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A YEAR OF TRANSITION:  
NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR

The 2009-2010 academic year was an exciting time of transition at the Institute. In July 2009, I returned to full time teaching at the Harvard Law School with a mandate to launch a new INSTITUTE FOR GLOBAL LAW AND POLICY, building on our eighteen year experience with the European Law Research Center at Harvard. The Institute for Global Law and Policy continues the work of the ELRC, embracing its traditional interest in the European Union, while recognizing the need to pursue a broader mandate in the fields of development, international and comparative law.

We are committed to deepening the ELRC’s traditional focus on new thinking in the fields of comparative law, international law and international economic law. We remain committed to continuing our focus on young scholars and policy makers who bring new ideas and perspectives to comparative and international legal research and policy.

At the same time, our new Institute has a sharply expanded mandate to serve as a collaborative faculty effort for nurturing innovative approaches to global policy in the face of a legal and institutional architecture manifestly ill-equipped to address our most urgent global challenges. We know that global poverty, conflict, injustice and inequality are also embedded legal and institutional regimes. The Institute has been founded to explore the ways in which they are reproduced and what might be done in response. We aim to provide a platform at Harvard for new thinking about international legal and institutional arrangements, with particular emphasis on ideas and issues of importance to the global South. We aim to facilitate the emergence of a creative dialog among young experts from around the world, strengthening our capacity for innovation and cooperative research.

During the past year, we have worked to rebuild our advisory councils to reflect our new mandate. Let me thank all those who have agreed to join in our effort. I am particularly pleased to welcome LORD MARK MALLOCH-BROWN, Advisor to the World Economic Forum, Former UN Deputy Secretary General, and Minister of State in the British Foreign & Commonwealth Office, FERNANDO HENRIQUE CARDOSO, Former President of Brazil, RICARDO LAGOS ESCOBAR, Former President of Chile, ALFRED GUSENBAUER, Former Chancellor of Austria, and SURAKIART SATHIRATHAI, Former Minister of Finance, Foreign Minister and Deputy Prime Minister of Thailand to our HONORARY COUNCIL. I know the Institute will benefit greatly from their wise counsel.

We have also constituted a new ADVISORY COUNCIL to guide our academic activities, composed of academics and practitioners who have been closely involved with our work, from Harvard and other leading universities. I am grateful to JOSE MARIA BENYETO, ANTONIO GARRIGUES WALKER, SALVADOR MEDINA CHAO and ROMANO SUBIOTTO who have joined the Advisory Council to represent our sponsoring institutions.

The Institute continues to value our relationship with colleagues in law faculties around the world. We have built strong ties with a wide range of institutions with whom we have co-sponsored events, including the INSTITUTE FOR POLICY DIALOG AT COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, SCIENCES PO LAW SCHOOL in Paris, the SCHOOL FOR ORIENTAL AND AFRICAN STUDIES and LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS in London, the law faculty at
The year also saw our seventh annual Business Law Seminar focusing on comparative responses to the financial crisis and conducted with support from the Real Colegio Complutense, and our eighth annual Workshop on European Union and US Antitrust Law co-sponsored and organized with Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton's Brussels office, continuing traditions started under the ELRC. With J&A Garrigues, S.L.P., we again organized a North American Lawyers Program in Madrid bringing Harvard law faculty to participate in training young Spanish corporate lawyers.

Reflecting our broadened mandate, we convened a Worship Series on Development and the Politics of the Global Economy in Fall 2009, followed by a Dinner Series in Spring 2010 on Social Theory and Globalization, both convened by my colleagues Duncan Kennedy and Janet Halley as part of our effort to contribute to discussions about the structure and potential for global governance in confronting the effects of the global economic crisis. In October 2009, I worked with Professor Joseph Stiglitz from our Advisory Council to co-sponsor a pro-seminar in Beijing, China on New Regulatory Models After the
CRISIS at Peking University. In April 2010, we convened a one-day workshop on the relationship between regional policy and free markets within the European Union. The Workshop was led by Professor DANIELA CARUSO of our Advisory Council, and generously supported by GOMEZ-ACEBO AND POMBO. My colleague Professor CHRISTINE DESAN convened a workshop with colleagues at the Harvard History Department on the role and meaning of MONEY, CREDIT AND CONSUMPTION IN MEDIEVAL EUROPE in May 2010, and we continued to sponsor lectures and special events on themes relating to our general mandate throughout the year. Finally, in 2009-2010, we were very pleased to welcome a wonderful group of VISITING RESEARCHERS and SCHOLARS to the Institute.

In short, it was a terrific inaugural year for our new Institute. As I look forward to 2010-2011, I anticipate continuing to develop our financial base of support and to strengthen our advisory councils as we seek to enhance our ability to pursue the Institute’s broad global mandate. We will continue to sponsor lectures, workshops and conferences at Harvard and in collaboration with our partners abroad. I am particularly pleased to report that we will convene a second annual IGLP WORKSHOP in June 2011, thanks to the generosity of SANTANDER UNIVERSITIES and SOVEREIGN BANK. We anticipate continuing our North American Lawyers Program, our Workshop on European Union and US Antitrust Law and our Business Law Seminar. We will again welcome a group of distinguished visiting scholars and fellows to the Institute. We have awarded one post-doctoral fellowship for 2010-2011, to Dr. HENGA MEH SABERI of Iran, who completed her SJD dissertation in June 2010 on the relationship between American philosophical pragmatism and the policy science of American international lawyers. She will be working with the Institute throughout the year, as well as with the Harvard Law School Disability Project.

