



Strengthening International Fisheries Law in an Era of Changing Oceans

Preliminary Workshop Programme 7-8 February 2017

Netherlands Institute for the Law of the Sea (NILOS) & Utrecht Centre for Water,
Oceans and Sustainability Law (UCWOSL), Utrecht University
Venue: Toon Peterzaal, Achter Sint Pieter 200, 3512 HT Utrecht

Day One: 7 February 2017

08.30-09.00 **Coffee and Registration**

Session 1

09.00-09.10

Welcome Address
Alex G. Oude Elferink, NILOS & UCWOSL

09.10-09.20

Introduction to the Workshop and information on the Project
Richard Caddell & Erik J. Molenaar, NILOS & UCWOSL

09.20-10.10

Modelling Future Oceans: The Past and Emerging Future of Fish Stocks and Fishing
William Cheung, Nippon Foundation Nereus Program and University of British Columbia
Commentators: Richard Caddell & Erik J. Molenaar

10.10-10.30

Coffee break

Session 2

10.30-11.10

Alternative Histories and Futures of International Fisheries Law
Richard Barnes, University of Hull
Commentator: Alex G. Oude Elferink

11.10-11.50

Management Options for High Seas Fisheries: Making Regime Complexes More Effective
Olav Schram Stokke, University of Oslo
Commentator: James Harrison

12.00-13.00

Lunch

Session 3

- 13.00-13.40** *Key Challenges relating to the Governance of RFMOs*
James Harrison, University of Edinburgh
Commentator: Erik J. Molenaar
- 13.40-14.20** *Participation and Allocation in RFMOs*
Erik J. Molenaar, NILOS & UCWOSL
Commentator: Richard Barnes
- 14.20-14.40** **Coffee Break**

Session 4

- 14.40-15.20** *Climate Change and International Fisheries*
Rosemary Rayfuse, University of New South Wales
Commentator: Áslaug Ásgeirsdóttir
- 15.20-16.00** *International Fisheries Law and Interactions with Global Regimes and Processes*
Richard Caddell, NILOS & UCWOSL
Commentator: Eva van der Marel
- 16.00** **Close of the day**
- 18.00** **Conference Dinner**

Day Two: 8 February 2017

Session 5

- 09.00-09.40** *By-catch Mitigation and the Protection of Associated Species*
Karen Scott, University of Canterbury (by Skype)
Commentator: Natalie Klein
- 09.40-10.20** *Environmental Assessment and International Fisheries*
Simon Marsden, University of Stirling
Commentator: Carmino Massarella
- 10.20-10.40** **Coffee break**

Session 6

- 10.40-11.20** *An International Relations Perspective on Compliance and Enforcement*
Áslaug Ásgeirsdóttir, Bates College
Commentator: Olav Schram Stokke
- 11.20-12.00** *Problems and Progress in Combating IUU Fishing*
Eva van der Marel, UiT The Arctic University of Norway
Commentator: Simon Marsden
- 12.00-13.00** **Lunch**

Session 7

- 13.00-13.40** *Strengthening Flag State Performance*
Natalie Klein, Macquarie University
Commentator: Rosemary Rayfuse
- 13.40-14.20** *Ensuring Compliance with Fisheries Regulations by Private Actors*
Carmino Massarella, University of Hull
Commentator: Bariş Soyer
- 14.20-14.40** **Coffee Break**
- 14.40-15.20** *Emerging Regulatory Approaches to IUU Fishing*
Bariş Soyer, Swansea University
Commentator: Richard Caddell
- 15.20- 15.50** *Options and Pathways to Strengthen International Fisheries Law in a Context of Changing Oceans: Preliminary Conclusions and Discussion*
Richard Caddell & Erik J. Molenaar, NILOS & UCWOSL
- 16.00:** **Close and post-workshop drinks**