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In my capacity as Director of the Athens Public International law Center (Athens PIL), an academic institution that forms part of the School of Law of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, I am delighted to welcome participating students to the Summer Law School on International Investment Law 2022, co-organized by ELSA Athens and AthensPIL for a seventh consecutive year. This year, in particular, we are proud to have 35 students from countries from all over the world, including Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cape Verde, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, India, Italy, Lithuania, Malaysia, Norway, Poland, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, Turkey, United States and Uzbekistan, as participants in our Summer Law School. This year as well, our Summer Law School includes two interactive skills training workshops taking place under the aegis of ICDR Y&I and Young ICCA. I extend a warm thanks to our partner, ELSA Athens, the members of the Organizing Committee, the sponsors, the distinguished members of the Summer Law School's Faculty, and everyone else involved. We are confident that the Summer Law School on International Investment Law 2022 will again be an opportunity for young law students, scholars and practitioners from all around the globe to engage in productive exchange of ideas on international investment law.



ASSISTANT PROFESSOR ANASTASIOS GOURGOURINIS
National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, School of Law; Athens Public International Law Center
Academic Supervisor of the Summer Law School on International Investment Law

For a seventh year in a row, we are delighted to welcome participating students to the Summer Law School on International Investment Law 2022, co-organized since 2016 by ELSA Athens and the Athens Public International Law Center (AthensPIL). We are indeed proud to welcome this year a select 35 students from countries from all over the world, including Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cape Verde, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, India, Italy, Lithuania, Malaysia, Norway, Poland, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, Turkey, United States and Uzbekistan. We are also honoured to have two interactive skills training workshops under the aegis of ICDR Y&I and Young ICCA. Let me cordially thank our partner, ELSA Athens, the members of the Organizing Committee, the sponsors, the renowned scholars and practitioners who feature in our Summer Law School's Faculty, every person involved this year, and of course, each one of the participants, and express the hope that during the course of this week of intense lectures we will again meet the educational objectives of the project

The Athens Public International Law Center (Athens PIL) was founded in July 2015. It is an academic institution that forms part of the Faculty of Law of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens. The mission of Athens PIL is to be a leading research center committed to the study and promotion of international law.

The Center's objectives are: to contribute to the promotion of international law through teaching, research and other scientific events; to provide an environment that brings together students, researchers and academics interested in international law from all over the world; to play a pivotal role in the development of international law through strong cooperation and partnership with other academic institutions or research centers, international organizations and other scientific and social organizations.

The Center's key activities include expert seminars and meetings on carefully selected topics of international law; a bibliographical center with emphasis on international law related research activities and publications; bilateral and multilateral co-operation with other academic institutions or research centers; organisation of conferences on topical issues of international law and national and international events; training and education seminars and programmes.



The European Law Students' Association

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The European Law Students' Association (ELSA) is an international, independent, non-profit and non-political Union, addressed to law students, trainees and young lawyers. The European Union Youth Legal Athens (ELSA Athens) is the local branch of ELSA in Athens and is active at the Law School of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens.

The ELSA Athens was founded in 2002 as a legal person under associative form. Today it accounts around 200 members. ELSA Athens provides Athens law School students and young lawyers the opportunity to participate in academic activities, seminars, conferences, and internship programs abroad (through the Students' Trainee Exchange Programme – STEP) and thus to interact with students and practitioners around Europe and to experience different legal systems and cultures.

The aim is to promote critical dialogue and scientific cooperation, while equipping participants with skills valuable for a professional life in an international environment and contributing to the vision of ELSA: a just world with respect for human rights www.elsa-greece.org/elsa-athens/ and cultural diversity!

GET TO KNOW

the members of the
Organizing Committee



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ATHINA SOTIRIOU, HEAD OF THE OC



"As the head of the Organizing Committee of the 7th Summer ELSA Law School on International Investment Law, I feel very lucky to have the opportunity to organise such a creative but also demanding project. After two years of webinars due to the covid situation, organizing the summer school (in person) again it is definitely a challenge. However, taking into account the cooperation with all the members of the Organizing Committee, the hard work and the innovative ideas, I am sure that we will be able to live up to all your expectations. The participants will have the opportunity to expand their mental and social horizons given the fact that we provide an executive academic and social programme. The anticipation for those 7 days is getting bigger and bigger as the time passes, as I can't wait to meet you all and to create new experiences!"

NELLY TSORI, CO-HEAD OF THE OC



"SELS Athens on International Investment Law is a unique opportunity to invest in your academic, legal and social skills. It is with great pleasure that we invite you to its seventh and physical edition, after two online editions. This summer, Zoom lectures and workshops are finally turning again into a full experience under the Athenian sky. We, therefore, urge you all to apply, to come and meet us in person, to attend the academic event of the year and to spend wonderful summer days with us in Athens!"

