### International Law Weekend

# Why you should join the American Branch of the International Law Association (ABILA)



### The International Law Association





### INTERNATIONAL LAW ASSOCIATION



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### What is the ABILA?



### INTERNATIONAL LAW ASSOCIATION

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### Who are the leaders of the ABILA?



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- International Commercial Law
- International Criminal Court
- International Environmental Law
- International Human Rights
- International Humanitarian Law
- International Intellectual Property
- International Investment Law
- International Trade Law
- Formation of Rules of Customary Int'l Law

- Islamic Law
- Law of the Sea
- United Nations Law
- Space Law
- Teaching Public Int'l Law
- Use of Force

### How to form a new ABILA Committee

- If you wish to form a new committee, contact the ABILA's co-Directors of Study to do so.
- Branch Committees sponsor panels at ILW and regional ILWs.

### ABILA Publications

- International Practitioner's Notebook (ILSA)
- American Branch Proceedings
- American Branch Newsletter
- ILA Biennial Conference Report

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### How to become a member of ABILA

- New members can join for \$70.00 for the first year and \$100.00 for the second year.
- Regular membership is \$125.00 per year.
- Sustaining membership is \$200.00 per year.
- The easiest way is to become a member is on-line: <a href="http://www.ila-americanbranch.org/">http://www.ila-americanbranch.org/</a>.
- Membership includes registration for all ILW conferences, membership on Branch committees of interest, the possibility of membership on ILA committees and receipt of all Branch publications.