

Invitation on the occasion of the 51th International Law Seminar of the United Nations

WORKSHOP

“INTERNATIONAL WATER LAW: ISSUES OF IMPLEMENTATION”

Friday, 10 July 2015, from 14:30 to 18:00

UNI MAIL - room MS 150 (basement)

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Welcome Address:

Marco Sassòli – Professor of International Law and Director of the Department of Public International Law and International Organization, Faculty of Law, University of Geneva.

Geneva Water Hub. A Brief Update:

François Münger – Manager of the Geneva Water Hub.

Chair: **Laurence Boisson de Chazournes**, Professor of International Law, Faculty of Law, University of Geneva;

Mara Tignino, Senior Researcher and Coordinator of the Platform for International Water Law, Faculty of Law, University of Geneva.

- The Entry into Force of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Non-Navigational Uses of International Watercourses: Its Significance – **Maurice Kamto**, Professor at the Faculty of Law of the University Yaoundé II and Member of the International Law Commission.
- The Resort to Judicial Means and their Contribution to the Development of International Water Law – **Lucius Cafilisch**, Honorary Professor of the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies and Member of the International Law Commission.

Questions and answers

15:45-16:00 Coffee break

- Diplomacy, Responsibility and Accountability in Transboundary Water Disputes – **Attila Tanzi**, Full Professor at the Faculty of Law of the University of Bologna and Chair of the Implementation Committee of the UNECE Convention on the Protection and Use of Transboundary Watercourses and International Lakes.
- Freshwater and Energy Issues in the Context of International Dispute Settlement – **Danae Azaria**, Lecturer, Faculty of Laws, University College of London.
- International Water Law Guiding State Practice in Riparian Cooperation – **Christina Leb**, Senior Water Resources Specialist, World Bank, and Associate Member of the Platform for International Water Law, Faculty of Law, University of Geneva.

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