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ABTA Section of International Law and Practice Publications

Careers in International Law

A collection of essays by lawyers practicing in the fields of public and private international law. The essays point to the variety of careers available in international law and in many instances relate the authors' personal experiences in practice. Topics include international corporate practice; international arbitration and litigation; admiralty practice; international claims litigation; international practice in high tech corporations; international environmental law; academic international law careers; alternative legal careers.

A Guide to Foreign Law Firms
Edited by James R. Silkenat and Howard B. Hill. Chicago, Illinois: American Bar Association, 2d ed. 1993, pp. 274, $29.00 (Section members), $40.00 (nonmembers) (pb).

A handbook designed to assist lawyers in identifying qualified legal counsel in foreign jurisdictions from Albania to Zimbabwe. Intending the book to be a practical reference tool, the editors selected the entries on the basis of suggestions and personal experiences of members of the Section of International Law and Practice. It is neither an official recommendation of what legal counsel to use in a foreign jurisdiction, nor an encyclopedic listing of all qualified lawyers in a particular jurisdiction.

Law and Policy of Export Controls
Edited by Homer E. Moyer, Jr., Robert C. Cassidy, Jr., Michael T. Buckley, and J. Clifford Frazier. Chicago, Illinois: American Bar Association, 1993, pp. xx, 583, $35.00 (Section members), $40.00 (nonmembers) (pb).
A compilation of essays reflecting the perspective of lawyers who regularly deal with export controls. The authors address the practical, the bureaucratic, the unwritten, and the unresolved issues of the export control system as they affect clients or employers. Chapters also analyze policy issues facing the export control system, including the adequacy of the current system to deal with accelerating worldwide geopolitical and technological developments.

Report on the International Tribunal to Adjudicate War Crimes Committed in the Former Yugoslavia

Prepared by a Special ABA Task Force of the ABA Section of International Law and Practice (Monroe Leigh, Chair; Patricia A. Bloodgood, Vice Chair; Stuart H. Deming, Secretary; Elizabeth B. Echols, Reporter). Chicago, Illinois: American Bar Association, 1993, pp. x, 71, $20.00 (Section members), $25.00 (non-members) (pb).

An analysis of the statute creating an international tribunal to adjudicate war crimes committed in former Yugoslavia. The report reviews the statute and discusses lessons learned from the Nuremberg trials. It analyzes the major issues raised by the statute and makes recommendations on such issues as the crimes that should be subject to the international tribunal’s jurisdiction, due process considerations, adequate protection for victims and witnesses, the structure of the tribunal, and appropriate implementing legislation.

General Publications

The Abolition of the Death Penalty in International Law


An examination of the evolution of an international human rights norm abolishing the death penalty first recognized in the 1948 Universal Declara-
tion of Human Rights. The author analyzes relevant conventions and case law applicable both regionally and universally. He also explores the limitations international law has placed on the death penalty and the procedural safeguards required by international law in the event capital punishment is being considered.

EC Competition Law


An exposition of the historical development of the competition law of the European Community and an assessment of its effectiveness. The core of the book is an account of the substantive law relevant to articles 85 and 86 of the EC Treaty. In particular, in this second edition the chapters dealing with article 86 and mergers are substantially revised.

ICC Uniform Customs and Practice for Documentary Credits


The International Chamber of Commerce has made substantial changes to its rules for documentary credit operations to simplify the rules and to take account of technological developments and current trade practices. The resulting updated Uniform Customs and Practice for Documentary Credits will come into effect on January 1, 1994.

International Economic Arbitration


A revised, updated, and expanded version of a German book by the author published in 1992. The book, by detailing each stage of a modern economic arbitration proceeding, provides information on the status quo of international arbitration law and discusses the applicable law issues that arise in international arbitration. Emphasis is given to arbitration law reform in Germany and compares the new Swiss arbitration law and the 1986 Dutch

**International Franchising Law**


A guide to franchisors, franchisees, and their legal counsel concerning the various types of franchises that exist, together with current information on legal issues that arise in establishing and operating franchises, their transfer, and their termination. The treatise covers thirty-eight countries. For each jurisdiction it outlines the general legal environment as it may affect franchising, and follows with detailed analysis of such topics as competition law, intellectual property, contract formation and termination, transfer, advertising liability, franchisee protection, corporate form, product liability, securities law, exchange regulations, import regimes, and taxation.

**International Legal Books in Print**


A complement to *Law Books and Serials in Print* (a bibliography of U.S. legal publications), *International Legal Books in Print* is a compilation of non-U.S. legal titles published in the English language. The second edition contains more than 29,000 author/title entries drawn from the United Kingdom, Western Europe, and the Commonwealth of Nations. Volume 1 contains a single alphabetical sequence of main entries at author and title access points with additional access from the personal names of other authors, editors, or institutions. Volume 2 presents the title entries only arranged within a subject heading scheme.

**Iraq and Kuwait: The Hostilities and Their Aftermath**

Edited by M. Weller. Cambridge, U.K.: Grotius Publications Limited (P.O. Box 115, Cambridge, CB3 9BP, England), 1993, pp. xxx, 780, £68.00, $130.00 (pb).
Volume 3 of the Cambridge International Documents Series collects together documents relating to the hostilities involving Iraq and Kuwait and the attempts of the international community to restore peace and security in the Gulf region following the 1991 U.N. Security Council Resolution 687. Documents are collected within the major categories of: General U.N. Security Council Materials; The Prelude to the Hostilities; The Application of Military Force Against Iraq; The Cease-Fire and Its Implementation; Humanitarian and Human Rights Issues; and Further Hostilities Involving Iraq.

Japan's Political Marketplace


The authors apply a rational-choice theory to explain the dominant patterns of Japanese political life. They conclude that Japanese politics, rather than being a unique consequence of Japanese culture, closely resemble the essence of politics in most other societies.

Trading Free: The GATT and U.S. Trade Policy


An examination of the GATT and the future of the United States in the world trading system. The author argues that failure to complete the Uruguay Round of multilateral trade negotiations has revealed the flagging commitment of nations to open trade and ushered in a period of instability and uncertainty in international trade relations. He concludes that the United States must rethink its approach to trade policy formulation and implementation and that GATT members must subordinate regional tendencies in trade policy to a broader vision of global trade relations.

United States Import Trade Law


Explains all current laws and processes through which the United States regulates import trade. Part I summarizes the international trading rules and
the framework of trade agreements under which U.S. import trade regulation operates. Part II provides an overview of government administration of U.S. import trade law. Part III details the procedures for getting goods into the country. Part IV focuses on disputes and customs enforcement. Part V covers import limitations and duty preferences. Part VI deals with means to combat or gain relief from what is regarded as foreign unfair competition.

World Economic Outlook, May 1993

By the Staff of the IMF. Washington, D.C.: International Monetary Fund, 1993, pp. x, 197, $30.00 (pb).

A biannual assessment of economic developments and policies in the IMF’s member countries and of the global economic system. The product of comprehensive interdepartmental review based on information the IMF staff gathers through its consultations with member countries, the survey addresses: the world economic situation and short-term prospects; policies for stronger noninflationary growth in industrial countries; convergence and divergence in developing countries; economic stability and transformation in countries in transition; and trade as an engine of growth.