Let me conclude by expressing my deep gratitude to our sponsors and friends. Without their faith in our efforts and commitment to the importance of new thinking about global law and policy, the Institute would not be possible. My thanks to our co-founder REAL COLEGIO COMPLUTENSE, to our Leading Sponsors, J&A GARRIGUES, S.L.P., SANTANDER UNIVERSITIES AND SOVEREIGN BANK, and to our long term friends and sponsors at CLEARY, GOTTlieb, STEEN & HAMILTON in Brussels, Belgium and GOMEZ-ACEBO & POMBO in Madrid.

I hope you enjoy reading this year’s Annual Report, which provides a snapshot of our achievements over the 2009 – 2010 academic year. In all, we are delighted by the Institute’s continuing progress and are extremely grateful to you and to the many others who have contributed to our efforts. As always, please do not hesitate to contact me if the Institute can be of any assistance at any time.

David Kennedy
Director
Institute for Global Law and Policy
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SNAPSHOTS FROM THE YEAR
1. **The Institute’s Working Formats**

A. **Conferences and Workshops**

The IGLP regularly sponsors conferences and workshops, ranging from informal events at the Harvard Faculty Club to large meetings convening over 100 scholars in Cambridge for intensive discussion. The IGLP sponsored numerous opportunities for younger scholars to share their ongoing research with one another, through lunchtime or afternoon workshops, or more informal roundtable discussions. In June 2010, we inaugurated what will be an annual ten day intensive Workshop for young scholars and policy practitioners on global law and economic policy.

B. **Lectures and Informal Seminars**

During the academic year, the IGLP sponsors a variety of lectures and informal seminars in which scholars share ongoing research in the areas of global law and policy. These events, which are generally open to all members of the Harvard community, aim to bring the best new thinking about global law and policy to the community for discussion and debate.

C. **Student-led Workshops and Seminars**

The IGLP supports activities organized and led by doctoral students and Visiting Researchers at the Law School. Students often prepare presentations based on their current research or invite smaller groups of students to informal discussions. These formats facilitate ongoing debate about a selection of themes of interest to both IGLP and students and scholars associated with our ongoing work. We regularly provide support for student groups at the school pursuing projects related to our research mandate.

D. **Research and Visitors Program**

The IGLP supports an active program for **Visiting Fellows, Researchers and Scholars**. The IGLP appoints Visiting Fellows for a semester or an academic year. Fellows are usually funded by outside sources. Visiting Researchers and Scholars at the IGLP generally spend one semester in residence at the Harvard Law School, although appointments may range from one month to one year. All have access to the Harvard library and e-mail systems and, subject to instructor approval, may audit Law School classes on a non-credit basis. The IGLP arranges informal luncheons and other gatherings for Visiting Fellows, Researchers and Scholars to provide them with an opportunity to meet Law School students, and faculty. In addition to its Visitors Program, the IGLP encourages research by doctoral candidates and other IGLP affiliates.

E. **Fellowship Program**

Inaugurated in 2006, the Fellowship Program offers full or partial student and post-doctoral fellowship support to a small number of scholars pursuing research in areas related to the IGLP’s ongoing work. The number of Fellowships awarded each year depends upon the available funding. In general, the IGLP encourages the development of progressive and alternative ideas about international law, society and political economy by supporting original, provocative and challenging intellectual work that might not
otherwise find support from mainstream institutional resources and which contributes to the emergence of new approaches to international law and global social justice.

For 2010-2011, with the generous support of an anonymous donor, the Institute awarded one full Post-Doctoral Fellowship to Dr. HENGAMEH SABERI from Iran. Dr. Saberi completed her SJD at Harvard in 2010. Her dissertation considered the relationship between the American philosophical tradition of pragmatism and the policy science of American international lawyers. We are pleased to welcome Dr. Saberi to the Institute.

F. **AFFILIATES PROGRAM**

With the support of **CLEARY, GOTTLIEB, STEEN & HAMILTON**, the IGLP sponsors a Student Affiliates Program to connect Harvard Law School students working on matters of European law and policy, either as a topic of ongoing research or as a prospective field of practice, with one another. The firm generously integrates IGLP Student Affiliates into their European Union information system, and offers to connect students with members of the firm who are knowledgeable in the areas of law and legal practice in which the student is pursuing research. The overall objective of the program is to make available a more personalized relationship between interested students and practitioners of European law, to allow Student Affiliates access to a wealth of experience and expertise in this area, and to be kept abreast of ongoing developments in the field. Over 25 Student Affiliates receive periodic updates on European law prepared by the Brussels office of Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton each year, and are invited to attend ongoing events sponsored by IGLP. Student Affiliates also actively participated in the Workshop on “**CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS IN EU & U.S. ANTITRUST LAW**.”

