



Looking ahead at the next 24th Nuclear Inter Jura Congress in 2020 in Washington DC



As you know, the next biennial congress of INLA will take place in Washington DC from Sunday 25 (Welcome Reception) until Wednesday 28 October 2020. We're also planning an excursion on Thursday 29 October 2020. The INLA congress will be held in the famous hotel Willard, close to the White House.

It will be the third time that an INLA congress takes place in the USA. Some of you may recall, the first was with Howard Shapar as President, in San Francisco (1983) and the second with Manning Muntzing as President in Washington (1999) as well.

The "First Announcement" will be circulated in the beginning of autumn 2019. It will contain a call for papers, for those of you interested to propose a contribution at the congress.

INLA meeting in Cadarache, France (ITER Project) – all Members invited!



We don't need to wait until the 2020 INLA Congress to meet! Indeed, we're inviting all INLA members to the combined meeting of all INLA Working Groups, which will be held on Tuesday 22 May 2019, at the French Research Center of Cadarache, in the south of France.





A visit of the ITER site will be organized on either 21 or 23 May (optional) and bus transport will be assured for participants between Cadarache and nearby Aix-en-Provence.

This meeting will be hosted jointly by Fusion for Energy - the European Domestic Agency for the ITER Project - and by the ITER Organization. It will be an excellent opportunity for all INLA members to get together, to visit the Project and to exchange ideas and proposals for the Washington 2020 congress.

Persons interested to register can contact Ms Alexandra van Kalleveen (alexandra.van.kalleveen@ec.europa.eu). The contact person on the ITER site is Olajos Karoly Tamas (olajos.karoly@f14.europa.eu).

New INLA Members – Welcome!



We welcome all the new INLA members who have joined us since January 2019, to know:

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We encourage each one of you to join any of the Working Groups (WGs) of INLA to interact with all other INLA members throughout the years and exchange views and latest legal developments from your jurisdiction.

You can read more about the 7 WGs of INLA on our website:

<http://aidn-inla.be/working-groups/>.

News from the INLA Working Groups



Particularly for the new members, it may be worth reiterating that INLA has 7 Working Groups, focusing on the following topics:

- WG1: Safety & Regulation
- WG2: Nuclear Liability & Insurance
- WG3: International Nuclear Trade & New Build
- WG4: Radiological Protection
- WG5: Waste Management
- WG6: Nuclear Security
- WG7: Transport

If you're interested in joining any of those Working Groups, feel free to contact the Chairperson or Secretary of the WG, which you will find here:

<http://aidn-inla.be/working-groups/>.

- **Working Group 6 – Nuclear Security:**

- **We're happy to share a message from Carlton Stoiber, Chairperson, WG6:**

The Security Working Group's membership is broadly separated around the world, making regular meetings impractical. However, the next INLA Congress in Washington, DC in 2020 provides an opportunity for members to contribute papers and participate in the program. Therefore, members are invited to offer topics for presentations and issues to be discussed at the Congress.

As Chair, I have continued to lecture at the OECD/Nuclear Energy Agency nuclear law courses: International Nuclear Law Essentials (INLE) in Paris each February and the International School of Nuclear Law (ISNL) at the Université de Montpellier in southern France in August/September. My lecture is on "Physical Protection and Illicit Trafficking of Nuclear Materials" and can be found on the OECD/NEA website.

As indicated, Group members are encouraged to offer subjects for the next INLA Congress that can be e-mailed to me at crstoiber@earthlink.net.

Academic Corner – training programs & publications



- A. International School of Nuclear Law (ISNL) (Montpellier): summer 2019
 - **When**: 26 August to 6 September 2019
 - **Where**: Montpellier, France
 - **Organizer**: OECD Nuclear Energy Agency in co-operation with the University of Montpellier
 - **Application form**: the application for the 2019 summer session will be available in January 2019 – see: www.oecd-nea.org/law/isnl/.

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- Save the date: International Workshops on the Indemnification of Nuclear Damage in the Event of a Nuclear Accident
 - **When**: 8-10 October 2019
 - **Where**: Lisbon, Portugal
 - **Organizer**: OECD Nuclear Energy Agency
 - **Registrations**: registrations will be opened beginning of 2019 and will be processed on a rolling basis because of a limited number of seats available.

