

## Professeur Marcelo Kohen

### Rapport d'activité 2019

#### A) Publications :

##### a) Book:

*The Institute of International Law's Resolution on State Succession and State Responsibility: Introduction, Text and Commentaries* (co-author with Patrick Dumberry), Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 2019, 250 p.

##### b) Periodical:

Co-editor, with Iris van der Heijden, of the *Annuaire de l'Institut de Droit international/ Yearbook of the Institute of International Law*, 2019, vol. 79, 785p.

##### c) Chapter of a collective work:

“Does General International Law Incorporate the Concept of Social Justice?”, in G. Politakis, T. Kohiyama & Th. Lieby (eds), *ILO 100, Law for Social Justice*, Geneva, International Labour Organization, 2019, pp. 91-100.

#### B. Lectures and talks at Conferences:

11 March, Geneva, Graduate Institute,. Round table “The Question of Western Sahara”: organizer and speaker

18 March, Geneva, Graduate Institute, Debate “The Situation in Venezuela”: speaker

19 March, Geneva, Graduate Institute, IL Department: Launch of the Research Handbook on Territorial Disputes in International Law: organizer and speaker

22 March, Paris, Université de Paris-I Panthéon-Sorbonne, Actualités thématiques : “Les situations d’occupation » : talk : “Les différentes acceptations du terme ‘occupation’ en droit international”

11-12 April, Cambridge, Lauterpacht Research Center of International Law, Workshop “The International Court of Justice’s Advisory Opinion in Chagos”, Round Table “The AO-What It Means for the case of Chagos and International Law”, speaker

15 April, Geneva, International Labour Organization, Conference “Law for Social Justice”, talk: “Does General International law Incorporate the Concept of Social Justice?”

9 May, Geneva, Graduate Institute, IL Department, Launch of the Book *The Institute of International Law's Resolution on State Succession and State Responsibility: Introduction, Text and Commentaries*, organizer and intervener

13 May, Geneva, Graduate Institute, IL Department, Workshop “Current Developments in International Law”: The Advisory Opinion on the Separation of the Chagos Archipelago from Mauritius in 1965: speaker

14 May, Geneva, Graduate Institute, talk to visiting students from the University of Costa Rica: "Los medios de hacer respetar el Derecho Internacional"

24 May, Graduate Institute, IL Department, Conference: “The Sources of International Law and the International Law Commission”: co-organizer and speaker

2-3 July, The Hague, United Nations International Law Fellowship, Course: “The Law of Treaties”

19 July, Geneva, United Nations, International Law Seminar Alumni Network, Panel on International Environmental law: chairperson

24 July, Buenos Aires, Consejo Argentino para las Relaciones Internacionales (CARI), lecture: « Reflexiones acerca del impacto de la opinión consultiva de la Corte Internacional de Justicia referida a la separación del Archipiélago de Chagos en los procesos de descolonización »

25-31 August, The Hague, 79th Session of the *Institut de Droit international*, co-organizer and participant, co-chair of the panel “Global Politics: ‘International Law First’?”

2-3 Septembre, The Hague, Deuxième rencontré mondial des sociétés pour le droit international, Workshop N°1 “National Societies and regional and global societies”: chairperson

12-13 September, Athens, European Society Annual Conference “Sovereignty: A Concept in Flux?”, Forum: “[Re-]Defining sovereignty: The Montevideo principles revisited”: Chairperson

19-21 September, Mérida, Mexico, 16th World Summit of Nobel Peace Laureates, representing the *Institut de Droit international*, lectura: “A Culture of Peace through International law”, Panel: “The Power of Law vs. The Law of Power”: panelist

11 Octobre, Genève, Université de Genève, colloque “Le droit international public comparé: mettre en doute l’oxymore”, Panel 3: “Le droit international vu depuis le prêtre international”: Moderator

17 October, Geneva, ICRC Alumni, Débat autor du documentaire “Broken”: paneliste

11-12 November: Heidelberg, Meeting of the Advisory Board for the Revision of the Max Planck Encyclopedia of Public International Law: participant

28 November, Geneva, Graduate Institute, Latin American Network Initiative, Lecture by Judge Antônio Cançado Trindade “The Latin American Contribution to Public International Law”: Chair

2 December, Geneva, Graduate Institute, Lunch Briefing: “Bolivie, Amérique latine: la démocratie en danger?”: panelist

9 December, London, University City of London, Faculty of Laws, International Law Association (British Branch) Lecture Series: Lecture: “Self-Determination after the ICJ Chagos Archipelago Advisory Opinion”

#### **D. Administrative activities at the Graduate Institute**

1. Membre du *Standing Committee* de l’Institut
2. Membre des Comités du MIDS et du CIDS

#### **F. Other Institutional Functions:**

Secretary-General of the Institute of International Law (2015-today)

Member of the Advisory Board of the Max Planck Encyclopedia of Public International Law  
(2018-today)