G. **POLICY ROUNDTABLES**

The IGLP sponsors policy roundtables, ranging in duration from one to three days, concerning specific issues important to one or more of the IGLP’s constituencies, in which participants from industry, the practicing profession, government, and academia discuss topics of common interest in a relaxed setting. Previous endeavors have included supporting a roundtable on International Regulatory Frameworks with the University of Wisconsin in 2004, a Policy Workshop at Harvard Law School on “Russia’s Future Relationship with the EU and the Broader International Community” in 2005. In **2009-2010**, we co-sponsored a Workshop in Beijing on “**NEW REGULATORY MODELS AFTER THE CRISIS**” with the **INSTITUTE FOR POLICY DIALOG AT COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY** and a one day intensive Workshop on “**NEW CHALLENGES AND NEW CONCEPTIONS OF INTERNATIONAL LAW**” in Cambridge with the Moscow based **GLOBAL POLICY FORUM**.
2. **Institute Staff and Affiliates**

**Director**

Professor **David Kennedy** joined the faculty of Harvard Law School in 1981. He holds a Ph.D. from the Fletcher School at Tufts University and a J.D. from Harvard Law School. A member of the Council on Foreign Relations, he has worked for a variety of public and private international organizations including the European Communities and the United Nations and has practiced law with Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton in Brussels. He teaches international law, global governance, law and economic development, and legal theory at Harvard Law School. Professor Kennedy was instrumental in founding the European Law Research Center, IGLP’s predecessor, after serving as Faculty Director of the Graduate Program at Harvard Law School. Professor Kennedy continues to provide the primary leadership for the Institute’s academic programs.

**Administration**

**Neal O’Connor** joined European Law Research Center in 2003. In 2010, with the launch of the new Institute for Global Law and Policy, Neal was appointed Program Manager. He oversees the organizational and administrative functions for the Institute. Neal received a degree in history from Harvard University.

**HLS Faculty Contributors**

The Institute also draws on the expertise and experience of a wide range of Harvard Law School faculty. Professors **Christine Desan**, **Janet Halley**, **Duncan Kennedy** and **Roberto Unger** sit on our **Advisory Council**. Along with **Mary Ann Glendon** and **Lucie White**, they all contributed to the curriculum for our 2010 intensive **Workshop**. Numerous faculty members have mentored our Visiting Researchers over the years. Professors **David Barron**, **Scott Brewer**, **Janet Halley**, **Allen Ferrell**, **Elizabeth Bartholet**, **Martha Field**, **Terry Fisher**, and **Mark Ramseyer** have participated in our Spanish training programs co-organized with the **Garrigues** law firm. Professors **Lucian Bebchuck**, **Reinier Kraakman**, **Robert Clark**, **Guhan Subramanian**, **Allen Ferrell**, **Howell Jackson** and **Alan Dershowitz** have all been participants in our conferences on corporate law and regulation, while Professor **Einer Elstange** has joined our annual conference on European and American antitrust enforcement for several years. Professor **Christine Desan** contributes regularly to our program on the history of capitalism and the global economy, while Professor **Duncan Kennedy** is a regular participant in our work on comparative law, globalization and social theory. We have long supported Professor **Janet Haley**’s work in the fields of comparative family law, social theory and the feminist legacies of global
governance. Each year, we endeavor to work closely with faculty who have compatible projects concerning global law and policy. Professor Gerald Frug’s work on international local government law has sparked a number of events, and we have supported his comparative research on the city as a legal concept. We have provided assistance to clinical projects in Africa developed by Professor Lucie White in the fields of global health policy and human rights. We expect to host a series of workshops with Professor Roberto Unger in 2010-2011, as we have done with Professors Detlev Vagts, Harry Martin and Peter Murray in the past. We work closely with the graduate program at the law school, encouraging interactions among doctoral students and their faculty colleagues, and are grateful for Professor William Alford’s ongoing engagement and support. We are also extremely grateful for the contributions so many faculty around the world make to our programming, many of whom sit on our Advisory and Academic Councils.
3. **The Institute’s Advisory and Honorary Councils**

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4. PROGRAM PARTNERS & SPONSORS

A. LEADING SPONSORS

The Institute continues to build on the relationship REAL COLEGIO COMPLUTENSE, a Cambridge, Massachusetts based affiliate of Complutense University, Madrid, Spain, a co-founder of the European Law Research Center. THE REAL COLEGIO COMPLUTENSE offers an interdisciplinary program designed to foster the exchange of scholars, students, and researchers of Harvard University, Complutense University, and other leading Spanish universities and institutions. The REAL COLEGIO COMPLUTENSE has been a generous supporter of IGLP, and we have been pleased to act as an administrative platform for the integration of Spanish researchers and scholars into the Law School community.

J&A GARRIGUES, S.L.P. continues as a leading sponsor for the Institute. Founded in 1941, J&A GARRIGUES, S.L.P. is one of the longest established and largest international law firms in Spain. We look forward to deepening our collaboration in the years to come, particularly with our North American Lawyers program. This fall Harvard Law School Professors David Kennedy, Terry Fisher and Scott Brewer will participate in the Program, delivery lectures to Garrigues attorney’s in Barcelona, Madrid and Seville.

This year we welcomed SANTANDER UNIVERSITIES and SOVEREIGN BANK as leading sponsors. Their generous support has enabled us to develop our new annual intensive WORKSHOP for young scholars and policy practitioners.