STELLA DIAMANTI, CO-HEAD OF THE OC



"As the Treasurer of ELSA Athens and Co-Head of the Organizing Committee of the 7th Summer ELSA Law School, I am really excited to announce you that we are back and more productive than ever with an unique but also a demanding project, which will take place in Athens, a city full of surprises. To be more specific, this year's conference, achieving the high academic level and professional services, is, without exaggeration, a long-awaited event. The list of speakers, which are all highly respected professionals, is quite impressive and we expect a lively and fruitful discussion on various topics of Investment Law. Last but not least, I can assure you that we will do our best to present you a well-organized and well-balanced Conference with a very topical agenda and you will be benefitted from all of the sessions that you will attend. We are proud of this achievement and of our O.C.'s contribution.

SOPHIA ANTHOPOULOU, CO-HEAD OF THE OC



"SELS Athens is coming and I couldn't be more grateful for meeting you all in person! Being in charge of Marketing, I can assure you sincerely that not only my team but the whole Organizing Committee worked very hard during the past few months in order to provide you with a Summer School that will meet your expectations. A Summer School well organized: full of interesting lectures and presentations, supported by renowned academic partners, accompanied by unforgettable social events in Athens, the birthplace of Democracy. After two years of pandemic and staying away from each other, Summer ELSA Law School on International Investment Law is here again to provide you with the perfect and unique opportunity to meet new people from all around the world, exchange information and views and broaden both your knowledge and horizons! Do not hesitate: create friendships, moments and memories by investing in your summer & by investing in yourself."

IOANNA PATERAKI
MEMBER-RESPONSIBLE FOR MARKETING



"I am happy to be a member of this year's Organizing Committee and help in a project that promotes learning, socializing and traveling around the world. Participating in the Marketing team is exciting and I am delighted to support Summer ELSA's Law School"

VICTORIA KASKAMPA
MEMBER-RESPONSIBLE FOR PARTICIPANTS



"I am truly happy and honored to be an OC member of this year's SELS on International Investment Law, especially because it will be making an in-person comeback after 2 years of solely virtual lectures. As an OC member responsible for participants, I cannot wait to meet everyone during and after the lectures and provide them with all the help they might need. Our team has also been working tirelessly to organize the most varied and exciting social events, ranging from casual sightseeing and fun dinners to entertainment and Athenian nightlife, so they are definitely not to be missed!"

ANDRIANI KATSIKI
MEMBER-RESPONSIBLE FOR PARTICIPANTS



"ELSA's summer school is coming soon and as a member of the Organizing Committee I guarantee that through this experience all participants will have the chance to not only improve themselves academically, but also learn about the Greek culture and make international friends. I am really looking forward to it and I can't wait to meet you!"

CHRISTINA LAGKA
GENERAL ASSISTANT
RESPONSIBLE FOR PARTICIPANTS



"Organizing this year's SELS for the past few months has been a pleasure but also a challenge.

I can't wait to see everything fall into place and enjoy a week full of learning opportunities, new friends and cultural experiences!"

KASSIANI BELERI
MEMBER- RESPONSIBLE FOR LOGISTICS



"I am very excited to be part of this year's Summer School examining crucial matters in the field of International Investment Law. I hope that we will be able to provide all participants with a unique and exciting learning experience in Athens this summer."

HELEN TSAGIANNI
MEMBER- RESPONSIBLE FOR LOGISTICS



"Dear participants my name is Helen, As a member of this year's Organizing Committee I am very happy to welcome you to SELS! The summer school experience will not only give you the tools to evolve and amplify your knowledge on International Investment Law, but you will also walk away with some unforgettable experiences! It's the perfect entertaining and at the same time learning opportunity, can't wait to meet you all!"

NIKI SYROGIANNI
MEMBER- RESPONSIBLE FOR LOGISTICS



"I am very very happy that this year's SELS are taking place in Greece. As a member of the OC i am sure that the participants will have the opportunity not only to gain new information and investigate deeply to international investment law, but will also expand their horizons, they will make new friends and unforgettable memories too! Looking forward to seeing you in Greece"

CELIA MANOU
GENERAL ASSISTANT
RESPONSIBLE FOR PARTICIPANTS



"This year's SELS, that marks our return to in-person lectures after two full years, has been a passion project for our organizing committee these past few months. We have been working hard to ensure the best experience for all of our participants- a full academic program by experts of the field and a chance to experience everything Athens has to offer- what else can you ask for? We cannot wait to meet you all! "

KASSY VERGI
GENERAL ASSISTANT
RESPONSIBLE FOR ACADEMICS



"As a director of ELSA Athens as well as a member of this summer's Organizing Committee, I am looking forward to welcoming you in Athens. This year, ELSA Summer School on International Investment Law finally returns in-person and guarantees the acquisition of both theoretical and practical knowledge, intercultural acquaintances with young members of the legal community and memorable fun experiences. Don't miss it, be there with us!"

MARIA FEFE
MEMBER-RESPONSIBLE FOR
VENUES-ACCOMMODATION



"I'm really excited to be a part of this year's Organising Committee, knowing that it will surely be a magnificent experience for all the participants! I hope that we will be able to meet your expectation. Can't wait to meet and share experiences with everybody."

