INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP

THE LOSC 25 YEARS AFTER ITS ENTRY INTO FORCE: BETWEEN COMPREHENSIVENESS AND EXCEPTIONALISM

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Location: Aby-Warburg-Haus, Heilwigstraße 116, 20249 Hamburg
9:00 – 9:30  REGISTRATION

9:30 – 10:00  WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION
Director Toru Hotta and Professor Alexander Proelss

10:00 – 10:30  KEYNOTE
The Draft ILBI: Between Comprehensiveness and Exceptionalism I Professor Ronan Long

10:30 – 12:00  PANEL 1: THE CONCEPT OF THE ARCHIPELAGIC STATE
The regime of archipelagic States and archipelagic waters under Part IV of the LOSC I Dr. A. Gusman Siswandi
The legal framework for the drawing of archipelagic baseline I Dr. Sophia Kopela
Archipelagic sea-lanes passage I Professor Jay L. Batongbacal

12:00 – 13:00  LUNCH

13:00 – 14:30  PANEL 2: THE CONCEPT OF THE EXCLUSIVE ECONOMIC ZONE:
FOREIGN ACTIVITIES
The EEZ regime and the obligations of due regard in Part V of the LOSC: Striking a balance I Professor Alina Miron
Military activities in the EEZ and the obligations of due regard I Professor Kentaro Furuya
Marine scientific research in the EEZ I Professor Irini Papanicopolulu

14:30 – 16:00  PANEL 3: THE CONCEPT OF THE EXCLUSIVE ECONOMIC ZONE:
PROTECTION AND PRESERVATION OF THE MARINE ENVIRONMENT
The regime for the protection and preservation of the marine environment in the EEZ under Part V and Part XII of the LOSC I Professor James Harrison
The construction and expansion of artificial islands, installations and structures (and land reclamation activities) in light of the coastal State’s obligations to protect and preserve the marine environment in the EEZ I Professor Don Rothwell
Standards of due diligence in Part XII of the LOSC I Professor Nele Matz-Lück

16:00 – 16:30  COFFEE/TEA BREAK

16:30 – 18:00  PANEL 4: COMPULSORY DISPUTE SETTLEMENT
Part XV of the LOSC and the “package deal”: How comprehensive is the compulsory dispute settlement mechanism of the LOSC? I Professor Mariko Kawano
Limitations of compulsory jurisdiction under Part XV of the LOSC I Dr. Lan Nguyen
Problems relating to Optional Exceptions from Compulsory Jurisdiction under Art. 298 LOSC I Professor Clive Symmons

18:00 – 18:15  CLOSING REMARKS
Director Toru Hotta and Professor Alexander Proelss

19:30 – 22:30  DINNER (upon invitation only)