B. FRIENDS AND SPONSORS

The Institute is extremely grateful for the ongoing support of our Sponsors and Friends. The sponsorship program was established to facilitate participation by friends and supporters in the world of practice and policy in our ongoing work. We are very pleased to be able to organize collaborative workshops with our sponsors. We are fortunate to continue to count CLEARY, GOTTLieB, STEEN & HAMILTON (Brussels, Belgium), and GOMEZ-AceBO & POMBO (Madrid, Spain) among our sponsors and friends. We are particularly grateful to CLEARY, GOTTlieB, STEEN & HAMILTON for their support of our AFFILIATES PROGRAM, which has hosted over 130 J.D. and graduate students at the Law School since its inception, and to GOMEZ-AceBO & POMBO for their support of an annual Harvard conference on issues facing the European Union.
North American Lawyers Program
Barcelona, Madrid and Seville, Spain, September 17-18, 2009

With our leading sponsor J&A GARRIGUES, S.L.P., we held our annual NORTH AMERICAN LAWYERS PROGRAM. Harvard Law School professors DAVID KENNEDY, TERRY FISHER and MARK RAMSAYER presented lectures on American law to GARRIGUES attorneys in Seville, Barcelona and Madrid. Professor KENNEDY presented talks in Madrid and Barcelona on International Law and Global Governance; Professor FISHER lectured in Seville and Madrid on Advanced Property and Intellectual Property; and Professor RAMSAYER lectured in Barcelona and Seville on Corporations and Partnerships.

WORKSHOP: DEVELOPMENT AND THE POLITICS OF THE GLOBAL ECONOMY
Harvard Law School, Fall 2009

IGLP once again sponsored a workshop on Development and the Politics of the Global Economy. Harvard Law School Professors DUNCAN KENNEDY and JANET HALLEY convened the workshop, which this year focused on GENDER IN POSTCOLONIAL LEGAL ORDERS. Invited speakers discussed current work that breaks new pathways into the complex terrain of gender, sexuality and the family in colonial, imperial, and postcolonial legal orders. Our Speakers during this year included:

On September 21st Professor LILA ABU-LUGHOD discussed her articles “Anthropology in the Territory of Rights, Human and Otherwise...” and “The Active Social Life of Muslim Women’s Rights: A Please for Ethnography not Polemic.” Professor Abu-Lughod is the Joseph L. Buttenweiser Professor of Social Science and Gender Studies in the Department of Anthropology at Columbia University.

On October 5, Professor SYL维A KANG’ARA from the University of Washington School of Law spoke to the group about her ongoing research and her article “Positivism And Identities: African Women Jurists In 20th Century International Legal Discourse.”

On October 26th Professor JUDITH SURKIS joined the group to discuss her ongoing research which seeks to reframe how we understand the historical relationship between “French” and “Muslim” law, in light of the gendered dimensions of both French colonial history and the post-colonial politics of immigration. Surkis is Associate Professor of history and literature and history at Harvard University.

On November 9th Professor PRABHA KOTISWARAN discussed her articles “Labours in Vice or Virtue? Neo-Liberalism, Sexual Commerce and the Case of Indian Bar Dancing” and “Born Unto Brothels: Toward a Legal Ethnography of Sex Work in an Indian Red-Light Area” Professor Kotiswaran, is on the law faculty at the School for Oriental and African Studies, University of London.
The Institute, along with our co-founder REAL COLEGIO COMPLUTENSE and sponsors J&A GARRIGUES, S.L.P., ALLEN & OVERY, BANCO DE SANTANDER, hosted our 7th annual Business Law seminar. This year’s seminar, entitled FINANCIAL CRISIS: COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVE IN USA AND EUROPE focused on the European and American legal scholarship that was beginning to emerge in the aftermath of the financial crisis.

Notable presentations included:

“The Financial Crisis and Securities Litigation”
Professor ALLEN FERRELL
Harvey Greenfield Professor of Securities Law
Harvard Law School

“The Financial Crisis and Regulatory Reform in the United States”
Professor HOWELL JACKSON
James S. Reid, Jr. Professor of Law
Harvard Law School

“The Regulation Influence on the Financial Crisis”
Professor JUAN SÁNCHEZ-CALERO GUILARTE
Chaired Professor of Business Law
Universidad Complutense de Madrid

Segregation as Restructuration of Businesses on Crisis”
Professor CARMEN ALONSO LEDESMA

Chaired Professor of Business Law
Universidad Complutense de Madrid

“The Globalization of the Criminal”
Professor ALAN DERSHOWITZ
Felix Frankfurter Professor of Law
Harvard Law School

“Debt Refinancing and Bank Liability on Insolvency Proceedings”
Professor JUANA PULGAR EQUEIURA
Chaired Professor of Business Law,
Universidad Complutense de Madrid

“Deal Process Design in the Financial Crisis”
Professor GUHAN SUBRAMANIAN
Joseph Flom Professor of Law & Business
Harvard Law School,
H. Douglas Weaver Professor of Business Law
Harvard Business School
In October, Professor David Kennedy and Initiative for Policy Dialogue Co-President Joseph Stiglitz convened a conference at Peking University in Beijing China on regulatory regimes in China. This Task Force on New Regulatory Models After the Crisis, which was co-sponsored by the Institute, brought together scholars and policymakers from over a dozen countries.

Professor David Kennedy moderated discussions among Chinese and Western scholars and Chinese policymakers about financial regulation in China after the crisis, as well as regulation in other sectors, as part of a larger ongoing policy-oriented study of China's transition to a market economy. China is entering a critical phase in its move to a market economy, in which it will establish the basic institutional foundations of a market economy, including legal frameworks that will govern property rights, competition, corporate governance, intellectual property, bankruptcy, contracts, etc. Ongoing debates and discussions will have a major effect in determining the kind of market economy into which China will evolve. The conference provided a unique opportunity to think about the differences in institutional arrangements and their consequences.

