



# UNIDROIT

International Institute for the Unification of Private Law  
Institut international pour l'unification du droit privé

## International Summer School 2022

schedule as of July 7, 2022

### **Online classes (June 20 –July 1)** via Zoom connections

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89642215009?pwd=Q2RQcHFYa3NLZXZ0Z2JnYTgxM1VnUT09> meeting ID: 896 4221 5009 Passcode: 614293

#### **June 20 10:30 12:00**

- Opening UNIDROIT [M.C. Malaguti](#) – President; [I. Tirado](#) – SG; [Anna Veneziano](#) – Deputy SG
- Keynote speech [Amb. Namira Negm, Dr.](#) - Director of the African Migration Observatory - African Union

**June 24 10:30 12:00** Q&A session on: UNIDROIT Principles of International Commercial Contracts and the Model Clauses for the Use of the UNIDROIT Principles of International Commercial Contracts; Private Law and sustainable agriculture: Legal Guides on Contract Farming and on Agricultural Land Investment Contracts

**July 1<sup>st</sup> 10:30 12:00** Q&A session on: Access to finance: Cape Town Convention and relevant Protocols on Aircraft Equipment; Railway Rolling Stock; Space Assets; Mining, Agricultural and Construction Equipment; UNIDROIT's work on Warehouse Receipts Financing; Factoring; Law of cultural property: UNIDROIT Convention on Stolen or Illegally Exported Cultural Objects; Model Provisions on State Ownership of Undiscovered Cultural Objects

### **In-person classes (July 4-22, 2022) at UNIDROIT, Via Panisperna 28 00184 Rome**

#### **July 4 11:00-12:00 Registration of participants**

##### **12.30-13.15 Opening Addresses**

- The Right Honorable Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs of Italy [Marina Sereni](#)
- DG for Development and Cooperation of Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Italy Ambassador [Fabio Cassese](#)
- UNIDROIT President Professor [Maria Chiara Malaguti](#)
- UNIDROIT Secretary-General Professor [Ignacio Tirado](#)

13.15 H.E. Ambassador Ms. Nosipho Nausca-Jean Jezile, South Africa

Statements by the Ambassadors of the International Representations in Italy (upon request)

##### **13.30-14.45 Lunch Buffet**

- 15:00 **keynote speech** General Counsel Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank [Mr. Alberto Ninio](#)

- 15:30 **Introduction to the role of transnational law and unification** (UNIDROIT) [Maria Chiara Malaguti](#) and [Ignacio Tirado](#)
- July 5** 9:30 **UNIDROIT Principles of International Commercial Contracts (UPICC)** (120') [M.J. Bonell](#) (via Zoom), [Ignacio Tirado](#) and [Anna Veneziano](#)  
12:00 **Model Clauses** (60') [Don Wallace](#)
- July 6** 9:30 **Legal Guide on Contract Farming** (120') [Henry Gabriel](#) (video) [Carmen Bullon](#) and [Philine Wehling](#)  
12:00 **Model Law on Warehouse Receipts** (60') [Angelo E. Faria](#) and [Philine Wehling](#)  
15:00 Seminar **International commercial contracts: a case study** (60'), [Giacomo Rojas Elgueta](#) and [Anna Veneziano](#). In cooperation with Department of Law, Roma Tre University (Rome)  
19:00 Evening cocktail party in the garden
- July 7** 9:30 **Legal guide on Agricultural Land Investment Contracts** (120') [Lorenzo Cotula](#) and [Priscila de Andrade](#)  
12:00 **Legal Structure of Agricultural Enterprises** (60') [Buba Bojang](#) and [Ebrima Ceesay](#) and [Priscila de Andrade](#)
- July 8** 9:30 **Financing of high value equipment: Cape Town Convention** (120') [I. Tirado](#), [A. Veneziano](#)  
12:00 **Aircraft Protocol**, [Jeffrey Wool](#) (60') (via Zoom)
- July 9** Saturday morning - guided visit Ms. Marta Geri (3 hours) Colosseum, Roman Forum and Palatino Meeting outside the Colosseum Metro Stop at 9:45 sharp! Bring a hat, a water bottle and sunscreen
- July 11** 9:30 **Financing of high value equipment: Railway Rolling Stock** (90') [Howard Rosen](#), and [Anna Veneziano](#)  
11:15 **Financing of high value equipment: Mining, Agricultural and Construction Equipment (MAC Protocol)** 90' [Teresa Rodriguez Ballell](#) and [William Brydie-Watson](#)
- July 12** 9:30 **Space Assets – Case studies** (60') [Ayomide A. Jide-Omole](#) (via Zoom) [Hamza Hameed](#)  
10:45 **Workshop** (60')  
12:00 **Private International Law Instruments and Economic Development: The Role of the Judiciary** (60') [Don De Amicis](#)
- July 13** 9:30 **1995 UNIDROIT Convention on Stolen or Illegally Exported Cultural Objects** (90') [Manlio Frigo](#) and [Marina Schneider](#)  
11:15 **Model Provisions on State Ownership of Undiscovered Cultural Objects** (90') [Manlio Frigo](#) and [Marina Schneider](#)  
19:00 Evening cocktail party in the garden
- July 14** 9:30 **Procedural law (ALI + ELI)** (120') [Astrid Stadler](#)  
12:00 **Impact of technologies on traditional procedures** (60') [Teresa Rodriguez de las Heras Ballell](#)

**July 15 9:30 Model Law on Factoring (60')** [Louise Gullifer](#) and [William Brydie-Watson](#)

10:45 **Law and technology – Digital assets (120')** [Louise Gullifer](#)

**July 16 Saturday morning - guided visit Ms. Marta Geri (3 hours)** Piazza Navona, Pantheon (outside), Fontana di Trevi and Piazza di Spagna

**July 18 9:30 Digital Assets Project (video)** [Carla Reyes](#) and [Carlo Di Nicola](#)

10:30 **Financial inclusion (120')** [Maria Chiara Malaguti](#)

**July 19 9:30 Workshop “How do you plan to follow-up in your own institutions/ countries” (90')**  
(breakup groups' discussion 30'; summary 15'; tour de table for plenary presentations (45')

**July 20 9:30 Workshop: Sustainability and private law in the work of UNIDROIT followed by discussion, Q&A and brief presentation of essay competition (120')**

**July 21 9:30 Presentation of participants' research**

17:00 – 19:30 **Evening reception** hosted by H.E. Ambassador Ms. Nosipho Nausca-Jean Jezile, South Africa – Via Barnaba Oriani 115, Rome

**July 22 9:30 Keynote speech**

**Closing session**, farewell and dissemination of tentative follow-up events or papers agreed with participants