

Knowledge to lead

OLA/UNITAR Seminar on International Treaty Law and Practice

United Nations Headquarters, New York
Conference Room __ (CB)
19-20 November 2013

TENTATIVE AGENDA

Tuesday 19 November 2013

- 10:00 am Registration
- 10:20 am **Opening Remarks**
Ms. Yvonne Lodico, Head, UNITAR New York Office
- 10:30am **Introductory Remarks from the Assistant-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs**
Mr. Stephen Mathias, Assistant Secretary-General for Legal Affairs
- 10:40 am **Introduction to the Law of Treaties and the Work of the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs**
Mr. Santiago Villalpando, Chief, OLA Treaty Section
- 11:40 am Coffee Break
- 12:00 pm **Participation in Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the UN Secretary-General**
Ms. Dina Hamdy, Legal Officer, OLA Treaty Section
- 1:00 pm Lunch Break



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3:00 pm

Reservations and Declarations

Mr. Santiago Villalpando, Chief, OLA Treaty Section

4:00 pm

Registration of Treaties under Article 102 of the UN Charter and Practice Exercise on Registration

Mr. Carlos Ivan Fuentes, Associate Legal Officer, OLA Treaty Section

- ▶ Explain the mandate of Article 102 of the UN Charter and enumerate the registration procedures for Member States.

End of Day 1

5:00 pm

Wednesday 20 November 2013

10:00 am

Final Clauses of Multilateral Treaties

Ms. Arancha Hinojal-Oyarbide, Legal Officer, Treaty Section

- ▶ Explain final clauses and their legal effects.

11:15 am

Coffee Break

11:30 am

Special session

1:00 pm

Lunch Break

3:00 pm

Overview of online resources – UN Treaty Collection website at <http://treaties.un.org>

Ms. Fanny Schaus, Associate Legal Officer, OLA Treaty Section

Mr. Andrei Kolomoets, Information Management Officer, OLA Treaty Section

- ▶ Be able to locate and navigate treaty-related information online.

4:30 pm

Evaluation & Presentation of Certificates

Mr. Santiago Villalpando, Chief, OLA Treaty Section

Ms. Yvonne Lodico, Head, UNITAR New York Office

05:00 pm

End of Day 2