri. 13.00-20.00

Athens, Eugenides Foundation

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PROGRAMME

Wednesday, 10 July 2019

Charterparties: General issues

13.00-13.40

Recent Developments in US Maritime Law

Prof. M. Sturley, Texas University

13.55-14.35

Are Charterparties Fit for Purpose?

Prof. R. Williams, Institute of International Shipping and Trade law, Swansea University

14.50-15.15 Coffee Break

Charterparties:

Modern & special issues (I)

15.15-15.55

Frustration of Charterparties

Prof. A. Tettenborn, Institute of International Shipping and Trade law, Swansea University

16.10-16.50

Underperformance claims

M. Konstantinidis, Attorney-at-law, LL.M., PhD

17.05-17.25 Coffee Break

17.25-18.05

Cyber risks and charterparties

Prof. B. Soyer, Institute of International Shipping and Trade law, Swansea University

18.20-19.00

But is it demurrage? Waiting for orders and interim port clauses in tanker charters

Prof. S. Baughen, Institute of International Shipping and Trade law, Swansea University

19.15-19.55

Shipping & Environment: Low sulphur bunkers and new BIMCO clauses

M. Konstantinidis, Attorney-at-law, LL.M., PhD

Thursday, 11 July 2019

Charterparties: Modern & special issues (II)

13.00-13.40

Charterparties and the off-shore industry

Ass. Professor V. Athanassopoulou, University of the Aegean

13.55-14.35

Commingling and blending of oil cargoes – Legal issues emerging

Prof. R. Williams, Institute of International Shipping and Trade law, Swansea University

14.50-15.30

Introduction to ship vetting and navigating through the challenges of the legal construction of Oil Major Clauses

Alexandra N. Couvadelli, Senior Claims Director, UK P & I Club

15.45-16.10 Coffee Break

Carriage of goods by sea

16.10-16.50

Central Issues in the Law Governing the Carriage of Goods by Sea: Variations on a Theme by Dr. Theodora Nikaki

Prof. M. Sturley, Texas University

17.05-17.45

Complying with MLC as an element of seaworthiness

Prof. L. I. Athanassiou, University of Athens (School of Law)

18.00-18.20 Coffee Break

18.20-19.00

Switch bills of lading

Prof. B. Soyer, Institute of International Shipping and Trade law, Swansea University

19.15-19.55

Ships without seafarers: Issues of international maritime law

Prof. L. I. Athanassiou, University of Athens (School of Law)

Friday, 12 July 2019

Carriage of goods by sea (cont'd)

13.00-13.40

The act of deviation (wide sense) in the performance of sea carriage- Current position in Common Law and Continental Law systems

Prof. G. Theocharidis, WMU, Malmö

13.55-14.35

Burden of proof in carriage contracts

Prof. S. Baughen, Institute of International Shipping and Trade law, Swansea University

14.50-15.15 Coffee Break

Issues of multimodal transport

15.15-15.55

CMR Convention – Fit for Purpose?

Prof. G. Leloudas, Institute of International Shipping and Trade law, Swansea University

16.10-16.50

Multimodal transport – Euro Style

Prof. A. Tettenborn, Institute of International Shipping and Trade law, Swansea University

17.05-17.25 Coffee Break

17.25-18.05

Multimodal transport – Where air transport meets road transport

Prof. G. Leloudas, Institute of International Shipping and Trade law, Swansea University

Closing lecture

18.20-19.00

Brexit and its impact on maritime litigation & arbitration

Simon Croall QC, Quadrant Chambers

19.00-19.50

Discussion on all presentations

* Q&A will also take place following each lecture.

REQUIRED ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS:

A recognized university degree or equivalent professional qualification is required for admission onto the course. Applicants must have sufficient competence in English, both written and oral, in order to meet the demands of the course. Students who do not have the formally recognized relevant qualifications may also apply if they have knowledge of maritime law & legal terminology.

Completion:

A completion certificate will be granted upon 100% attendance of the course, as a recognition of your study and for CPD purposes.

REGISTRATION FEES

SPECIAL FEES:

Students/Trainees	130€
Young Lawyers (up to 10 years)	170€

REGULAR FEES:

Lawyers/Law Firms

1st participant	470€
2nd participant	395€
Additional participants	323€

Companies

1st participant	630€
2nd participant	533€
Additional participants	435€

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The fee includes the seminar, all program materials, Certificate, one light lunch and coffee breaks.