



## Third Quarter 2017



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### Annual Conference

The International Lawyers Network's 2017 Annual Conference was hosted by member firms Hellström and Ekenberg & Andersson in Stockholm, Sweden this year. Our next Annual Conference will be hosted by Fogler Rubinoff LLP in Toronto, Canada from May 31 - June 3, 2018. If your firm is interested in hosting an Annual or Regional Conference in your city, contact Alan Griffiths at [alangriffiths@iln.com](mailto:alangriffiths@iln.com) or [lindsaygriffiths@iln.com](mailto:lindsaygriffiths@iln.com).



### Coming Up!

Don't miss these ILN events coming up! Registration materials are available through your ILN Ambassador!

**November 2 - 5, 2017**  
*2017 ILN Americas Regional Conference*  
Austin, Texas

**March 1 - 4, 2018**  
*2018 ILN Asia Pacific Regional Conference*  
Hosted by Hall & Wilcox  
Melbourne, Australia

### ILN welcomes...

The ILN is excited to announce that we have welcomed two new firms. Most recently, we admitted [Torres Law](#), a United States-based firm with a focus on international trade and customs law. In August, we accepted a new member firm from South Korea, [Lee International IP & Law Group](#). Lee International is a full-service law firm, serving its clients with a range of practice areas in addition to its long-standing intellectual property practice.



## **Connect with Your Fellow Members!**



We highlighted the following firms in the third quarter of this year:

[Ferrari Pedeferra Boni  
Studio Legale Associato](#)

[VGCD, Colombia](#)

[Connolly Gallagher LLP](#)

For a full list of ILN member firms, click [here](#).

## **LL.M Scholarship Opportunities for ILN Members!**

ILN members are eligible to receive a \$5,000 USD scholarship when they enroll in one of Washington University School of Law's online LL.M. programs. Washington

University School of Law, a top-20 U.S. law school, offers a Master of Laws (LL.M.) in U.S. Law and a dual degree in U.S.

Law and International Corporate Law online for international attorneys looking to advance their career without leaving their home country. Graduates of the programs are eligible to take the California bar exam.

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opportunity @ WashULaw  
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## **Calling all Runners!**

Join [RunILN on Facebook](#) - RunILN is a networking group within the ILN designed to create community among ILN runners.

Connect with other ILN runners, see where we're running next (hint: it's Belfast!) and get training tips and share your own running experience. Runners of all levels are welcome!

***ILNBriefs***

Did you know that in Canada, margarine producers can't make their margarine yellow?



Our ILN member, Fogler, Rubinoff LLP, knows the law in Ontario

Get to know your ILN friends in Ontario. [www.iln.com](http://www.iln.com)



## *Meet the Chairman*

In June, following the Network's Annual Meeting in Stockholm, we announced the election of our new Chairman, Simon Ekins. Ekins has been a partner with Fladgate LLP in London, England since 1992. He is head of Fladgate's litigation department and a member of the firm's partnership board and has a wide range of experience in professional negligence, international arbitration, complex commercial cases and breach of contract disputes, capital reorganizations and reductions, contentious trust matters and IP disputes. His expertise has been recognised for many years by the leading international guides to the legal profession, including Su3per Lawyers and the Legal 500. To read more about our new Chairman, click [here](#).



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