IOANNA ZGOURI
MEMBER-RESPONSIBLE FOR PARTICIPANTS



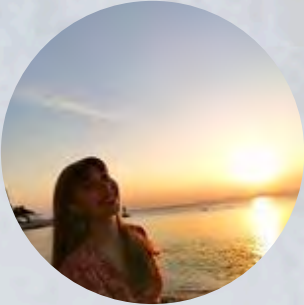
As a member of the Organizing Committee, I am more than proud to announce that Summer Elsa Law School is finally back. This year, participants will have the opportunity to enrich their knowledge on International Investment Law and meet new people from all over the world who are also interested in this topic. I am personally sure that this SELS will be an unforgettable experience for everyone!

VERA CHATZIGEORGIOU
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Vera is a PhD Candidate at the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens and a researcher at Athens PIL since June 2022. She holds an LL.M in Public International Law (with distinction, 2020) and an LL. B (2018) from the same University. Her doctoral research focuses on the application of due diligence during health emergency situations. Vera is currently working as a Junior Associate at the Natural Environment and Climate Change Agency (NECCA), a central government entity acting as a body governed by private law in Athens, Greece. Previously, she worked for Interamerican S.A, a multinational insurance company seated in Athens, Greece. Her areas of interest include public international law, international environmental law, international dispute settlement, investment treaty arbitration.

CHRISTINA SOTIRIOU
MEMBER-RESPONSIBLE FOR PARTICIPANTS



As a member of the Organizing Committee of SELS 2022, I truly believe that the participants will have an immense opportunity to be educated on International Investment Law, all while getting to know new people from different countries, but also the Greek way of living and of course, beautiful Athens. I can hardly wait for those 7 days of fun to start!

LAST, BUT NOT LEAST ...

- **SOTIROPOULOU MARIA,**
General Assistant for Venues-Accommodation
- **ADAMANTIDIS GIANNIS**
General Assistant for Logistics
- **TAMVISKOS IOANNIS**
Member-Responsivle for Venues and Accommodation



- **PANTELOPOULOS NIKOS**
Member-Responsible for Participants

- **VAGENAS GIORGOS**
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- **STAVROS NIKOS**
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- **ELENA PAPALOPOULOU**
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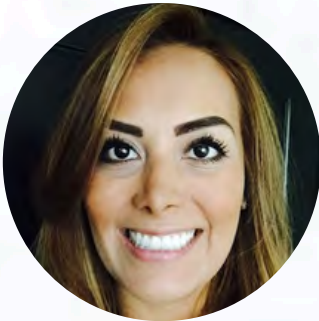
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Member -Responsible for Marketing

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PATRICIA NACIMIENTO



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ACADEMIC PROGRAMME



25.7
Monday

academic programme

10:00 - 11:20

Sources of International Investment Law and
Consent to International Investment
Arbitration

Anastasios Gourgourinis & Marios Tokas

11:30 - 12:50

Investment Arbitration under the ICSID
Arbitration Rules

Gloria Alvarez

13:00 - 14:20

Investment Arbitration under "Non-ICSID"
Arbitration Rules

Joel Dahlquist

Lunch

15:00 - 16:20

Jurisdiction *Ratione Personae*: Defining Foreign
"Investors"

Nikoletta Chalikopoulou

16:30 - 17:50

Jurisdiction *Ratione Materiae*: Defining Foreign
"Investments"

Eugenia C. Stavropoulou



26.7
Tuesday

academic programme

10:00 - 11:20

Attribution in International Investment Law
Carlo De Stefano

11:30 - 12:50

National Treatment and MFN in International
Investment Law
Sergey Usoskin

13:00 - 14:20

Expropriation in International Investment Law
Johanne Cox

15:00 - 16:20

Fair and Equitable Treatment & Full Protection
and Security in International Investment Law
Natalia Mouzoula

Lunch

16:30 - 17:50

Umbrella Clauses in International Investment
Law
Katia Yannaka-Small

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Wednesday

academic programme

10:00 - 11:20

Extension of arbitration agreements contained in investment contracts with States or State entities

Michail Risvas

11:30 - 12:50

The Right to Regulate in International Investment Law

Catharine Titi

13:00 - 14:20

CPowers and Duties of Investment Arbitrators

Edoardo Stoppioni

Lunch

15:00 - 16:20

Challenges to and Enforcement of Investment Treaty Arbitration Awards

Patricia Nacimiento



28.7
Thursday

academic programme

10:00 - 11:20

International Investment Law and Sovereign
Debt

Chrystia Papacleovoulou

11:30 - 12:50

International Investment Law and Political Risk

Thomas-Nektarios Papanastasiou

13:00 - 14:20

Powers and Duties of Investment Arbitrators

Faidon Varesis

Lunch

15:00 - 16:20

ICDR Y&I Skills Training Workshop on Written and
Oral Advocacy in Investment Arbitration

**Rebecca James (Moderator), Barton Legum,
Alexander G. Leventhal, Marc Krestin and Marily
Paralika**

16:30 - 17:50

ICDR Y&I Workshop (cont'd)



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Friday

academic programme

10:00 - 11:20

International Investment Law and Sovereign Immunity

Claudia Annacker

11:30 - 12:50

International Investment Law and the International Responsibility of the European Union

