

# ILI-SACE Newsletter

December 23, 2024



## AN EVENING TO REMEMBER: THE INAUGURAL LIFETIME IMPACT GALA 2024 RECAP

Thank You for Your Support!

Dear Supporters,

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to everyone who made the ILI-SACE Lifetime Achievement Gala an unforgettable success. Held on October 17th 2024 at the Jones Day office in Washington DC, this extraordinary evening brought together leaders, supporters, and friends to honour Judge Ann Claire Williams for her groundbreaking contributions to the development of law across the African continent. Beyond that she has been a forerunning leader with wide impact. In light of this we would like to thank you for your presence and generosity which filled the night with purpose and celebration.

Over 130 guests joined us for an unforgettable evening of elegance, inspiration, and impact as we honoured Judge Ann Claire Williams for her extraordinary lifetime achievements.

The gala featured stirring speeches, a Fireside Chat with Honourable Loretta E. Lynch, former Attorney General of the United States and a vibrant V.I.P cocktail reception that brought together legal luminaries, business leaders, and friends of Judge Williams, Jones Day and the International Law Institute. The evening celebrated collaboration, leadership, and a shared vision for empowering Africa's next generation of legal and business leaders.

## Key Highlights

- 1 Inaugural ILI-SACE Lifetime Impact Award in Honour of Judge Ann Claire Williams**
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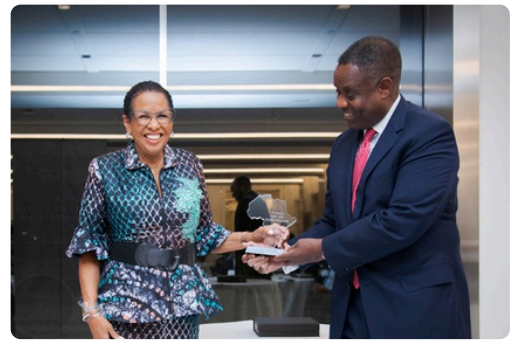
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A heartfelt thank you to our Obuvumu Guardians and Bana Supporters whose generous contributions were instrumental to the success of this event.

Thanks to your incredible support, the gala achieved remarkable results that will have a lasting impact.

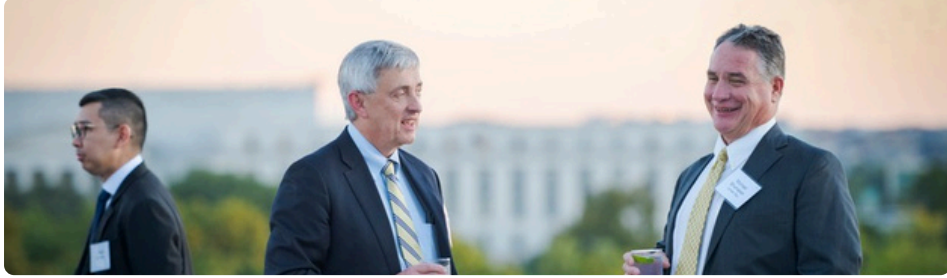
Your generosity has ignited opportunities that will empower the next generation of leaders. As we continue our mission to strengthen Africa's legal and business leadership, we invite you to stay connected and engaged with ILI-SACE.

With deepest gratitude,











## ILI-SACE PROGRAMME OFFERINGS

### Celebrating 2024's Success and Looking Ahead

This year, we proudly hosted impactful training programmes across multiple regions, bringing together professionals from diverse sectors to enhance their skills and drive organizational growth. With participants from Africa, Asia, and beyond, these courses highlighted our commitment to fostering global expertise.

#### Effective Corporate Secretary

July 1 - 12, 2024

Johannesburg, South Africa

Client - Rural Energy Agency Tanzania

#### Project Monitoring and Evaluation

September 30 - October 4, 2024

CapitaGreen, Singapore (Jones Day Offices)

Client - East Africa School of Aviation, Kenya and MFI Group, Kenya

#### Legislative Drafting Diploma/ Certificate

September 23 - October 4, 2024 - Certificate

September 23 - November 1, 2024 - Diploma

Johannesburg, South Africa

Client - Malawi Revenue Authority and Insurance Regulatory Authority of Uganda

#### Investment Arbitration

December 2 - 10, 2024

Johannesburg, South Africa

Clients - Tanzania, Nigeria, Egypt, Vietnam and Zambia

Each of these programmes not only achieved remarkable success but also underscored the value of fostering continuous learning. We invite you to join us in 2025 as we continue shaping futures and building bridges across sectors and borders.

## Engage with Us

Join Us in shaping a future of innovation, leadership, and excellence:

### PARTICIPATION

- Attend Annual Galas
- Attend project meetings
- Spread the word about our programmes

### EDUCATION

- Sign up to participate in ILI-SACE online and in-person courses. Visit our *website* for more information.
- Serve as faculty for ILI-SACE

### COMMUNITY

- Attend regional events
- Engage with the ILI-SACE Global Alumni Community
- Make personal connections
- Follow us on LinkedIn or TikTok @ili\_sace

## 2025 Courses

Will cover a range of topics in various fields such as:

- Regional and International Law
- Alternative Dispute Resolution
- Corporate Leadership
- Aviation Compliance
- Taxation

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## PROGRAMME SPOTLIGHT

### Spotlight on Investment Arbitration: A Resounding Success

For seven years, ILI-SACE and the International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes World Bank (ICSID) have partnered and been dedicated to building the capacity of lawyers from the Global South in the field of investment arbitration.

Our most recent course on Investment Arbitration, held at our offices in Johannesburg, brought together 22 participants from across the continent and around the world. This diverse group of professionals, representing various sectors, engaged in a collaborative setting that fostered substantive discussions and practical learning.

The interactive sessions and collegial atmosphere encouraged the exchange of ideas, enriching the experience for all involved. Through the analysis of landmark ICSID cases, the program underscored the continent's significant contributions to the evolution of international investment law.

Furthermore, participants gained in-depth knowledge of ICSID's unique procedures and developed practical tools to navigate the complexities of investment arbitration.

The program's success highlighte the importance of specialized training in empowering professionals to address the evolving challenges in this critical field.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all participants for their contributions to this enriching experience. We warmly invite you to join us in our future courses to further advance your expertise in international dispute resolution.



## EXCITING NEWS: NEW COURSE LOCATION

### Fresh Chapter in Cape Town, South Africa

We are thrilled to announce the opening of a new location for the ILI-SACE courses in the vibrant city of Cape Town.

Known for its breathtaking natural beauty and dynamic cultural landscape, Cape Town is rapidly emerging as a global hub for international law and investment. This new location represents our commitment to expanding access to world-class legal education and fostering collaboration across Africa and beyond.

Cape Town, with its rich history and diverse community, offers the perfect setting for professionals seeking to deepen their understanding of international law in a global context. The city boasts a strong reputation for innovation and excellence, making it an ideal place to host our growing network of legal experts, academics, and practitioners. Whether you are attending our courses, participating in workshops, or engaging with leading experts in the field, Cape Town offers an inspiring environment for learning and professional growth.

We are excited to announce that our inaugural course in Cape Town will be a Corporate Governance course for the Management and Board of the Malawi Deposit Insurance Corporation, scheduled for February 2025.

We invite all our supporters and partners to prepare for an exciting new chapter with us. We look forward to welcoming you in 2025.

## COURSE LOCATIONS

### Johannesburg, South Africa

11 Alice Ln, Sandhurst, Sandton, 2196

### Cape Town, South Africa

22 Bree St, Cape Town City Centre, Cape Town, 8000

