

Court of Conciliation and Arbitration within the OSCE



Conciliation in the Globalized World of Today

International Colloquium
Vienna, 11 / 12 June 2015

OSCE Congress Centre, Hofburg, Heldenplatz, 1010 Vienna

Thursday, 11 June 2015

13:30 – 13:45 **Welcome Address**

Prof. Christian TOMUSCHAT,
President of the OSCE Court of Conciliation and Arbitration

13:45 – 15:15 **Expectations Attaching to Conciliation Reconsidered**

Prof. Jean-Pierre COT, Judge of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea, Hamburg

Conciliation within the Framework of Dispute Settlement Procedures

Prof. Lauri MÄLKSOO, Professor of International Law,
University of Tartu

Quasi-arbitral and Diplomatic Aspects in Conciliation Procedures:

Conciliation between Dispute Settlement and Conflict Prevention

Prof. Giuseppe PALMISANO, Professor of International Law,
Director of the Institute for International Legal Studies (National Research Council of Italy), Rome; President of the European Committee of Social Rights, Council of Europe, Strasbourg

15:15 – 15:45 **Coffee Break**

15:45 – 16:45 **Conciliation under the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS)**

Prof. Rüdiger WOLFRUM, Judge and Former President of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea, Hamburg

The Jan Mayen Case - An Example of Successful Conciliation

Prof. Ulf LINDERFALK, Professor of International Law,
University of Lund

Friday, 12 June 2015

9:00 – 10:30 **UNESCO's Intergovernmental Committee for Promoting the Return of Cultural Property to its Countries of Origin or its Restitution in Case of Illicit Appropriation**

Edouard PLANCHE, Programme Expert, Treaties Section for the Protection of the Cultural Heritage, UNESCO, Paris

**Elements of Conciliation in Dispute Settlement
Procedures Relating to International Economic Law**

Prof. August REINISCH, Professor of Public International Law, University of Vienna

Interstate Complaints Procedures in the Field of Human Rights as Conciliation ?

Konstantine VARDZELASHVILI, Vice-President of the Constitutional Court of Georgia, Tbilisi

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:00 **Private Initiatives :**

The International Court of Environmental Arbitration and Conciliation

Prof. Philippe SANDS, Professor of Law, University College London
Prof. Ruth MACKENZIE, Senior Lecturer in International Law, University of Westminster

Are there any lessons to be drawn for the OSCE Court ?

Prof. Daniel THÜRER, Member of the Bureau of the OSCE Court, Member of the International Committee of the Red Cross

12:00 – 13:30 Closing Lunch Buffet

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