Vassilis Pergantis

13:00 - 14:20

International Investment Law and EU Law

Paschalis Paschalidis

Lunch

15:00 - 16:20

Young ICCA Skills Training Workshop on Cross Examination

Anastasios Gourgourinis (Moderator), Isabela Lacreta, Constantine Partasides QC and Bart Wasiak, along with Nikoletta Chalikopoulou, Johanne Cox, Paschalis Paschalidis and Eugenia C. Stavropoulou

16:30 - 17:50

Young ICCA Workshop (cont'd)



30.7
Saturday

academic programme

10:00 - 11:20

Investment and Competition Reforms: EU
Commission Review of Competition Policy Tools
Ioannis Apsouris

11:30 - 12:50

International Investment Law and Human Rights
Christina Binder

13:00 - 14:20

International Investment Law and Poverty
Krista Nadakavukaren- Schefer

Lunch

15:00 - 16:20

African Perspectives in International Investment
Law
Walid Ben Hamida

16:30 - 17:50

Peremptory Norms in International Investment
Law
Daniel Costelloe

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Mokhichekhra Abdulaeva



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Bartosz Majka



Hello everyone! My name is Bartosz Majka and I am a graduate of law studies, currently I work as a judge's assistant and I am a trainee attorney at law in Poznan (Poland). Earlier, during my studies, I worked in the legal teams of several Poznań law firms. In addition, I am a member of the arbitration court in Poznań as an arbiter in resolving disputes between consumers and entrepreneurs, hence my interest in international investment law. However, I am most interested in the issue of organized crime groups operating at an international level, which I have partially worked with. Work has taught me that everyone deserves a fair trial and a fair sentence. I love travelling and overcoming my own weaknesses. I treat participation in the ELSA summer law school in Athens as an opportunity for personal development and improvement of English language skills. Besides, I am the biggest fan of Italian cuisine, especially tiramisu and pasta with shrimps. It will be an unforgettable adventure!

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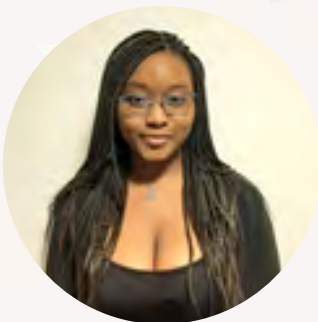
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Vivian Chernookova



Hello! My name is Vivian Chernookova. I speak Bulgarian, English, French and a bit of German and Russian. I am about to start my last year of Bachelor study in European Law in Maastricht University in the Netherlands. I have been actively involved in ELSA for the past few years, as an organiser of SELS Maastricht 2021, as a member of the Seminars and Conferences committee of ELSA Maastricht, as well attending numerous lectures and academic activities organised by different regional, national and international ELSA groups. I am passionate in business and investment law, thus I decided to attend this SELS in order to deepen my knowledge and meet like minded people. Looking forward to meeting you all!

Rayana Borges



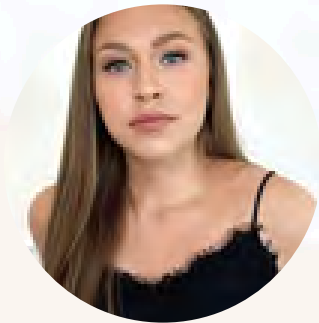
Hey guys:)

My name is Rayana Borges, I'm 20 years old and I'm Cape Verdean but I'm studying in University of Lisbon, in Portugal. Just finished my 3rd year of Law doing my Erasmus semester in Universitet I Bergen, Norway. Right now, I'm on my last year of bachelor, and I'm thinking of pursuing a Masters in something related to Law & Technology, IP or Public International Law (still undecided since I have too much interest and passion for those fields that I can't settle down with just one of them) I speak Portuguese, Creole and English fluently, I'd consider myself as an intermediate French and Spanish speaker, but I also have some basic knowledge in Mandarin. Besides that, I love to travel, discover new cultures and meet people with different backgrounds, even though I'm very shy. I'm looking forward this SELS and to discover Athens with all of you! Can't wait to see you!

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Beatrice Tupikaite



H! I'm Beatrice, and although I was born and raised in Lithuania, I now feel right calling myself as a 'Londoner' as I will now be coming back to London as a second year Law and Business programme student. This summer I have already finished one internship on AML in one of the Baltic Banks and now I'm sitting on my second internship in an international law firm as an assistant lawyer/trainee. In my leisure time I love playing beach volleyball and spending time actively, socializing and just being surrounded by warm and open people. Very much looking forward to meeting all of the participants and organizing committee.

With love <3

Beatrice

Parandzem (Peri) Mikayelyan



Hello! I am Peri from Armenia. I have graduated from Uppsala University (2020) and French University of Armenia and Jean Moulin Lyon 3 (2019). Currently I am working at the International Arbitration Department of the Government of Armenia. My practice focuses on Investor-State and Commercial Arbitration with the involvement of Armenia. I have also represented my country in the Modernization Negotiations of the Energy Charter Treaty (as you can see in my photo ☺), and I am involved in Armenia's delegation to UNCITRAL Working Group III (investor-state dispute settlement reform). As a young lawyer interested and working in the field of international investment law and dispute resolution, I could not resist applying for Athens's SELS. I am really motivated to make the most out of this wonderful opportunity and deepen my understanding of the international investment law and arbitration through lectures by prominent scholars and practitioners as well as exchanges with peers. On a personal note, I am an energetic person who loves having fun. In my free time, I enjoy working out, singing, spending time with friends and learning foreign languages. Can't wait to meet you all in Athens and spend a memorable time together!



