



Faculté de droit

UNIVERSITÉ  
DE SHERBROOKE

Sherbrooke (Québec) J1K 2R1

Sherbrooke, April 2, 1986

Professor Ronald H. J. Macdonald, O.C., Q.C.  
Dalhousie Law School  
Halifax, Nova Scotia  
B3H 4H9

Dear Ronald,

Thank you for your kind letter dated March 3, 1986. I do appreciate your interest in my (and others') international legal preferences and sources of inspiration.

As you have correctly inferred from my previous letter, I did not answer directly your question because I was not certain I could. Indeed, I do not rely - neither for structure, nor for substance - on any particular author. The course has been conceived by myself without following any particular model, perhaps because of the inclusion of a heavy Canadian contents (maritime spaces, citizenship, immigration, extradition, sovereign immunities, etc.).

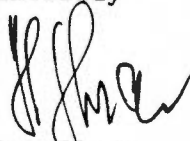
Without necessarily making any specific references during my classes, I do consult most widely used treaties and textbooks while deciding on the contents of a particular chapter or section within my course. On the French language side I consult Rousseau as well as Reuter, Vellas, Cavaré, Pinto, Fabre, Nguyen and Thierry/Combacau. With respect of the English language, I start with O'Connell and look up things in Brownlie, Starke, Schwarzenberger, Oppenheim/Lanterpacht, Falk, Mann et Sohn.

I stress however that I do not follow any lead, nor I expect my students to look beyond a basic textbook (Arbour's this year), the materials appended to a detailed plan of each course and their own notes. As you know, ours is a mandatory course and in order to adjust to a professionally oriented curriculum, the teacher has barely enough time to cover superficially the main problems of international law of interest to Canada. Students do receive however at the beginning some very basic bibliographical guidance, including references to the above mentioned authors.

With hope that these few sentences does adress you query, I hardly need to add that I would be delighted to share with you a meal in Montreal where I am every week-end and more often during the summer.

With my best personal regards, I remain

Yous sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Slosar', written in a cursive style.

Stanislas Slosar

March 3, 1986.

Professor Stanislas Slosar  
Faculté de droit  
Université de Sherbrooke  
Sherbrooke, Quebec  
J1K 2R1

Dear Stanislas:

Thank you very much indeed for your letter of December 6, 1985, and for the very helpful information which you kindly sent to me. Of course I will consult with you and, indeed, send you a draft, before using any direct quotations from your letter.

I would very much like to come to see you in Sherbrooke during the summer months or, in the alternative, meet with you in Montreal, where I hope you will be my guest at lunch or dinner. I would appreciate an opportunity to review a number of matters of mutual interest with you, and it would give me great pleasure to do this over a leisurely meal. Can we keep in touch in order to establish a mutually agreeable date, perhaps in June or July?

There is one matter on which I would greatly appreciate your assistance in the meantime. In the first draft of my essay, I tried to indicate the main authors in International Law to which Canadian professors make frequent reference. These authors included, for example, Reuter, Rousseau, Velaz, Schwarzenberger, Tunkin, Greig, and O'Connell. I would like to include the same kind of information about your own course, that is to say, I would like to mention specifically the Continental, British, American and other writers to whom you refer in your lectures and seminars. Can you provide me with such a list? I know that you have already told me, in your letter of December 6, 1985, that you refer to authors from all over the world, but I want you to be more specific than that and indicate precisely the ones to which you refer most frequently and which you expect your students to look at. Would it be possible for you to send me even a short list of these authors?

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In thanking you once again for your kindness and consideration, I wish to emphasize that I am looking forward with pleasure to making token reciprocation in the form of a good meal during the summer months.

With personal good wishes, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

R. St.J. Macdonald, O.C.Q.C.  
Professor

RSJM/jmw



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Sherbrooke, December 6, 1985

Professor R. St. J. Macdonald, Q.C., O.C.  
Dalhousie Law School  
Halifax, N.S.  
B3H 4H9

Dear colleague,

I apologize once more for the unfortunate delay. In a few paragraph below you will find as much attempts to answer your questions:

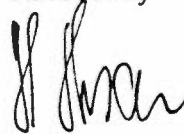
- I returned to teaching in Sherbrooke in June 1984 after serving for one year as a legal adviser to the Canadian section of the International Joint Commission;
- upon my return, I started teaching in the fall a mandatory course of private international law (one out of three sections of 50 students each, two others being taught by Emanuelli and by Y. Duplessis from Civil Law Section of the University of Ottawa), using the 3rd edition of E. Groffier's Précis de droit international privé québécois, 1984 and my own digest of primary materials (judgments, statutes, conventions, etc.)
- in the winter 1985, I taught a mandatory course of public international law (two sections out of three of 60 students each, the remaining one being taught by J.M. Arbour from Laval University); as a basic preparatory reading I used de Mestral and William's, Introduction au droit international public..., 1982 within my own structure of the course and along with my own digest of primary materials (treaties, statutes, judgments, statements, etc.);
- I use mainly Canadian, French, American and English sources of mandatory readings (to the extent possible in the French language in which the University operates), but the bibliography refer to sources from all over the world;

