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Position Senior legal counsel

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Qualifications

Pierre is qualified at the national competition “Agrégation de droit public” and is Professor of public law (specialization in public international law). He is Doctor in Public Law obtained *summa cum laude* (mention très honorable et félicitations du jury à l’unanimité) and holds also a PhD in public international law under the supervision of Professor Alain PELLET (University Paris Ouest Nanterre-La Défense) : « Le gouvernement de l’État du point de vue du droit international »

Language capabilities

Pierre speaks French (mother tongue), English (UN Proficiency Exam passed in 2007) and German (good notions).

Presentation

Pierre is a Professor of law in University Paris Nanterre where he teaches public international law, the law of international responsibility and the law of international organizations. He also acts as co-director of the Diploma in Energy Law and Major Projects. Since June 2019, he is the Director of Studies of the International Law Association.

- *Courses: Public International Law (L2, L3) – The Law of International Responsibility (M1) – European and International Litigation and Arbitration (M1)- Advanced Course on the Law of International Organizations (M2)*
- *Academic functions: Director of the Diploma on Energy Law, Infrastructures and Large Investment Projects (U.F.R. de Droit) – Co-Director of the Nanterre International Law Summer School (NILSS) – Member of The Centre of International Law of Nanterre (CEDIN)*

Before entering an academic career, Pierre Bodeau-Livinec held numerous positions in the practice of international law. Between 2003 and 2006, he worked as a Legal Officer in the Legal Affairs Directorate of the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs. In 2006, he joined the United Nations Office of Legal Affairs, where he served until 2010 as a Legal Officer in the Codification Division.

Pierre also has a strong experience in the practice of international law. He has been involved in numerous international proceedings before international courts and tribunals, in particular the ICJ, the PCA and the ICC. He regularly acts as counsel for governments and international organizations.

Pierre is also knighted – French National Order of Merit (2018)

Illustrative experience

Legal Consultant in the field of Public International Law and European Law – International Criminal Law – International Administrative Law – International Arbitration – Human Rights Law

- Counsel of the French Republic in the *Immunities and Criminal Proceedings (Equatorial Guinea v. France)* case before the International Court of Justice

- Counsel of the Democratic Republic of the Congo in the case relating to *Armed Activities on the Territory of the Congo (Congo v. Uganda)* – *Reparations Phase* before the International Court of Justice
- Consultant of the Republic of Korea in matters relating to international law and international settlement of disputes
- Counsel of the International Court of Justice in *Cohen v. Registrar of the ICJ* (UNAT-2016-951) before the United Nations Appeals Tribunal
- Consultant of the Republic of Korea in advisory proceedings before the International Court of Justice (2017)
- Adviser of the Republic of Korea in an island and maritime frontier dispute (2012-2015)
- Counsel of the Republic of Ivory Coast before the International Criminal Court (2010-2015)
- Counsel for the plaintiffs in the *Erika* case before the French Court of Cassation (judgment of 25 September 2012)
- Counsel in the extradition proceedings concerning a national from Kazakhstan (2013-2014)
- Counsel and adviser in numerous domestic cases involving international law issues (extradition, fundamental rights, State and international organizations' immunities)
- Deputy-Agent of the French Republic in the *Eurotunnel* case before the Permanent Court of Arbitration (award of 30 January 2007) – 2004-2007
- Counsel of the French Republic in the advisory proceedings before the International Court of Justice concerning the *Legal consequences of the Construction of a Wall in the Occupied Palestinian Territory* – 2003-2004
- Adviser of the French Republic in the case before the International Court of Justice concerning the *Legality of Use of Force (Serbia and Montenegro v. France)* – 2003-2004
- Assistant of Bosnia and Herzegovina in the case before the International Court of Justice concerning the *Application of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide (Bosnia-Herzegovina/Federal Republic of Yugoslavia)*, – 1993-1996
- Assistant of Cameroon in the case before the International Court of Justice concerning the *Land and Maritime Boundary between Cameroon and Nigeria* (1994-1998)
- Adviser of the law firm Mignard-Teitgen-Grisoni before the European Court of Human Rights in the case *Piron v. France* (judgment of 14 November 2000) – 1996-2000

Other academic and professional activities

- **Director of Studies, International Law Association** (since June 2019)
- **Editor-in-Chief, *The Law and Practice of International Courts and Tribunals* (2017-2019)**
Managing Editor, *The Law and Practice of International Courts and Tribunals* (2011-2016)
- **Member of the Editorial Committee, *Annuaire Français de Droit International*** **Member of the Council of the *Société Française pour le Droit International***
- **Director of the Nanterre University Diploma in Energy Law, Investment and International Arbitration** (since 2016)

- Founder and Co-Director, *Nanterre International Law Summer School* (2018-)
- Director of Studies – The Hague Academy of International Law (Summer 2018 – French-speaking section)
- PhD Supervision : S. Bakayoko (*L'encadrement juridique international des cours d'eau en Afrique : le cas du Bassin du fleuve Niger*) ; K. Benotmane (*Le droit à une vie familiale normale en droit international public*) ; S. Chann (*Le principe de restitution en droit international*) ; F. Konga (*L'encadrement juridique de l'action des Nations Unies en République Démocratique du Congo*) ; A. Lemoine (*La contribution de la Sixième commission (Commission juridique) de l'Assemblée générale des Nations Unies à la formation du droit international – Funded by University Paris 8*) ; A. Mostarshedi (*L'État tiers en droit international*) ; A. Storme (*La politique judiciaire des juridictions internationales permanentes*) ; É. Vanspranghe (*L'état de droit exporté – Exemples de sa mise en œuvre par les Nations Unies en Côte d'Ivoire et en Haïti – Funded by Région Ile-de-France*)
- Member (sometimes President) of several PhD defense panels (University Paris I - Panthéon-Sorbonne, Paris II Panthéon-Assas, Paris V-René Descartes, Paris Nanterre, Orléans, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Geneva)) Member of the French Society for International Law (S.F.D.I.) and of the International Law Association
- Member of the Scientific Committee of the International Law Book Series of Editoriale Scientifica (Naples)
- Member of the jury of the French national competition for recruiting Police superintendents (2012-2014) Co-Chair of the 2009 International Law Weekend, organized by the American Branch of the International Law Association
- Member of the Secretariat of the Institut de Droit International, sessions of Bruges (2003) and Krakow (2005)
- President of the Network of French International Civil Servants in New York (AFFIN) – 2009-2010