



10th Anniversary Conference

2008 Namibia
Conference Program
 October 2 – 5

Business meetings will take place at the
Windhoek Country Club Resort

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The conference registration form and hotel information
 are available at www.illace.org



Thursday, October 2

Time	Event
1200 – 1300	Lunch for delegates at WCCR
1300 – 1320	<p>Conference Commences – Chairman’s Introduction: Douglas Mill, The Law Society of Scotland</p> <p>GREETINGS FROM THE LAW SOCIETY OF NAMIBIA</p> <p>Opening address by the President of the Law Society of Namibia, Mr. Charles Bodenstein</p>
1320 – 1530	<p>1.1 “EFFECTIVE STRATEGIC PLANNING” How to do it</p> <p>Chair: Raj Daya, Law Society of South Africa</p> <p>Speakers: <i>Hank White, American Bar Association</i> <i>Des Hudson, Law Society of England and Wales</i></p>
1530 – 1545	Coffee break

1545 – 1715

1.2 “PUBLIC RELATIONS, THE MEDIA AND THE LEGAL PROFESSION”

What works, what doesn't

Chair: Nalini Gangen, Cape Law Society

Presentation by : Les Aupiais, Highly regarded South African radio & television broadcaster and writer.

Followed by a panel discussion:

*Speakers: Les Aupiais
Ken Murphy, Law Society of Ireland
David Hobart, Bar Council of England and Wales*

1830 – 2030

Welcome Reception in the foyer of the Supreme Court Hosted by the Honourable Chief Justice of the Republic of Namibia, His Lordship, Chief Justice Shivute

Sponsored by the Law Society of Namibia

2045

Dinner at NICE Restaurant (www.nice.com.na)

Sponsored by The Law Society of England and Wales, The Law Society of Scotland, The Law Society of Northern Ireland, and The Law Society of Ireland

Friday, October 3

Time

Event

0900 – 1045

2.1 “ACCESS TO LEGAL SERVICES” The Affordability of Lawyers and the Growth of Advice ‘Deserts’

Chair: Thinus Grobler, Law Society of the Northern Provinces

Presentation by : Patrick Hundurmark, South African Legal Aid Board

Followed by a panel discussion:

*Speakers: Raymond Ho, Law Society of Hong Kong
John Hoyles, The Canadian Bar Association*

1045 – 1100

Coffee break

1100 – 1230

**2.2 “WORLDWIDE REVIEW OF THE PROFESSION”
Competition and Regulatory Developments**

Chair: Jan Martin, Law Society of South Australia

Speakers: *Alan Hunter, Law Society of Northern Ireland
Jonathan Herman, Federation of Law Societies of
Canada
Anne Ramberg, CEEBA / Law Society of Sweden
Don Daya, East Africa Law Societies*

1230 – 1330

Lunch

1330 – 1415

**2.3 “OUR LEGAL HERITAGE”
Snails, Ginger Beer and the Consumer – A Video presentation by
Douglas Mill, The Law Society of Scotland**

1415 – 1530

**2.4 “CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICERS – HERE TODAY, GONE
TOMORROW”
The Challenges of being a CEO with a volunteer Board means that
security of tenure is whimsical at best**

Chair: John Hoyles, Canadian Bar Association

Presentation by: *Dr. Len Konar, World renowned South African expert in
Corporate Governance*

Followed by a panel discussion:

Speakers : *Dr. Len Konar
Jan Martin, Law Society of South Australia
Douglas Mill, The Law Society of Scotland*

1530 – 1545

Coffee break

1615 – 1715

2.5 GENDER ISSUES IN THE PROFESSION
Global Trends, Glass Ceilings and Future Work Patterns

Chair: Almé Stanton, Free State Law Society

Presentation by: Dr. Christina Swart-Opperman, KnowledgeWorkx

Followed by a panel discussion:

*Speakers: Merete Smith, Norwegian Bar Association
Dr. Christina Swart-Opperman, KnowledgeWorkx
Namibia and C O Holdings
Ken Murphy, Law Society of Ireland*

1900

Reception and Dinner at Am Weinberg Restaurant
Sponsored by Willis

Saturday, October 4

Time

Event

0900 – 1030

3.1 “STRESS IN LAWYERING”

More and more the assistance looked forward to by lawyers is not for substance abuse, alcohol or drugs, but stress-related problems. Whether this is overwork, difficulty in work-life balance or issues involving the rule of law, it is a problem for lawyers throughout the world. The Panel will discuss not only the issues of stress, but also solutions and ways to help lawyers cope.

Chair: Des Hudson, Law Society of England and Wales

Presentation by: Anna-Marie Gertze

Followed by a panel discussion:

*Speakers: Michael Brett-Young, Law Institute of Victoria
Anna-Marie Gertze
Tim McGee, Law Society of British Columbia*

1030 – 1045

Coffee break

1045 – 1130

3.2 “EMERGING ISSUES AND PROFESSIONAL INDEMNITY INSURANCE”

Chair: Douglas Mill, The Law Society of Scotland

Guest Speaker: *Andrew Fryer, Willis*

1130 – 1230

“IILACE AGM”

i) IILACE Conferences

- **2009 – Dublin?**
- **2010 – Vancouver?**

ii) Programming at IILACE Conferences

iii) Mary Robinson Human Rights

iv) Open Source Learning

v) Twinning Law Societies / Bar Associations

1230 – 1400

Closing Lunch

Windhoek Country Club Resort and Hotel, ‘lapa at the swimming pool’.

Saturday, October 4
Post Conference - Optional Activity
Overnight Excursion to Sossusvlei Lodge*

Time	Event
1500 – 1700	Flight Departs
1700 – 1900	Excursion to the Dunes
2000	Dinner at the Lodge

Sunday, October 5

Time	Event
0800 – 1000	Breakfast at Sossusvlei Lodge
TIME TBC	Flight back to Windhoek



****See Separate Registration Form Item
for Optional Overnight Excursion to
Sossusvlei Lodge
on Saturday, October 4th***