The Task Force is a global joint undertaking between the IGLP, Columbia University (including the Initiative for Policy Dialogue, the Committee on Global Thought, Columbia Global Centers, and Columbia Law School), Peking University (including the Research for China Property Exchange, and the China Center for Economic Research), Tsinghua University School of Public Policy and Management, the China Development Research Forum, and the Brooks World Poverty Institute at the University of Manchester. The Task Force has two objectives: (i) to engage Chinese scholars and policy makers in the discussions of what does it mean in the twenty-first century to have a market economy with Chinese characteristics, and (ii) to make Western scholars rethink the principles that are taken for granted in the Western economic systems. Professor Stiglitz and Professor Kennedy are co-editing a collection of papers generated by the Task Force.
SEMINAR: CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS IN EUROPEAN UNION AND US ANTITRUST LAW

Harvard Law School, November 5, 2009

The Institute, along with our sponsor CLEARY, GOTTLEIB, STEEN & HAMILTON, hosted our 8th annual seminar on CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS IN EUROPEAN UNION AND US ANTITRUST LAW. The seminar featured lectures and roundtable discussions with experts from both the legal academic and professional communities.


SEMINAR: SOCIAL THEORY WORKING GROUP

Cambridge, Massachusetts, Spring 2010

Our SOCIAL THEORY WORKING GROUP, which was convened by Harvard Law School Professor JANET HALLEY, consisted of recent graduates, graduate students, and JD students doing research that involves inquiries in social theory, including legal theory. The group consisted specifically of current producers of social theory whose research seeks to address one of the most central issues in legal scholarship today - the relationship between law and other disciplines considering social theoretical issues of importance for global law and policy.

The group met three times over the spring semester to discuss readings in social theory with particular focus on the writings of Claude Levi-Strauss, Sigmund Freud and Michel Foucault.

LECTURE: A GEOPOLITICAL ROLE FOR THE EUROPEAN CIVIL CODE?

Harvard Law School, February 10, 2010

In February the Institute sponsored a talk by Professor MAURO BUSSANI on “A Geopolitical Role for the European Civil Code?” Professor BUSSANI is a Full Professor of Private and Comparative Law at the University of Trieste, Italy as well as the Scientific Director of the International Association of Legal Sciences (UNESCO). Harvard Law School Professor DUNCAN KENNEDY acted as commentator for this talk.
LECTURE: THE BRETTON WOODS MONETARY SYSTEM

Harvard Law School, April 1, 2010

In April the IGLP hosted Professor Mark Blyth who presented a lecture on the Bretton Woods Monetary System entitled “It Worked Best When it Didn't and Mattered Most When it Died: An After-History of Bretton Woods.” Professor Blyth is an Associate Professor in the Department of Political Science at Johns Hopkins University. His research interests include comparative political economy, institutional and ideational theory, and the advanced industrial state.

LECTURE: BLOOD MONEY - ODIOUS DEBT, POLITICAL TRANSITION AND INTERNATIONAL LAW

Harvard Law School, April 7, 2010

The Institute hosted Professor Robert Howse who presented a lecture on the concept of “Odious Debt” in public international law. Professor Howse surveyed a range of transitional situations in order to articulate the various ways in which “odiousness” has been invoked by a successor regime as a ground for limiting its obligations to repay debt incurred by the previous regime. He also discussed some situations where other states’ tribunals have rejected or questioned claims of a transitional regime to adjust or sever debt obligations based on considerations of “odiousness”.

Professor Howse is the Lloyd C. Nelson Professor of International Law at New York University School of Law. His research interests include globalization theory, international trade, and the theory and history of international law.

CONFERENCE: DEVELOPING EUROPE - REGIONAL POLICY AND FREE MARKETS IN EUROPEAN LEGAL DISCOURSE

Harvard Law School, April 16, 2010

This past spring, the IGLP along with our sponsor Gomez-Acebo Pombo hosted a conference on Developing Europe - Regional Policy and Free Markets in European Legal Discourse. The conference examined ways in which the European Union influences the economic development strategies of its new members and those on the peripheries of the EU through its legislative and judicial work to establish a free market within the EU itself.

The conference was convened by Professor David Kennedy and Professor Daniela Caruso (Boston University School of Law) of our Academic Council. Notable participants included Hugh Collins (London School of Economics), Professor Mitch Lasser (Cornell University), Damjan Kukovec (S.J.D. Candidate, Harvard Law School), Professor Peter Lindseth (University of Connecticut), Dr. José María Beneyto (Gómez-Acebo & Pombo), Professor Joel Trachtman (The Fletcher School), Ms. Joanna Geneve (Davis Polk & Wardwell), Professor Fernanda Nicola (American University), Dr. Chris Rumford (University of London), Professor Susan Rose-Ackerman (Yale Law School), Professor Achilles Skordas (University of Bristol), Ermal Frasher (S.J.D. Candidate, Harvard Law School), and Dr. Dimitry Kochenov (University of Groningen).
WORKSHOP: THE MEDIEVAL WORLD OF VALUE - MONEY, CREDIT, AND CONSUMPTION IN MEDIEVAL EUROPE

Harvard Law School, May 7, 2010

In May the Institute brought together scholars doing cutting-edge work at the intersection of money, credit, and consumption, i.e. the vectors that drove medieval Europe’s economic development. The Conference was convened by Harvard Law School Professor CHRISTINE DESAN and Harvard University Professor DANIEL SMAIL, who both presented current scholarship. Other presenters included Professor MARYANNE KOWALESKI (Fordham University), Professor NICHOLAS MAYHEW (Oxford University), Professor ANGELA REDISH (University of British Columbia), Professor PHILLIP SCOFIELD (Aberystwyth University), and Curator ALAN STAHL (Princeton University).