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Oscar Guérin



I am Oscar Guérin, a French law student from Normandy, studying in 5th year of law, second year of masters of international and European law at the University of Caen. I first got interested in an international career when I had the opportunity to work as a guest relations agent at the Country Music Hall of Fame in Nashville, Tennessee, during the summer of 2019. Following this interest, I got involved in the associative life of my region, Normandy, war torn during the XXth century, yet full of initiatives towards a better understanding and sharing with other cultures. I managed to get accepted in my masters of international and European law and proceeded to attend summer and winter schools in universities regarding international and European law in KU Leuven, alternative dispute resolution methods in Porto (Elsa), and dispute resolution in Vienna (Elsa), in order to enrich my knowledge of these subjects but mostly to share with students, lawyers, teachers from all over the globe. This sharing involves law, history, sports, art, gastronomy, as these are subjects I can't get enough of, and it usually ends up in great friendships. I am looking forward to this international investment law summer school and to get to know all of you!

Peter Kovacs



My name is Peter Kovacs and I am currently writing my diploma thesis and finishing my studies as a law student at the University of Graz, Austria. I was born in Hungary, but I have been living in Austria for more than ten years. Therefore, I am fluent in German, Hungarian and English. I pursue an international career in law and I am interested in arbitration, banking & finance, capital markets, corporate M&A and investment funds. From August onwards, I will be working as a trainee lawyer in the field of international litigation and arbitration in Vienna.

During my academic years I have participated and coached at different moot courts, like the Vis Moot Court, the Austrian Mock Mediation Moot Court and the M&A Contract Competition, where our team has won the National Finals. I believe, that these experiences were definitely the highlights during my studies and I hope that the ELSA Summer Law School in Athens can be the proper finish before graduation.

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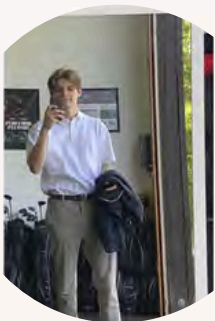
Ioannis Achillias



A service-oriented International Arbitration Practitioner, an Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) Specialist Strong academic studies in law to include PhD candidacy in Civil Procedural Law, MA in EU Law, MA in Civil Law, BA in International European Studies, and BA in Law.

“Hello fellows. I am very happy to be one of you and a member of this excellent SELS. I am looking forward to having precious moments plenty of knowledge and fun with all of you”

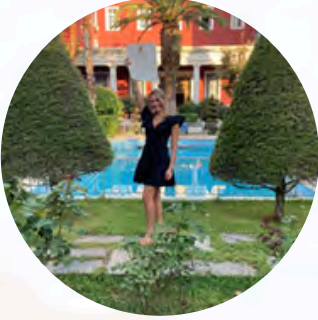
Cosimo Herold



Hi! Im Cosimo, 20 years old and from Germany. I just finished my second year of studying law. In my freetime I like to do a lot of sports as basketball, golf, wintersports and training in the gym. My passion for international investment law is settled in my globalized lifestyle. This means that I usually travel a lot. Recently I started to have some projects away from germany as well. I participated for instance in founding processes of startups in the UAE. When I'm not spending time with friends on the lake or park I'm working in a law firm and working as a consultant and give legal advice in a student association for people in need.

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Evangeliana Rigopoulou

Hi everyone, My name is Evangeliana, i come from Greece and my age is 24 years. I am currently going into second year of studies at the Faculty of Law in Cyprus. I have another bachelor degree in Political Science and History at Panteion University in Athens. Further, when I was student there, I was President of student union for more than 2 years. I speak Greek, English with fluency and French in a basic level. Moreover, in covid-19 days I had been working in a firm which deals with products imports for 1 year in Greece and now I am working in hotel units company in Cyprus. The experiments in these duties reveal to me that on the one hand I have a strong need to protect human rights according to their jobs and on the other I'm interested in the risks about the legal protection of foreign investments against political risks, especially if somebody thinks about the fluidity of sovereign nation issues. So, these are the perspectives that I would like to scientifically accurate international investment law and I'm sure that in this program we will have the opportunity to approach plenty of these fields. According to my free time, I was athlete in taekwondo for 13 years and now i enjoy to do kangoo jumps. I find it very amusing. I am really excited to meet you in my Country, especially in Athens and spend quality time.