- both courses focus to the extent possible on Quebec (private) and on Canada (public), including a few adjoining fields like international private law conventions, immigration, citizenship, extradition, etc; both are also taught according to a cartesian structure of the exposé which leads to the examination of real and practical problems as subdivisions of that structure;
- total enrolment in this Law School stood at 545 in both 1983-84 and 1985-85.

✓ I hope that the above provides you with information you sought. I would appreciate being consulted before any direct quotation from this letter appears in print.

With my kind regards, I remain

Yours sincerely



Stanislas Slosar

SS/gg

29 October 1985

Professor Stanislas Slosar  
Faculte de droit  
Universite de Sherbrooke  
Sherbrooke, Que.  
J1K 2R1

Dear Stanislas:

May I have your permission to draw attention to my letters of March 25 and June 24, 1985, written in haste from Strasbourg, copies attached for your easy reference?

I really hate to intrude on your time in this way, but you are, my dear Stanislas, the only person to whom I can turn in the circumstances, and I can assure you that I will not bother you with the matter again.

It was a pleasure seeing you in Ottawa a couple of weeks ago, and I hope that there will be opportunities for us to meet frequently in the future.

With personal good wishes I remain,

Yours sincerely,

R St. J. Macdonald, O.C.Q.C.  
Professor

encls.

24 June 1985

Professor Stanislas Slosar  
Faculte de droit  
Universite de Sherbrooke  
Sherbrooke, Que.  
J1K 2R1

Dear Stanislas:

I wonder if you received my letter of March 25, 1985,  
copy attached for your easy reference.

I really hate to bother you with this irksome request,  
but I can at least promise that it will be the end of  
my inquiries on this particular matter. Could you  
send me a few lines to Halifax before the end of the  
summer?

With personal good wishes, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

R. StT J. Macdonald, O.C.Q.C.  
Judge

encl.



28 March 1985

Professor Stanislas Slosar  
Faculte de droit  
Universite de Sherbrooke  
Sherbrooke, Quebec  
J1K 2R1

Dear Stanislas:

At the risk of straining your patience beyond reasonable limits, may I take the liberty of approaching you once again for an additional item of information in connection with my project on the history of the teaching of international law in Canada?

You have been so generous and considerate with your time in the past that I hesitate to address yet another letter to you on this particular matter, indeed I am most reluctant to do so. But the truth is that I am unable to complete my work without a few small details about the situation at Sherbrooke during the two year period 1983-1985.

In my last essay, I brought the story down to 1983, but now I have been asked by colleagues to make the entire essay iniform and to round it off, so to speak, as of June, 1985. It is in this regard, that I am approaching you once again for information about the very short period 1983-84, 1984-85. Although I know that you were in Ottawa for a number of years, I am not sure when you returned to Sherbrooke or what course you have been teaching since your return or indeed what the situation has been during the current academic year (1984-85).

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Professor Stanislaw Slosar  
25 March 1985  
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Is the course compulsory? I understand that it is.

If it is not too much trouble, I would ask you to send me your reply, together with a recent C.V., to Dalhousie Law School, Halifax, N.S. B3H 4H9, where I expect to be in a few days time.

I look forward to the pleasure of receiving you here in Strambourg one day soon, and to introducing you personally to the Judges of our Court. We meet at the end of every month and I am at your disposal whenever you can manage to be here at that time.

With personal good wishes, I remain,

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25 March 1985

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Judge



Department of Justice  
Canada

Ministère de la Justice  
Canada

Ottawa, Canada  
K1A 0H8

Justice Building, Ottawa  
Room 618 (613) 992-5642

April 16, 1985

Professor R. St. John Macdonald, O.C., Q.C.  
Faculty of Law  
Dalhousie University  
Halifax, Nova Scotia  
B2H 4H9

Dear Ron:

Thank you for your letter of March 25, 1985. It was indeed a very nice surprise to see you in the Justice Building. I hope that next time you are in Ottawa, we shall have the opportunity to have a longer chat over lunch or dinner.

