

## WEBINAR

# GLOBAL GOVERNANCE AND MULTILATERALISM

7 MARCH 2023  
1 PM – 4 PM (CET)

Bilingual event (French / English)  
with simultaneous interpretation

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Exploring options for the future of global governance and multilateralism will be the focus of this 5th webinar in the series of events planned throughout 2023 to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the International Law Association (ILA).

The text of the White Paper that will be discussed during the webinar is available at: <https://www.ilaparis2023.org/en/white-paper/global-governance-multilateralism/>



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Chaired by **Nilufer Oral**, Director of the Centre for International Law, National University of Singapore and **Dire Tladi**, Professor of Law, University of Pretoria

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**Hajer Gueldich**, Professor of Law, University of Carthage, Tunisia

**Augusto Lopez-Claros**, Executive Director, Global Governance Forum

**Xolisa Mabhongo**, South Africa's Ambassador to the United Nations

**Tafadzwa Pasipanodya**, Attorney, partner and chair of Africa practice at Foley Hoag

**Henry Puna**, Secretary General of the Pacific Islands Forum and former Prime Minister of the Cook Islands

**Lucien Rapp**, Professor of Law, University of Toulouse 1 Capitole

## Chair



**Nilufer Oral** is Director of the Centre for International Law at the National University of Singapore. She is a member of the United Nations International Law Commission and co-chair of the Study Group on Sea-level rise in relation to international law, as well as a Senior Fellow at the Law Faculty of the University of Singapore. She served as a legal advisor to the Turkish Foreign Ministry for law of the sea and as a climate change negotiator. Dr. Oral has published numerous articles and edited several books.

She serves as series editor for the *International Straits of the World* publications (Brill), a member of the Board of Editors of the *European Society of International Law Series*, and Associate Editor of the *Research Perspectives in the Law of the Sea* (Brill).

**Dire Tladi** is a former member of the United Nations International Law Commission and its Special Rapporteur on Peremptory Norms of General International Law (*Jus cogens*), a member of the Institut de Droit International, and the NRF SARChI Chair in International Constitutional Law and Professor of International Law at the University of Pretoria. In 2021 he was elected Vice-Chair of the International Law Commission, and in 2022 assumed the position of Chair. He was previously Legal Adviser of the South African Mission in New York and Special Adviser to the South African Foreign Minister.

Among other activities, he serves on the Executive Council of the International Law Association and as President of the South African Branch of the International Law Association, and as the co-editor of the *South African Yearbook of International Law*.



## Introduction



**Jeffrey Dunoff** is Laura H. Carnell Professor of Law at Temple University Beasley School of Law. His research and writing focus on public international law, international regulatory regimes, international courts, international organizations, and interdisciplinary approaches to international law.

Dunoff has served as a Visiting Professor at Harvard Law School and at Princeton University's School for Public and International Affairs; a Professeur Invité at the Faculté de Droit, Université de Paris 1 (Panthéon-Sorbonne); a Fernand Braudel Senior Fellow at the European University Institute; a Senior Fellow at Humboldt University, and a Visiting Fellow at the Lauterpacht Research Centre at Cambridge University.

He is the author of a leading international law textbook and, among other activities, serves on the editorial board of the *American Journal of International Law*.

## Speakers

**Anthony T. Anghie** is a member of the Institut de Droit International, Secretary-General of the Asian Society of International Law, and Professor at the National University of Singapore Faculty of Law.

He previously served as the Samuel D. Thurman Professor of Law at S.J. Quinney College of Law, University of Utah, and has been visiting professor at numerous schools including the American University in Cairo, Cornell Law School, the London School of Economics, Harvard Law School, and the University of Brasilia. He has written widely across public and private international law, including on human rights, globalization, development, terrorism and the use of force, international economic law, colonialism and the history of public international law, and third world approaches to international law.



**Hajer Gueldich** is Chair of the African Union Commission on International Law and a Professor at the Faculty of Legal, Political, and Social Sciences at the University of Carthage, where she directs the Research Laboratory in International Law, International Jurisdictions and Comparative Constitutional Law.

She has published widely in various areas of international law, including humanitarian law, human rights, constitutional law, political science, administrative organization, and comparative law. Her writings include the monograph *Droit, pratique et réforme institutionnelle de l'Union africaine* (2019).



**Augusto Lopez-Claros** is Executive Director of the Global Governance Forum. He is an international economist with over 30 years of experience in international organizations, including most recently at the World Bank. During the 2018-2019 academic year, he served as a Senior Fellow at the Edmund Walsh School of Foreign Service at Georgetown University.

Previously he was chief economist and director of the Global Competitiveness Program at the World Economic Forum in Geneva, where he was also the editor of the Global Competitiveness Report, the Forum's flagship publication. Before joining the Forum he worked for several years in the financial sector in London, with a special focus on emerging markets. During the 1990s, he served as the IMF's Resident Representative in Russia.





**Xolisa Mabhongo** is South Africa's Ambassador and Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations. He previously served as Representative of the Director General to the United Nations and Director of the New York Office of the International Atomic Energy Agency.



Before that, Mr Mabhongo was for four years Permanent Representative of South Africa to the IAEA, Member of the Board of Governors of the IAEA and Ambassador of South Africa to Austria, Slovenia and Slovakia and South Africa's Permanent Representative to the United Nations in Vienna, where he represented South Africa at a number of international organizations, including the United Nations Industrial Development Organization, the Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty Organization, and the UN Office on Drugs and Crime.



**Tafadzwa Pasipanodya** is a partner in Foley Hoag's International Litigation & Arbitration department and chairs the firm's Africa Practice. She has extensive experience representing sovereign States and State-entities before the International Court of Justice, the International Tribunal of the Law of the Sea, and arbitration tribunals constituted pursuant to the rules of ICSID, UNCITRAL, the ICC, and the SCC. She is a member of the ICC Court of Arbitration, Vice President of the African Society of International Law, and on the Executive Council of the American Society of International Law.

**Henry Puna** is Secretary-General of the Pacific Islands Forum. From November 2010 to October 2020, he was Prime Minister of the Cook Islands.

He previously served as Secretary of the Ministry of Tourism and Transport. As Prime Minister, he led the establishment of the world's largest multipurpose marine reserve, Marae Moana, and the Cook Islands became a founding member of the Polynesian Leaders Group, a regional grouping for cooperation on climate change, trade, investment, and other issues.



**Lucien Rapp** is a university "agrégé" of Law and a Professor at Toulouse 1 Capitol University.

He is an expert in the aerospace sector, is a member of several international learned societies, including the International Institute for Space Law, and has written 10 books and more than a hundred scientific papers. He has served as Director of the French-language Study Center at The Hague Academy of International Law, a member of the high-level group of experts brought together by the Commission of the European Union on the Galileo project, Chair of a working group on space telecommunications created by the French Ministry of Research and Space, and a member of the "space law" working group within the French Council of State, responsible for drafting the law relating to space operations. He is an Officier de l'Ordre des Palmes Académiques (2009) and Chevalier de la Légion d'Honneur (2011).