Presentations were followed by comments by a number of discussants, including Professor CHARLES DONAHUE (Harvard Law School) PhD Candidate ROWAN DORIN (Harvard University), S.J.D. Candidate IAIN FRAME (Harvard Law School), Dr. ROY KREITNER (Tel Aviv University), and Professor MICHAEL McCORMICK (Harvard University).

MEETING: GLOBAL POLICY FORUM WORKING GROUP

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Professor DAVID KENNEDY convened a meeting of the Moscow based GLOBAL POLICY FORUM WORKING GROUP on “NEW CHALLENGES AND NEW CONCEPTIONS OF INTERNATIONAL LAW.” The Working Group brought together scholars and policy makers from Russia and the United States, and served as a starting point for an exploration of international law as part of the structure for the current world system, political economy and modes of institutional life in advance of the Global Policy Forum’s fall conference on “Modern State: Standards of Democracy and Criteria of Efficiency” which will be held in September 2010 in Yaroslavl, Russia.

Participants included Dr. IOSIF DISKIN (Member of the Public Chamber of the Russian Federation, and Co-Chairman of the Council for National Strategy), Dr. ALFRED GUSENBAUER (former Chancellor of Austria), Dr. LEOPOLD SPECHT (Specht Rechtsanwalt GmbH), Professor ROBERTO UNGER (Harvard Law School), Dr. MARKENTIN (Moscow State Institute of International Relations of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation), Dr. ANDREY KORTUNOV (New Eurasia Foundation), Dr. ANDREY LISITSYN-SVETLANOV (Institute of State and Law of the Russian Academy of Sciences), Dr. MIKHAIL MIZULIN (Higher School of Management of Russian Academy of Public Administration under the President of the Russian Federation), Dr. GALINA SHINKARETSKAYA (Institute of State and Law of the Russian Academy of Sciences), Dr. YAN VASLAWSKIY (Global Policy Forum), Dr. ANNA RITA LEO (Trenitalia S.p.A., Rome), and Professors WILLIAM FISHER and DUNCAN KENNEDY (Harvard Law School).
The IGLP convened our first annual intensive ten-day residential program for doctoral and post-doctoral scholars in June 2010. IGLP: THE WORKSHOP was generously supported by a grant from SANTANDER UNIVERSITIES and SOVEREIGN BANK. With their support, we were able to bring more than eighty young scholars and policy professionals from thirty-five countries to Harvard for serious research collaboration and debate on issues of global law and economic policy.

The Workshop was designed to facilitate intensive collaboration and promote innovative ideas about issues of global law, economic policy and social justice in the aftermath of the economic crisis. While in residence at Harvard, participants reviewed current scholarly developments and reconsidered canonical texts with the aim of strengthening our ability to understand and influence the shape and direction of global economic policy and law. Afternoon pro-seminars offered participants the opportunity to share their own work in progress with colleagues and leading scholars in their field.

The Workshop was organized around six broad program themes:

- **ALTERNATIVE PERSPECTIVES ON GLOBAL LAW**
- **LEGAL ARCHITECTURE OF MONETARY INTEGRATION**
- **HUMAN RIGHTS AND SOCIAL JUSTICE**
- **INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW AND REGULATION**
- **LAW AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**
- **GLOBAL LAW: UNIVERSALITY AND CONSTITUTIONALISM**

Over the course of the program, participants attended nearly fifty seminars and discussion groups led by renowned faculty members and guest speakers representing over nine countries and eighteen universities. These thematic streams also served as the basis for writing workshops, which began during the program’s second week. All participants were assigned to one of six writing workshop groups based upon the research interests expressed in their applications. The smaller group format allowed participants to engage on a one-on-one with their peers and specialist faculty members in order to share their ideas and receive feedback on their work.
The Workshop was directed by IGLP Faculty Director DAVID KENNEDY of Harvard Law School. The CORE FACULTY for The Workshop included:

Professor HELENA ALVIAR,
Universidad de Los Andes,
Bogota, Colombia

Professor MATTHEW CRAVEN,
School of Oriental and African Studies,
University of London,
London, United Kingdom

Judge DENNIS DAVIS,
High Court of Cape Town,
Cape Town, South Africa

Professor CHRISTINE DESAN,
Harvard Law School,
Cambridge, Massachusetts

Professor KAREN ENGLE,
University of Texas School of Law,
Austin, Texas

Professor JORGE ESQUIROL,
Florida International University College of Law, Miami, Florida

Dr. ROY KREITNER,
Tel Aviv University,
Tel Aviv, Israel

Professor SUSAN MARKS,
The London School of Economics and Political Science,
London, United Kingdom

Dr. VASUKI NESIAH,
New York University,
New York, New York

Professor KERRY RITTICH,
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Toronto, Canada,

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Associate Professor HANI SAYED,
American University in Cairo,
Cairo, Egypt,

Professor GUILLAUME TUSSEAU,
Science Po Law School,
Paris, France,

Professor ROBERT WAI,
Osgoode Hall Law School,
Toronto, Canada,

Professor MIKHAIL XIFARAS,
Science Po Law School,
Paris, France.