After two successful workshops on the Indemnification of Nuclear Damage in the Event of a Nuclear Accident organised in France in November 2001 and in the Slovak Republic in May 2005 (proceedings available on the [NEA website](#)), the NEA organised the **3rd International Workshop on the Indemnification of Damage in the Event of a Nuclear Accident** in co-operation with the Nuclear Regulatory Authority of the Slovak Republic in October 2017. This Workshop assessed the practical implementation of currently applicable international nuclear liability conventions in conjunction with, among others, non-convention States regimes, assuming all modernised international instruments have come into force.

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Over 170 participants from 33 NEA member and non-member countries attended the workshop. The programme and discussions followed a specific scenario (a nuclear incident occurring at a nuclear installation that would cause transboundary damage) and the sessions were prepared based on responses to a tailored questionnaire gathered by the NEA Secretariat from 27 NEA member and non-member countries.

The 4th International Workshop on the Indemnification of Damage in the Event of a Nuclear Accident will be a unique opportunity to continue exploring the practical application of the international nuclear liability instruments and potential consequences, including with regard to non-convention States, in case of a nuclear incident occurring at a nuclear installation. It will address, in much more detail, topics identified by the workshop participants for further discussion, e.g. the determination of the nuclear damage to be compensated and transboundary claims handling.

Job positions / research opportunities / internship announcements

- The OECD Nuclear Energy Agency's Office of Legal Counsel (OLC) accepts applications for internships from students from its member countries throughout the year. If you are interested in applying for an OLC internship, please send a cover letter and your resume or CV to olc@oecd-nea.org

These internships are open for full time students who:

- are enrolled in the field of international law (and most preferably, private or public international law, environmental law);
- speak fluent English and have excellent analytical and drafting skills; knowledge of French would be an advantage, as would knowledge of other languages used at the OECD;
- are capable of working in a team in a multicultural and international environment.

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Contract duration is up to six months and is for a full-time programme (40h per week). Please make sure your availability clearly appears in your cover letter.

- **Legal Service Traineeship in France**

Fusion for Energy, or F4E, a European Union Joint Undertaking, headquartered in Barcelona, specifies and manages the production of the European contribution (45%) to ITER.

Fusion for Energy is seeking to fill the position of Legal Trainee who will be part of a truly multi-cultural and collaborative team of legal practitioners. Trainee will be located in Cadarache, France, at the ITER Project site where being assigned to the support of the Site, Buildings and Power Supplies Project Team of Fusion for Energy, Trainee will contribute to the construction of one of the most ambitious energy projects in the world today, in an exciting and challenging work environment offering a unique opportunity to develop professionally.

For more detailed information please go to:

aidn-inla.be/content/uploads/2015/12/f4e_tra_2019_065_legal-service-france.pdf

Please send your applications by 20/05/2019 (closing time 12:00 NOON, Barcelona time). The online application process starts upon clicking “CLICK TO APPLY” on the traineeships page:

www.fusionforenergy.europa.eu/careers/traineeships.aspx



INLA Website

Just to let you know that we faced some technical difficulties in updating the INLA website recently (for which we apologize!). We're happy to say that this is now sorted out and we're happy to post any information which could be of relevance to the INLA members. Feel free to email your input to: info@aidn-inla.be.


Price for INLA – Membership fees – Introducing PayPal

All good things come with a price! We try to keep the membership fee as nominal as possible and would encourage all INLA members to kindly settle any outstanding membership fees at the earliest.

For 2019, the INLA Board of Management has decided to fix the membership fee's amount at 90 EUR for ordinary members and 20 EUR for students.

As you know, the PayPal system has now been launched to facilitate all membership payments; or for onward disbursement by the domestic chapters of the membership fees they collected. Should you have any questions in this regard, please, don't hesitate to contact: info@aidn-inla.be.

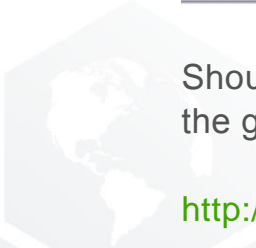
Feel free to suggest!



As you know, we have created a "suggestion box" on INLA's website to enable all INLA members to share their suggestions with regard to INLA's activities, or any topic of relevance to INLA. Feel free to send your ideas and feedback to:

<http://aidn-inla.be/suggestion-box/>.