With respect to your question:

During the school year of 1983-84, I was, for the second consecutive year, Chairman of the LL.M. Programme in Health Law at the University of Sherbrooke. I also taught a course in International Health Law at the LL.M. level and the general introductory course in Public International Law for two sections in second year. That year, I suggested to the Executive Committee of the Société québécoise de droit international that it should hold its second annual meeting on the topic of International Health Law. In this respect, I also suggested a breakdown of such a would-be conference into three different panels, along with a list of potential panelists from Europe, the U.S.A. and, of course, Canada. My suggestions were accepted and this conference will take place in Sherbrooke, Québec, on May 17, 1985.

Last August, I attended the annual summer course in International Humanitarian Law held for two weeks in Warsaw under the joint sponsorship of the International Committee of the Red Cross and the Polish Red Cross. Following this course, I was invited to spend two weeks of individual training with the I.C.R.C. in Geneva. Upon my return to Canada, I wrote a case study on the application of humanitarian law during the invasion of Grenada for the I.C.R.C., and was awarded the diploma of the Summer School of International Humanitarian Law. I understand that the I.C.R.C. plans to use my study on Grenada for a future publication on this question.

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During the fall of 1984, I only taught Conflict of Laws in third year. To my knowledge, the course in International Health Law was not offered this year.

I have now been at the Department of Justice since January 1985 on an exchange programme between the Federal Government and the University of Sherbrooke. I should be here for two years.

I hope this information will assist you in your project. If you need anything further, please do not hesitate to write to me again. I shall be happy to help in any way I can.

With personal good wishes, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in brown ink, appearing to read "C.C. Emanuelli", is written over a large, horizontal, oval-shaped scribble or flourish.

C.C. Emanuelli  
Constitutional and  
International Law Section

✓ P.S. - I shall shortly send you an updated version of my curriculum vitae, as requested.

25 March 1985

Professor Claude Emanuelli  
Constitutional and International  
Law Section  
Department of Justice  
Justice Building, Room 618  
239 Wellington St.  
Ottawa, Canada  
K1A 0H8

Dear Claude:

What a joy and a pleasure to have seen you, even for a few minutes, in the Justice Building last week, and to have found you obviously thriving and in such good spirits. I am sure that the Department of Justice will never let you go, unless it is to come over here!!

I saw a number of our friends during my day in Ottawa on March 18th and there will be lots to report to you when I return some time in April. Hopefully we can have a long lunch or dinner together. Meanwhile, dear Claude, I am embarrassed to ask your assistance once again, in connection with the attached second letter.

With personal good wishes, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

R. St. J. Macdonald, O.C.Q.C.  
Judge

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25 March 1985

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Justice Building  
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Canada  
K1A 0H8

Dear Claude:

Greetings from Strasbourg, where I have seen our old friend, J.Y. Grenon, who is now Canadian Counsel General and a very active member of the local community. We have spoken about you and both of us look forward to the time when it will be possible to receive you here.

I have not forgotten the matter that we discussed a year or so ago, and I can assure you, dear Claude, that I leave no opportunity to inquire about suitable possibilities with the Council of Europe. I will, of course, let you know just as soon as I hear anything worthwhile.

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Professor Claude Emanuelli  
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R. St. J. Macdonald, O.C.Q.C.  
Judge

Sherbrooke

11 March 1985

Professor Pierre BLACHE  
Faculte de droit  
Universite de Sherbrooke  
Sherbrooke, Quebec  
J1K 2R1

Dear Profeswor Blache:

Thank you for your letter of February 23, 1985.

I apologize for the printing error in the spelling of your name and I promise to make a special personal effort to correct this error in the future.

Thank you for reading my text and for commenting as you did.

Yours faithfull~~y~~,

R. St. J. Macdonald, O.C.Q.C.  
Professor



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Sherbrooke, le 27 février 1985

Professor R. St. J. Macdonald, Q.C.,  
Dalhousie Law School,  
Halifax, Nova Scotia.  
B3H 4H9

Cher professeur MacDonald,

Les extraits (pages 243-252) de "An Historical Introduction to the Teaching of International Law in Canada: Part IV" concernant la Faculté de droit de Sherbrooke me paraissent bien refléter l'évolution de l'enseignement du droit international ici.

Trois remarques cependant. D'une part il faudrait corriger l'épellation de mon nom de famille: Blache, et non pas Blanche. J'aimerais que vous ne reproduisiez pas la ligne que j'ai rayée à la page 245. Enfin, pourriez-vous ne pas reproduire la dernière ligne de la lettre du professeur Slosar reproduite en note 39 à la page 251.

Veillez agréer l'expression de mes meilleurs sentiments et mes excuses pour le retard apporté à répondre à votre demande.