These core faculty members were assisted by guest lecturers who contributed to each of the six thematic streams. GUEST LECTURERS included:

Professor ARIEL DULITZKY,
University of Texas, Austin, Texas

Professor ELEANOR FOX,
New York University School of Law,
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Professor JANET HALLEY,
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Professor UDAY MEHTA,
Amherst College, Amherst, MA
SNAPSHOTS FROM THE WORKSHOP
As an extension of the core curriculum, IGLP: The Workshop featured a regular program of guest speakers in the evenings, often over a formal dinner. Our featured *Evening Speaker Series* included presentations from:

Professor Didier Fassin, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey,
Professor Marjorie Garber, Harvard University, Cambridge Massachusetts,
Professor James Gathii, Albany Law School, Albany, New York,
Professor Mary Ann Glendon, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts,
Professor Duncan Kennedy, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts,
Professor Roberto Unger, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts,
Professor Robert Wade, The London School of Economics and Political Science, London, United Kingdom,
Dr. Elizabeth Weed, Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island,
Professor Lucie White, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

The Workshop was structured as a platform for the exchange of ideas on an international scale. Conversations and discussions that began in the lecture room often carried over into the dining halls, dorm rooms, and informal participant created groups. The Institute encouraged participants to see the Workshop as a first step in creating a global community for scholar debate among the next generation of scholars working to innovate on issues of global law and policy. To continue this community beyond the walls of Harvard Law School, two social network sites were created for IGLP: The Workshop, a Facebook group and a message board on the IGLP website. Both online hubs were designed to promote networking, the exchange and discussion of research discussed during the Workshop and being pursued by participants at their home institutions.
6. **Lectures and Presentations by Professor David Kennedy**

Professor David Kennedy, IGLP Director, participated in a number of conferences and seminars this past year, giving lectures or serving as a panelist in many of them. In 2009-2010, these included:

**Spring 2009**

Remarks presented at the conference “Human Rights at UT: A Dialogue at the Intersection of Academics and Advocacy”, University of Texas, Austin, on March 26, 2009.


**Fall 2009**


A lecture entitled “Rule of Law, Political Choices, and Development Common Sense” presented at the Legal Theory Workshop at Yale Law School, New Haven on October 1, 2009.


**Spring 2010**

A lecture on “Human Rights as Global Governance” at the University of Nottingham, England on January 2010.


Introductory remarks for a panel on “Social Rights as Human Rights” during a conference entitled “The Future of European Legal Culture” at the University of Helsinki, Finland on May 12, 2010


7. **Visiting Researcher Program: 2009-2010**

**Maria de la Valgoma** (Spain) is a Professor of Civil Law at the Universidad Complutense of Madrid and a Professor, Master Level in the Practice of Law at the Universidad Carlos III. Her research at IGLP focuses on the Legal Rights of Minors. Professor de la Valgoma holds a Masters degree in Human Rights and a Ph.D. in civil law from the Universidad Complutense.

**John D. Haskell** (United States) is a Ph.D. candidate at the University of London, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS). He holds a J.D. from the University of California (Hastings), and a LL.M. from SOAS. His dissertation focuses on international law and religion in three contexts: legal history, political and legal theory, and contemporary issues of governance. In the fall of 2010, he will be joining the faculty at the International University College of Turin (IUC).

**Damien Gerard** (Belgium) is a graduate of the University of Louvain, the College of Europe and New York University. He is currently a Research Fellow at the Chair of European law of the University of Louvain. He is a member of the New York Bar and previously practiced law in Brussels at Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton. In 2003-2004, Damien clerked for Judge Lenaerts of the European Court of Justice and in 2008-2009, he was a Visiting Lecturer in EC Competition Law at University Paris V - Descartes. His recent scholarship focuses on the interactions between the European Commission and national competition authorities, on the one hand, and between EC competition law and internal market rules (including in the framework of the financial crisis), on the other hand. A list of his publications is available at: www.uclouvain.be/damien.gerard

**Rafael Gómez-Ferrer Rincón** (Spain) earned degrees in law (1995), and in economics and business (1996) from the Universidad Pontificia Comillas of Madrid. He obtained his Ph.D. in law from Complutense University of Madrid (cum laude) and Extraordinary Award in 2003. He has taught administrative law at the Law Faculty of the Complutense University of Madrid, at the Instituto de Estudios Bursátiles, and at the Law Faculty of the Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia, where he is currently Associate Professor of Administrative Law. His current research has concentrated on economic administrative law and on the control of public administration by the judicial power. He is Member of the Spanish Association of Professors of administrative law.

**Eulalia Sanfrutos Cano** (Spain) is a Ph.D. candidate at Utrecht University in the Netherlands. In addition she is a teaching assistant at the College of Europe, European Legal Studies Department (Bruges) and a Chargé de cours, in European Business Law at ESPEME 4 (EDHEC Business School, Nice). Her research at IGLP focuses on Courts and Constitutional Pluralism Within the Area of Freedom, Security and Justice.
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IGNACIO DE LA RASILLA (Spain) is a Global Governance, Law and Social Thought fellow at Watson Institute for International Studies at Brown University. In addition he is a research associate of the Philosophy of Law Department at Seville University Pablo de Olavide and at the Centre d’étude et de Recherche en Droit International (CERDIN) at the Université Panthéon-Sorbonne, Paris 1. He holds a LL.B. from Universidad Complutense of Madrid, and a M.A. from the Graduate Institute of International Studies in Geneva where he will soon earn his Ph.D. in international law. His current research focuses on international constitutionalism and the dimensions of emergence of the principle of democratic governance. A list of his publications can be found at http://www.ignaciodelarasilla.org