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Erika Angiulli



Hello everyone! It's Erika Angiulli from Italy. I am currently attending the third year of the Faculty of Law at the University of Milan and I am very satisfied with my choice of studies. I still have no clear ideas about which field of law I would like to deepen, but I definitely find the field of business law and investment law very interesting. I love travelling, gaining experience abroad, meeting new people and improving my languages: I speak Italian and English fluently, have a very good knowledge of Spanish and a basic knowledge of German. I also really enjoy dancing, listening to music and trying out new restaurants. At the moment, I try to take advantage of all opportunities that can help me to understand what I would like to do in the future and which direction to give to my studies. This is my first experience abroad with Elsa and I am very excited about it, I can't wait to meet everyone in Athens! See you soon!

Magdaléna Kůrová



Hello! My name is Magdaléna Kůrová and I have just finished my fourth year of studies at Masaryk University in Brno, Czech Republic. Besides that, I have also just spent the last semester at Erasmus University in Rotterdam, Netherlands, where I also got the chance to study international commercial arbitration. I enjoy doing outdoor sports such as hiking, cycling and skiing. I love going on trips and travelling and I am therefore thrilled to explore Athens with you all! I am also interested in international law and international investment and commercial arbitration. When it comes to international investment arbitration, I am participating in the 2022 FDI Moot representing the Masaryk University. Looking forward to gaining more knowledge in international investment law and getting to know all of you in Athens soon!

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Nouf Almalki

Hello, it's Nouf from Saudi Arabia. I'm currently finishing my degree in international law and globalisation at the university of Birmingham, UK. I have interest in corporate law and governance. Beside my studies, I have been working as a legal assistant, at the largest media group in the Middle East, MBC Group. I have taken parts in multiple leadership programs, one of which was done by McKinsey & Company, and the other one was by the Saudi Bar Association. I speak Arabic and English fluently, love to watch series and to listen and dance to music. I also have deep nterest in astrology and horoscopes. I find joy in walking around my neighbourhood in Birmingham, and the streets of London, and to discover the small towns of the UK. I love food, one of my favourite hobbies is to discover and try new restaurants and bakeries. That's all! Looking forward to seeing you in Athens!

Arsal Rehber



Hello there! I am Arsal Rehber. Recently graduated from Ihsan Dogramaci Bilkent University and will be starting my legal internship by September. I am the Former President of ELSA Turkey (2019-2021) and that is my 5th year in ELSA. Throughout my ELSA journey, I had the chance to meet a lot of people from different cultures and that helped me broaden my vision in terms of what I want to do with my life. For my hobbies, I like classical music, cinema (especially western and Sci-Fi), and video games. Can't wait to meet you all in Athens!

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Jake Lowther



My name is Jake Lowther and I am a Western Australian-qualified lawyer. Since 2020 I have been working as an Associate in the M&A and dispute resolution teams at Magnusson in Sweden. I am also studying to qualify as a Swedish lawyer at Stockholm University and anticipate graduating in January 2023. My interest in arbitration began as an undergraduate student in Australia when I participated in the Willem C. Vis moot. My interest in international investment law and dispute resolution led me to studying the LL.M. in international dispute resolution at Humboldt-University of Berlin. Since then, I have gained professional and academic experience of both commercial and investment arbitration and have worked with the DIS, HKIAC, ICC, ICSID, KCAB and the SCC rules as well as of domestic litigation in Australia and Sweden. In addition to my experience of working in private practice, I also have experience working for an arbitral institution, including as Intern at the German Arbitration Institute (DIS) and as Foreign Legal Specialist at the Korean Commercial Arbitration Board's international division, KCAB INTERNATIONAL, in Seoul.

Frankie Collins



Frankie is a second year law student at Case Western Reserve University Law School in Cleveland, Ohio. She joined the law program in January 2021 after graduating from Purdue University in December 2020. While at Purdue, Frankie studied aerospace engineering and pre-law studies. This summer, Frankie is interning for the Romano Law Firm in downtown Cleveland. The firm specializes in bankruptcy litigation, in-house counsel for tech start-ups, and civil litigation. She has drafted three motions for summary judgment, one motion to dismiss, one complaint, one mediation folder, and has performed over one hundred hours of legal research. Additionally, Frankie is working with the Canada-U.S. Law Institute to develop a database of laws for the Great Lakes. This bi-national resource is bordered by two Canadian provinces and eight U.S. states.

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Oya Poyraz



Hello everyone! I am Oya Poyraz and I come from Turkey. I am 21 years old. This year, I finished my second year at Istanbul Bilgi University Faculty of Law. My native language is Turkish but I am both fluent in English and French. I am very eager to work in maritime law and for this purpose I am doing my internship in a ship broker based company's sale and purchase department. I want to establish my professional life in a country within the borders of the EU, for this I will do my maritime law internship in Malta in September. However, I don't want to be fixed to a specific field and want to develop my skills and knowledge in different fields of law. Investment law is a whole different area for me to gain knowledge. As my university being a private one, my studies take up most of my time because I work extra to keep my scholarship. But of course I am not just pursuing an academic career. I love being outdoors and exploring the city's best eateries. Also, I am a huge traveler. Although it is not possible to travel during the Covid-19 period, I try to compensate for this situation at every opportunity. I guess, getting to know about different cultures and cities is my passion. I am looking forward to meeting you, see you in Athens!

