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16-18 March 2022
Online via Zoom

45TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE ON OCEANS LAW & POLICY: UNCLOS AT 40

WEDNESDAY, 16 MARCH 2022

SESSION 1: INTRODUCTION AND OPENING REMARKS

1800/Kuala Lumpur 0600/New York (30 Min)	Welcoming and Administrative Remarks Datuk Dr. Sabirin Ja'afar, Director-General, Maritime Institute of Malaysia Prof. James Kraska, Chairman of the Stockton Center for International Law, U.S. Naval War College Dr. Jong-Deog Kim, President, Korea Maritime Institute Dr. Cleopatra Doumbia-Henry, President, World Maritime University
1830/Kuala Lumpur 0630/New York (30 Min)	Keynote Welcome: YBhg. Datuk Isham Ishak, Secretary-General, Ministry of Transport Malaysia

SESSION 2: OVERCOMING THE THREAT OF IUU FISHING

1900/Kuala Lumpur 0700/New York (90 min)	Moderator: Prof. Stuart Kaye, Australian National Centre for Ocean Resources and Security Speaker: Dr. Arron N. Honniball, Max Planck Foundation for International Peace and the Rule of Law Speaker: Prof. Dato' Dr. Nor Aieni binti Haji Mokhtar, Maritime Institute of Malaysia Speaker: Dr. Young Hun Min, Korea Maritime Institute
2030/Kuala Lumpur 0830/New York (30 min)	Keynote: Judge Jin-Hyun Paik, ITLOS

SESSION 3: USES AND CLAIMS ON THE CONTINENTAL SHELF

2100/Kuala Lumpur 0900/New York (105 min)	Moderator: Prof. Lee Keun-Gwan, Seoul National University Speaker: Prof. Arie Afriansyah, Universitas Indonesia Speaker: Prof. Dr. Yücel Acer, Ankara University National Center for the Sea and Maritime Law Speaker: Dr. Sunil Kumar Agarwal, Indian Society of International Law Speaker: Dr. Kentaro Nishimoto, Tohoku University
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2245/Kuala Lumpur 1045/New York (30 min)	Keynote: Judge Tomas Heidar, Vice-President of ITLOS
2315/Kuala Lumpur 1115/New York	Close of Day 1

THURSDAY, 17 MARCH 2022

SESSION 4: CLIMATE CHANGE, BIODIVERSITY BEYOND NATIONAL JURISDICTION & NEW TECHNOLOGIES

1800/Kuala Lumpur 0600/New York (90 Min)	Moderator: Prof. Ronán Long, WMU-Sasakawa Global Ocean Institute Speaker: Prof. Alla Pozdnakova, Scandinavian Institute of Maritime Law Speaker: Dr. Yoshitaka Ota, Nippon Foundation Ocean Nexus Center Speaker: Ms. Sindhura Polepalli, Directorate General of Shipping, Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways, Government of India
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SESSION 5: THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC THROUGH THE LENS OF UNCLOS

1930/Kuala Lumpur 0730/New York (90 Min)	Moderator: Dr. Aspasia Pastra, WMU-Sasakawa Global Ocean Institute Speaker: Dr. Tafsir M. Johannsson, WMU-Sasakawa Global Ocean Institute Speaker: Dr. Froukje Maria Platjouw, Scandinavian Institute of Maritime Law Speaker: Prof. Richard Barnes, University of Lincoln
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SESSION 6: CAPACITY BUILDING IN THE LAW OF THE SEA: ISSUES AND EXPERIENCES

2100/Kuala Lumpur 0900/New York (90 Min)	Moderator: Dr. Young-Kil Park, Korea Maritime Institute Speaker: Ms. So Yeon Kim, Korea Maritime Institute Speaker: Dr. Ángeles Jiménez García-Carriazo, International Maritime Law Institute Speaker: Ms. Harsha Rajwanshi, Gujarat National Law University
2230/Kuala Lumpur 1030/New York	Close of Day 2



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SESSION 7: ASYMMETRIC SECURITY CHALLENGES IN REGIONAL DISPUTES

1800/Kuala Lumpur 0600/New York (90 Min)	Moderator: Prof. Felicity Attard, Faculty of Laws, University of Malta Speaker: B. A. Hamzah, National Defence University of Malaysia Speaker: Dr. Yurika Ishii, National Defense Academy of Japan Speaker: Dr. Kamal Deen-Ali, Centre for Maritime Security and Law, Africa
1930/Kuala Lumpur 0730/New York (30 Min)	Keynote: Dato' Mohamed Suffian Awang, Chairman, Maritime Institute of Malaysia

SESSION 8: EMERGING CHALLENGES TO 1982 UNCLOS AND INTERNATIONAL LAW

2000/Kuala Lumpur 0800/New York (90 Min)	Moderator: Prof. Robert Beckman, Centre for International Law, National University of Singapore Speaker: Dr. Tara Davenport, Centre for International Law, National University of Singapore Speaker: Dr. Jung Dawoon, Centre for International Law, National University of Singapore Speaker: Ms. Maria Pia Benosa, Centre for International Law, National University of Singapore
2130/Kuala Lumpur 0930/New York (30 Min)	Keynote: Mr. Michael Lodge, Secretary-General, International Seabed Authority
2200/Kuala Lumpur 1000/New York	Closing Remarks Prof. James Kraska, Chairman of the Stockton Center for International Law, U.S. Naval War College Ms. Sumathy Permal, Centre Head, Maritime Security and Diplomacy, Maritime Institute of Malaysia