ACHILLES SKORDAS (Greece) studied, and later taught, law at the University of Athens-Greece. He holds a Ph.D. from the Johann Wolfgang Goethe-Universität of Frankfurt-am-Main. He joined the University of Bristol as Reader in Law in 2006 and was appointed Professor of International Law in 2008. He has been a Visiting Professor at the University of Paris XII and a Visiting Research Fellow at the Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public Law and International Law in Heidelberg and was also a CLPE Fellow at Osgoode Hall Law School, York University, in Toronto (September 2008). He is the Greek member of the Odysseus Academic Network for Legal Studies on Asylum and Immigration in Europe, and has previously been an advisor to the Greek Parliament on international legal issues. Achilles has written on the sources of international law, migration and asylum law and policy, the use of force, regime theory, sociology of international law, and on foreign policy issues.

JOSE LUIS DE LA CALLE SANCHEZ (Spain) is a practicing attorney with the law firm Clifford Chance in Madrid. He received a law degree from the Universidad Pontificia Comillas and an LL.M. from the University of London. His research at IGLP focuses on Public and Private Enforcement in the US and EU.

ANDREJ LANG (Germany) earned a law degree and a political science degree from Freie Universität Berlin and a LL.M. from New York University School of Law. He is currently a Ph.D. candidate at Freie Universität Berlin where his dissertation focuses on the functions of constitutional courts in a polycentric world order, and, in particular, on the adjudication of the German Federal Constitutional Court concerning the relationship between national and supra-national law. He is a member of the New York Bar and was previously a litigation associate at Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP (New York & London).

DEMETRIO CASTRO (Spain) is a Professor at the Sociology Department, Universidad Publica de Navarra, Pamplona, Spain, where he teaches Political Science and History of the Political Thought. An Intellectual historian, he is author of “Burke. Circunstancia Politica y Pensamiento” (2007) and a new work about Robespierre due out in 2010. He is currently
working on French anticlerical laws in early Twentieth century.

**Anselmo Martínez Caellas**, (Spain) is a tenured Associate Professor of Commercial Law at the University of the Balearic Islands (Palma de Mallorca) where he earned a law degree (summa cum laude), a business degree, and a doctorate in law (summa cum laude). He is the author of three books about international contract law, and numerous articles about contract, bankruptcy and corporate law. His research at the IGLP centers on two topics: the relationship between leveraged buyouts and bankruptcy, and private law questions in the production and commerce of transgenics.

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**Pablo González Saquero** (Spain) is a European Law Professor at Carlos III University of Madrid and a Ph.D. student at the Universidad Complutense of Madrid. His research focuses on U.S. immigration law, specifically federal immigration power and undocumented immigrants.

8. **Research and Travel Grants: 2009 – 2010**

The Institute for Global Law and Policy provides modest research and travel support to a small number of scholars conducting research in areas closely related to the IGLP’s ongoing work. Applications are open to current Harvard Law School students. We award small research and travel grants to students working on serious research and writing projects related to our core activities and projects. We hope to encourage more students to focus on the life of the mind, on interdisciplinary reading, and on developing the intellectual background to understand and contribute to critical analyses of global law and social justice. Preference is given to current doctoral students. Travel grants are limited to students who have been invited to present their scholarly work at academic conferences. Travel grants are not available to students who have received other funding from Harvard Law School for the same trip. Generally, Institute support does not exceed $500 toward the cost of travel for conferences in the US and $1000 for conferences outside the United States.

In 2009 – 2010 the IGLP awarded five travel grants:

**Jennifer Macleod** (LL.M., United Kingdom) received a grant to travel to Ghana in January 2010 to research anti-eviction efforts in the Agyenmankata Community.

**Lisa Collins** (Kennedy and Frank Knox Visiting Researcher, United Kingdom) received a grant to travel to Ghana in January 2010 to research anti-eviction efforts in the Agyenmankata Community.
IAIN FRAME (S.J.D., Scotland) received a grant to travel to London in April 2010 to present a paper at the 4th International Graduate Legal Research Conference at King’s College London School of Law and Graduate School.

HEIDI MATTHEWS (S.J.D. Canada) received a grant to travel to Toronto in January to present a paper at The Third Annual Conference of the Toronto Group for the Study of International, Transnational, and Comparative Law

JOSE LUIS DE LA CALLE SANCHEZ (IGLP Visiting Researcher, Spain) received a grant to attend a Conference on International Antitrust Litigation jointly organized by UCL Louvain and the Max Planck Institute in Hamburg, which was held in Brussels on March 26, 2010.

In 2008 – 2009 IGLP awarded three travel grants:

IAIN FRAME (SJD, Scotland) received a grant to travel to Toronto, Ontario for the 2nd Annual Graduate Student Conference of the Toronto Group for the Study of International, Transnational, and Comparative Law, held in January, 2009. Iain presented his work dealing with the international law of money.

NAMITA WAHI (SJD, India) received a grant to travel to New Delhi, India for the PRS Legislative Research Annual Conference held in December 2008. Namita presented two papers at the conference - one on regulation of campaign finance in India and the other on devising a set of parameters for measuring the effectiveness of the legislature in a parliamentary system.

HEIDI MATTHEWS (SJD, Canada) received a grant to travel to Glasgow, Scotland for the Public in Law Conference held at the University of Glasgow in April. Heidi presented her paper “The Public in War: From Private to Public in International Law (and Back Again).”
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