Divij Kumar



Mr. Divij Kumar is an incoming International Arbitration Scholar at the White & Case International Arbitration LLM program at the University of Miami, School of Law in Florida, United States. Formerly a science elementary majors student, he has over three years of industrial experience and has been assisting Professor Dr. Julien Chaisse, an award-winning and world-renowned expert on international economic law (trade, investment, and tax), cyberlaw, and international dispute resolution at the City University of Hong Kong (CityU), School of Law, as his research assistant since 2021.

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Alberto Rocco



I am an Italian fifth-year law student at University of Trento. As part of a double degree program, I am currently completing a Master of Laws (LLM) in international economic law from the University of Glasgow which I've attended during the last academic year. I have developed a strong interest in international law and international dispute resolution during my academic career. In addition, I have taken part in several competitions involving ADR methods. The teams I worked with had been very inspiring and made me learn how to deal with different working methods. When it comes to the legal field, I am enthusiastic about investigating the underlying complexity of disputes and finding the best solution for the parties involved, combining active listening and technical knowledge to get the big picture. I speak Italian and English fluently, have a good knowledge of Spanish and a basic knowledge of German. Discovering cultures that are different from mine really fascinates me. On the personal side, I am a very curious person who loves to listen carefully to the people I interact with. Moreover, I love podcasts, sports (particularly team sports) and sporting events in general, especially football.

Simay Demir,



Hello! My name is Simay Demir, and I recently graduated from Ankara University Faculty of Law. Right now, I am enjoying my summer waiting for my legal traineeship to start in September. I have been an active member of ELSA since the beginning of my law school journey. Besides ELSA, I have taken place in numerous organizations and students' associations. During my ELSA journey, I had a chance to do a STEP Traineeship, participate in ELSA Delegations as a delegate for WIPO and etc. Therefore, I wanted to complete my journey by partaking in one of the most important events that is being organized under this association, SELS! I also have always enjoyed doing sports while growing up and recently I have been into yoga a lot. I love spending my leisure time with cinema and music. Lastly, as a traveler, I am looking forward to visit Athens!



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Andrea Berardo



Hello everyone, I am Andrea Berardo and I come from Italy. I graduated in Law in 2019 and I am a trainee lawyer in Torino. I attended both the Université de Nice (bachelor's degree) and the Università degli Studi di Torino (master's degree), where I was ELSA marketing director in 2018/2019. I describe myself as an eclectic person, since I am interested in several law fields such as IP law, commercial and contract law, as well as legal history. One of my greatest passions is hiking: I often dedicate my weekends to walks in the beautiful hills of Asti and Piemonte.

Nicola Todorovic



Hi everyone! My name is Nikola, and I just finished mag.iur. studies at the Faculty of Law, University of Vienna. I started my studies at the Faculty of Law in Belgrade, in Serbia, where I grew up actually and spend most time of my life. For more than two years I am working as a paralegal in one Viennese law firm Blumauer Partner Rechtsanwälte GmbH. I am huge cinema fan and member of Austrian Film Museum. Also, my second passion is music. I am looking forward to meeting all of you and spend last student summer with you in Athens!



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Man Dinh Vu



Hi! My name is Man and I am a law student from Norway. After this summer I will be starting my second year of my Master's degree in law at the University of Bergen (UiB). Most of my free time is spent on volunteering. For instance, I am a finance manager at the voluntary organizations Enviro, Start Bergen, Juridisk Innebandyklubb and NHHS Regnskapsgruppen. I also love traveling but never had the time to do so! Finally this July I will be traveling to Barcelona, Milan, Rimini and lastly to Athens. Looking forward to meeting you all!

Tomas Kotlan



Tomáš has just finished his third year of his studies at Masaryk University. He is very passionate about sports of all kinds, especially those contact ones such as boxing. In his free time Tomáš likes to read a good book and enjoys spending time with leisure activities such as watching Netflix. Although he may not seem like it but he is willing to go to great lengths to help other people. He is very fond of Scotland and Scottish culture. In law he is interested in the area of International Investment and Commercial arbitration. Tomáš participated in the 2021 FDI Moot which was by far the best law related experience during his studies. Tomáš believes that FDI Moot is a great chance to get an insight into International law and arbitration and everyone who is at least a bit interested in this area should definitely give it a try. Currently he participates in the 2022 FDI Moot, 2022/2023 Vis Moot and works as a paralegal in Allen & Overy.



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Rodger Nyioh



Hello everyone, I'm Rodger and I am a fresh graduate from the University of Bristol. I was the Vice President for Seminars and Conferences of the United Kingdom who has since retired from this position. I found a specific interest in all things finance through a legal perspective. This was due to a FinTech internship that I had the privilege of participating in last summer. I find the idea of securitizations, investments and international harmonisation absorbing and bewildering concepts to explore. Beyond developing my knowledge on the transactional aspects of the law, this summer school presents me with an opportunity to engage in the contentious aspect of finance - namely investment arbitration. I look forward to developing my understanding alongside the many international faces participating in this program.

