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AU-DELÀ DU PRINCIPE DE COMPÉTENCE ?

CABLES SOUS-MARINS, GRANDS FONDS MARINS,
VÉHICULES AUTONOMES,
EXTENSION DE COMPETENCE AU-DELA DU RESSORT

24 / 06 / 2022

Résidence de l'Ambassadrice de France
11 Kensington Palace Gardens, London

The Painted Hall
Old Royal Naval College, Greenwich



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Programme

This unique legal, Naval and academic Maritime colloquium inaugurated in 2006 at EOCM Lanveoc-Brest, then at Britannia Royal Naval College, Dartmouth, and held since alternately in Greenwich - London and Paris, returns to the United Kingdom in June 2022.

Ce colloque maritime, exceptionnel, juridique, naval et universitaire, inauguré en 2006 à l'EOCM de Lanveoc-Brest, puis au Britannia Royal Naval College de Dartmouth et qui s'est tenu à tour de rôle à Greenwich (Londres) et à Paris, revient au Royaume-Uni en juin 2022.

Friday 24 June 2022 / vendredi 24 juin 2022

Résidence de l'Ambassadrice de France

By kind invitation of Her Excellency the French Ambassador to the Court of St James

11 Kensington Palace Gardens, London, W8 4QP

8.30 Registration / Accueil

9.00 Welcome and introduction / Mots de bienvenue et d'introduction :

Contre-Amiral Hervé Hamelin, French Defence Attaché to the United Kingdom

Enseigne de vaisseau 1^{er} cl. (R) Charles du Couëdic de Kerérant, Secretary General of the AJFB/FBLS

9.15 General Introduction / Introduction générale :

Her Excellency Geneviève Jean-van Rossum, French Ambassador to the International Maritime Organisation,

Future Challenges, a 20-year view

Andrew Murdoch, Legal Advisor to the Foreign Commonwealth & Development Office

And

Harry Theochari, Former Chair of Maritime UK

10.00 Panel 1 Undersea cables

Chaired by / Présidé par:

Rt Hon. the Lord Phillips of Worth Matravers, KG PC, former President of the UK Supreme Court, Former President of the British Maritime Law Association, former Chairman of the European Maritime Law Association

Speakers/ Intervenants

Enseigne de vaisseau 1^{er} cl. (R) Dr. Camille Morel, CESM, Institut d'Etudes de Stratégie et de Défense - Université Lyon III

Captain James Farrant, Naval Legal Services, Royal Navy

Jean-Luc Vuillemin, Directeur des Services et Réseaux et Internationaux d'Orange (TBC)

11.15 Coffee break / Pause café

11.45 Panel 2 Deep Sea Beds

Chaired by / Présidé par :

Contre-Amiral Hervé Hamelin, Attaché de défense, Ambassade de France au Royaume-Uni

Speakers/ Intervenants

Ingénieur en Chef de l'armement Xavier Grison, Chargé de mission grands fonds marins au SG Mer

Gavin Watson, Foreign Commonwealth and Development Office

(Total Energies) (TBC)

Tom Walter, Holman Fenwick Willan, (TBC)

13.00 Lunch / Déjeuner

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- 14. 15** **Panel 3 Autonomous vessels and the law of the sea** *(when technology moves quicker than the law?)*
Chaired by / Présidé par :
Commodore Neil Brown, *Former Head of the Royal Naval Legal Services*
Speakers/ Intervenants
Commander Caroline Tuckett, *Naval Legal Services, Royal Navy*
Damien Chevallier, *Représentant permanent adjoint de la France auprès de l'OMI*
Nicolas Gracieux, *Head of Legal Department of iXBlue*

Sir Richard Aikens PC, *former Lord Justice of Appeal, barrister (Brick Court Chambers) visiting professor (Queen Mary University of London and King's College London), director of the AJFB/FBLS*
- 15. 45** **Coffee break / Pause café**
- 16. 15** **Panel 4 Jurisdiction beyond jurisdiction**
Co-chaired by / Présidé par :
Commissaire général Thierry de la Burgade, *Secrétaire Général de la Mer adjoint*
Christopher Chant, *Director of the Joint Maritime Security Centre*
Speakers/ Intervenants
Caroline Krajka, *sous-directrice du droit de la mer, du droit fluvial et des pôles, Ministère de l'Europe et des affaires étrangères (TBC)*

Prof. Andrew Lambert FKC, *Laughton Professor of Naval History, King's College London*

Commissaire en chef 2^e cl. Christophe Mommessin, *Chef du Bureau du Droit de la mer et des opérations aéronavales,*

Captain Ian Park, *Naval Legal Services, Royal Navy*
- 17. 30** **Concluding remarks / remarques finales**
Simon Horsington, *Founder, Honorary vice-president of the AJFB/FBLS*
Barrister, 4-5 Gray's Inn Square Barristers Chambers

(Commuting from the Residence to Greenwich may be organised using Thames Clipper from Chelsea Pier to Greenwich)

- 19. 45** **Concluding reception and dinner / Réception et dîner de clôture**
The Painted Hall, Old Royal Naval College, Park Row, SE10 9LS

By kind invitation of The First Sea Lord
Reception 19.45 - Seating 20.30 and Carriages 23.00
(Dress Code: Black Tie or Mess Undress / Smoking ou Spencer - Changing room / Cloakroom facilities provided)

Welcome / Mots d'accueil :
Captain John Atwill, *Head of Naval Legal Services, Royal Navy*
Ian Forrester, *former judge at the General Court of the European Union President of the AJFB/FBLS*
- 2022 Colloquium concluding speech / Discours conclusif du colloque 2022**
H.E. The French Ambassador to the Court of St. James (TBC)

Invited Guests of Honour:
Her Exc. Dame Menna Rawlings, *British Ambassador to France* (TBC)
Her Exc. Geneviève Jean-van Rossum, *French Ambassador to the IMO* (TBC)
Commissaire général Thierry de la Burgade, *Secrétaire Général de la Mer adjoint*
Air Commodore (RAF) Tim Below, *UK Defence attaché to France*
Contre-Amiral Hervé Hamelin, *Attaché de défense, Ambassade de France au Royaume-Uni*
Andrew Murdoch, *Legal Advisor to the Foreign Commonwealth & Development Office*
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Attendance at the Colloquium may qualify for 6 hours CPD.

The event is accredited with the Bar Council of Northern Ireland. Barristers in England & Wales, CILEx, Solicitors in England & Wales, and in Scotland self-certify. Advocates in Scotland and Solicitors in Northern-Ireland will be eligible to claim for 6 CPD hours. The Franco-British Lawyers Society will issue an attendance certificate.



Colloque en cours d'homologation par l'Ecole de Formation du Barreau pour 6 heures au titre de la formation continue des avocats.

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The proceedings of the colloquium shall be published by the CESM (TBC)
Les actes du colloque feront l'objet d'une publication par le CESM (TBC).

***Additional information and registration
Informations complémentaires et inscriptions***

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