Pierre Blache

PB/jm

Sherbrooke

5 February 1985

Professor Pierre Blanche  
Faculte de droit  
Universite de Sherbrooke  
Sherbrooke, Quebec  
J1K 9Z9

Dear Professor Blanche:

If it is convenient from your point of view, I would greatly appreciate ven a brief reply to my letter of December 13, 1984. I am trying to complete my essay down to May of 1985 and it would be very helpful indeed if you could favour me with your comments.

Thanking you for your attention, and with good wishes from Halifax, I remain,

Yours faithfully,

R. St. J. Macdonald, Q.C.  
Professor

Sherbrooke

13 December 1984

Professor Pierre Blanche  
Faculte de droit  
Universite de Sherbrooke  
Sherbrooke, Quebec  
J1K 9Z9

Dear Professor Blanche:

Would you be kind enough to examine pages 243-252 of the enclosed and let me know if there are errors or omissions? I do hope that my references to your own work are accurate.

Please accept my gratitude for your assistance in the past and my best wishes for Christmas and the New Year.

Yours sincerely,

Professor <sup>St. J.</sup> Macdonald, Q.C.

encl .

March 12, 1986.

CONFIDENTIAL

Professor A. Anne McLellan  
Associate Dean, Faculty of Law  
The University of Alberta  
Law Centre  
Edmonton, Alberta  
T6G 2H5

Dear Anne:

May I ask a small favour? I understand from Bruce Archibald, Tom Cromwell and other friends that last year the C.A.L.T. wrote a letter on my behalf in connection with the International Court of Justice. I also understand that you yourself may have been the officer of the C.A.L.T. who had the responsibility of sending this letter forward. If I am correct in all this, and perhaps I am not, I am wondering if it would be possible for you to locate a copy of the letter in question and send it to me for my private records? Bruce Archibald is out of the country on sabbatical leave and you are the only person to whom I can turn for assistance in the matter.

We are all well here, as I trust you are there, and I look forward to seeing you perhaps during the summer or whenever you return to the province.

With personal good wishes, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

R. St.J. Macdonald, O.C.Q.C.  
Professor

RSJM/jmw



March 12, 1986.

Mme. Marguerite Macdonald  
990 Gerard Morissette Street  
Quebec City  
G1S 1X6

Dear Marguerite:

Herewith a copy of a letter from Mr. Gilson. It  
turns out that he is indeed the person you thought he was.

With every good wish, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

R. St.J. Macdonald, O.C.Q.C.  
Professor

RSJM/jmw

Enc.

February 5, 1986.

Mme. Marguerite Macdonald  
990 Gerard Morissette Street  
Quebec City  
G1S 1X6

Dear Marguerite:

There are just two snippets of information I need, but I do not wish you to inconvenience yourself in the slightest in finding them.

First, I need to know the exact year in which the Faculte de Droit moved from the old city out to the new campus. I think that it was in the early or mid 1950's. The person who would know is the archivist of the university. Second, I also require two statistics on population in 1985: the population of Quebec City, including St. Foy, and the population of the total urban area, that is, Quebec City, St. Foy, Levis, and any other municipalities nearby, so that I will have an idea of the immediate urban area which the university serves.

Thank you, dear Marguerite, for your kindness in coming to the hotel last week and for giving me such a delightful hour of reminiscences and stimulating conversation. It was a very special pleasure to have seen you.

With personal good wishes, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

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RSJM/jmw

1. Courses and Seminars in International Law during 1982-1985

Hiver 1982	:	Ivan Bernier	:	Droit International Public II (24 étudiants)
Automne 1982	:	J.M. Arbour	:	Droit International Public I (30 étudiants)
Hiver 1983	:	Ivan Bernier	:	Droit International Public II (10 étudiants)
Automne 1983	:	J.M. Arbour	:	Droit International Public I (35 étudiants)
Hiver 1984	:	J.M. Arbour	:	Droit International Public II (12 étudiants)
Automne 1984	:	J.M. Arbour	:	Droit International Public I (31 étudiants)
Hiver 1985	:	J.M. Arbour	:	Droit International Public II (14 étudiants)
Automne 1985	:	J.M. Arbour	:	Droit International Public I (30 étudiants)
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2. Full-time professors

- J.M. Arbour
- Ivan Bernier

(No part-time professor)

3. No. But right now, the new Dean thinks that the course Public International Law should be a required course. New developments could be happen.
4. I could say that the interest is the same (Please, refer to the figures given at Q. I).
5. Yes. Bernier and I are using both Lectures and Seminars.