Filip Wiśniewski



Hello! I am Filip Wiśniewski and I am student of 3 grade of Law at Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń. This year I have been acting as VP in charge of Seminars and Conferences at ELSA Toruń, during next year I will have the honour of being the President of my Local Group. Apart from ELSA I used to work as a Paralegal. Apart from my studies I enjoy travelling and learning new cultures. I am also huge fan of football and fantasy books.

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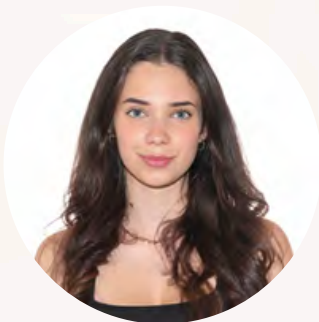
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Avgi Tsolaridou



Hello everyone, My name is Avgi and I'm from Greece. This September I'm entering the third year of my law degree at University of Southampton. This year I had the honour to be firstly a director of ELSA Southampton for a while. After some time, I decided I wanted to be more creative so I applied for VP for Academic Activities for ELSA. As VPAA, I enjoyed spending time on this role. When I'm thinking about the concept of law, I feel very passionate about it. In my opinion, law is as much important as medicine. Without law, no one can live in an organised community. I am very excited to see you in few days and have fun conversations with you!! See you there!!

Rita Kachkouche



My name is Rita and I am currently going into my second year of studies. I study European law at Maastricht University. I'm still not quite sure about what field of law I'd like to specialize in, but the topic of business law seems very interesting to me so far. I am half Czech and half Lebanese, but have lived in Dubai for a big part of my life. I enjoy traveling, meeting new people and learning foreign languages. I am fluent in Czech, English, Arabic and can speak basic German and French. I also enjoy doing sports, particularly dancing. Looking forward to meeting all of you in Athens!



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Magdalena Jörgler



I am 24 years old and I am currently studying business law in Vienna. In October I am going to start my Master's degree at WU Vienna (University of Economics and Business). Besides my studies I am working part-time at a notary's office. Thereby I have already had the opportunity to gain an insight in many different fields. One of these fields is investment processes. The current Corona crisis has shown how important it is to invest disposable capital. Being partly involved in such an investment process has increased my interest in getting to know more about the subject, also internationally. This is why I am looking forward to discussing current issues with professionals in that field. Of course I am not only working and studying – in my spare time I am hanging out with friends or family. One of my favorite activities is strolling through the old town of Vienna and looking for the best coffee spot. I am also into sports but I haven't found my preferred sport yet. That's why I am constantly trying out new types of sport. Despite that I am taking every opportunity to travel. What I enjoy most about travelling is to get to know different cultures, to learn something about the city's history, meeting new people and trying out new food. I am looking forward to meeting you all and having good and interesting conversations.

Anna Viallefond



"Guten Tag, Bonjour and Hello" my name is Anna Viallefond. In September I will start my second year as an English and French Law Student at Queen Mary University London/ with Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne. I love the law because it is so omnipresent. It "literally" affects every part of our lives! (buying items on amazon, renting a house, flying in an aircraft...). Specifically, the law surrounding commercial transactions and investments, a content that is getting more substantial in modern society, interests me massively. Especially with my international background and speaking three languages fluently (English, German and French), I find the idea to work in an "international" environment inspiring. During my first year, I have sought opportunities to get involved and witness different aspects of the law. I am for instant the director of STEP, note taker for the legal advice center and will be the legal event officer for the French-English program next academic year. But I am also a passionate tennis player and runner. Further, I volunteer at a Foodbank and teach children from disadvantaged backgrounds how to debate and be more confident while speaking in public. I really look forward to having interesting conversations with you all!



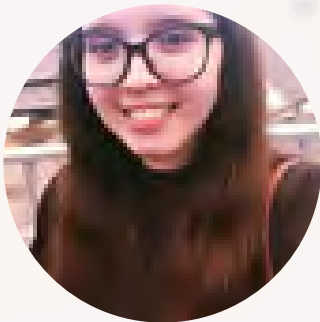
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Delyana Petkova



I Delyana Petkova is a Global Law graduate and is currently pursuing a Master's degree in Public International Law at Leiden University, the Netherlands. Originally from Bulgaria, she has gained legal and research experience by working for several NGOs and legal firms. She has also worked as a writer and editor in a couple of student legal journals. Her main fields of interest include human rights, environmental law, humanitarian law, and the law of international organizations.

Elisa Lopomo



Hi everyone! I am currently a Master's student in economic and social law at the Université libre de Bruxelles (Ulb). However, I mostly focus on economic law. I have always been very interested in finance and the stock market. It was therefore natural for me to specialise in financial law and, more specifically, in capital market law. On a more personal note, I have been a HUGE Formula 1 fan for many years. I also enjoy watching tennis and football. I was a horse rider for many years but time and passion eventually ran out. I am now a jack of all trades and enjoy discovering many sports. I've done rugby as well as French boxing for example. I am still looking for my heart's sport and will start tennis next fall. speak French (my mother tongue), English, average Dutch and I know basic Italian and German. I love to travel and, above all, to meet new people and discover new cultures. I lookforward to meeting you all and hope that, besides having a great time, we can have great conversations about our own experiences. See you in Athens!

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