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Debate, Discussion, and Problem Solving

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ASIL is hugely important. It creates a community of individuals engaged with international law as scholars, practitioners, and policymakers who can both collaborate with and challenge one another. It promotes the most rigorous standards of thinking about international law and related subjects. And it stands for the importance of international law to any society committed to the rule of law.

Donald Donovan, Partner, Debevoise & Plimpton, LLP



ASIL membership has been an essential part of my professional development, giving me access to a global network of international lawyers with whom I've had the privilege of working on ASIL projects, as well as the opportunity to share my own scholarship in international, comparative, and transnational law.

Diane Marie Amann, Professor, University of Georgia School of Law



Networking and Professional Development

In the rapidly changing and globalized field of international law, the Society provides an invaluable network of colleagues—searchable through its online member directory—who share insights, ideas, connections, and opportunities from around the world. More than two dozen Interest Groups help members connect in person and online with colleagues in their particular areas of expertise. ASIL continuing legal education (CLE) programs and teaching seminars help practitioners and academics stay current and hone their skills. And with fellowship opportunities, its biennial *Career Guide*, job postings, and hundreds of potential mentors, the Society is a gold mine for students and new professionals looking to make a start in the field.



Education and Outreach

ASIL's educational programs serve its members and also raise awareness and understanding of the role of international law within the larger community. The Society regularly organizes seminars and publishes resources for judges on the international legal questions that are increasingly coming before their courts. The Society's "100 Ways International Law Shapes Our Lives" booklet and secondary school curricula support outreach to a new generation of international law's constituents. And ASIL regularly connects its member experts with news media outlets to inform their coverage of international legal questions.

The Annual Meeting is a bit like an overflowing buffet table of international law dishes. It brings people from all over the world, interesting topics, and is truly a defining event for international law aficionados.

Lucinda Low, Partner, Steptoe & Johnson, LLP

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My favorite ASIL resource is the Interest Groups. Their members are always providing up-to-date information about legal developments and opportunities for professionals and students who would like to research in a particular field. Indeed, without the Interest Groups, it would be very hard to filter the news and information that circulates in the world.

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