Remember: on-line directory of all INLA members



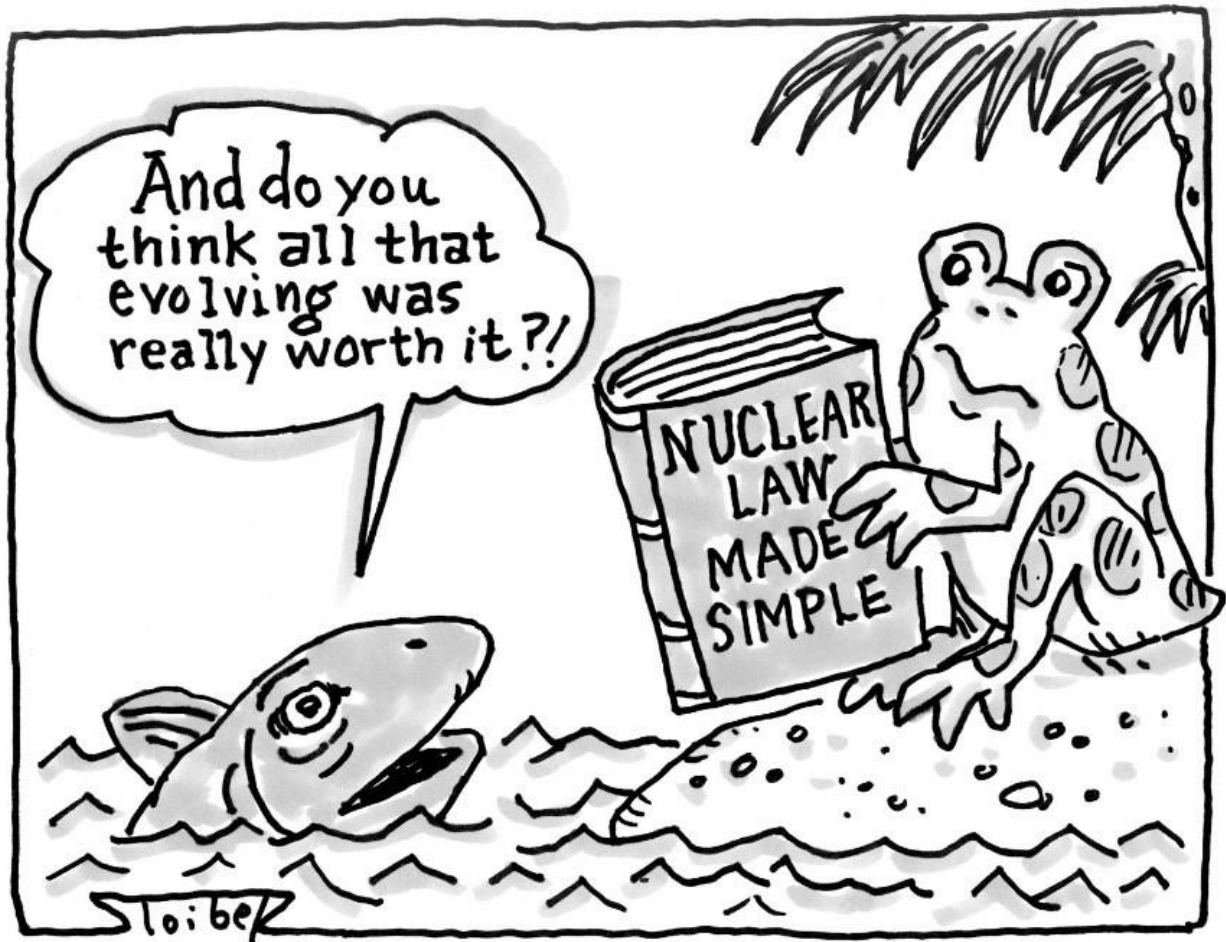
Should you want to quickly find a contact of any of the INLA members while on the go, do think of consulting INLA's on-line membership roster:



<http://aidn-inla.be/membership/membership-roster/>.



Cartoon – by Carlton Stoiber



Would you like to announce something in the forthcoming INLA Update? Feel free to send us an email at: else@mvkini.com and k.kacprzak@viewone.pl