6. I have two students from Morocco in Doctoral thesis. Bernier has always one or two students in the field of economics Law (LL.M.).
7. Local Law School, and there is any doubt about that.
8. September 1985  
Professors: 50  
Students : 835.
9. Enclosed.
10. No. Please refer to the answer at question I.
11. Bernier was dean from may 1981 to may 1985.
12. The new Dean is a woman (the first one in Quebec Law Schools). She is a civil lawyer. She took office in May 1985. Her name is Thérèse Rousseau-Houle.
13. a) Nobody, here, is using materials prepared in France for teaching purposes.  
As a matter of fact, each professor prepares his own text books and notes.  
b) We do not use any British or American materials. This would be impossible and unimaginable...  
c) There is an official exchange program with Aix-en-Provence, France.  
d) There is a Western/Laval Law Exchange Program which permits a limited number of students in third year to spend one term at London.

Answer to your question on page 2 of your letter.

I am unable to estimate the part of the Continental or American influence in my teaching. During my courses, we talk about what the law is, on the basis of treaties, decisions, statutes, resolutions and so on.

Enclosed please find the list of basic documents I am using for my students. As you will see, there is any doctrinal article in my materials. May be somebody could tell from my book what is really the principal influence but not me.

## CURRICULUM VITAE

NOM : J.-Maurice Arbour  
DATE DE NAISSANCE : 18 août 1946  
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Sherbrooke, April 2, 1986

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Dear Ronald,

Thank you for your kind letter dated March 3, 1986. I do appreciate your interest in my (and others') international legal preferences and sources of inspiration.

As you have correctly inferred from my previous letter, I did not answer directly your question because I was not certain I could. Indeed, I do not rely - neither for structure, nor for substance - on any particular author. The course has been conceived by myself without following any particular model, perhaps because of the inclusion of a heavy Canadian contents (maritime spaces, citizenship, immigration, extradition, sovereign immunities, etc.).

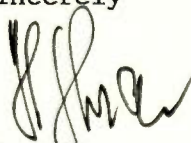
Without necessarily making any specific references during my classes, I do consult - most widely used treaties and textbooks while deciding on the contents of a particular chapter or section within my course. On the French language side I consult Rousseau as well as Reuter, Vellas, Cavaré, Pinto, Fabre, Nguyen and Thierry/Combacau. With respect of the English language, I start with O'Connell and look up things in Brownlie, Starke, Schwarzenberger, Oppenheim/Lanterpacht, Falk, Mann et Sohn.

I stress however that I do not follow any lead, nor I expect my students to look beyond a basic textbook (Arbour's this year), the materials appended to a detailed plan of each course and their own notes. As you know, ours is a mandatory course and in order to adjust to a professionally oriented curriculum, the teacher has barely enough time to cover superficially the main problems of international law of interest to Canada. Students do receive however at the beginning some very basic bibliographical guidance, including references to the above mentioned authors.

With hope that these few sentences does adress you query, I hardly need to add that I would be delighted to share with you a meal in Montreal where I am every week-end and more often during the summer.

With my best personal regards, I remain

Yous sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'S. Slosar', written in dark ink.

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24 July 1985

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Dear Anne:

Noble, noble woman!!

Your letter was exactly what I heeded and hoped for  
and I am most grateful to you for responding so quickly.

I hope that you will look in on us when next you are  
in Nova Scotia. I regret that I was unable to attend  
the law teachers meeting in Montreal, where there would  
have been an opportunity to see you.

With personal good wishes, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

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Dear Professor Macdonald:

I am in receipt of a copy of your February 11th, 1985 letter. I apologize for the confusion which has arisen over this matter. I trust that the information with which I am now supplying you remains useful. I will answer your questions in the order in which you asked them:

- 1) Professor Mendes left us in 1984. Since that time, Professor Leslie Green of the Political Science Department has taught our Basic International Law course. Professor Philip Raworth in the Faculty of Business taught International Business Transactions last year. However, this course will not be offered in the academic year 1985-86.
- 2) You are correct in assuming that we have not offered International Problems in some time.
- 3) We have offered no advance seminar in Public International Law in recent years. However, Professor Leslie Green teaches two seminar courses which are joint offerings of the Faculties of Law and Business. These courses are Armed Conflict and Humanitarian Law. Professor Green generally offers these courses in alternate years. In the academic year 1985-86, Professor Green will be teaching Armed Conflict.
- 4) In the academic year 1984-85, we had six graduate students registered in our Faculty. Only one of them pursued research with an international theme, that being 'Trade with China'.

I trust that these responses will be of use to you. Again, I apologize for the confusion and delay in getting them to you. I trust that your summer is progressing nicely and that all is well at my "old law school".

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Anne McLellan'.

A. Anne McLellan  
Associate Dean

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