

# CJEI REPORT

#### **Newsletter of the Commonwealth Judicial Education Institute**

#### **Special IOJT Conference Edition**



Warm greetings to friends and colleagues gathered in Ottawa for the IOJT Conference.

I am very sorry not to be with you at this time to learn from and with you and enjoy our time together. I know you will have an outstanding meeting and an enjoyable experience. Should you chance to come to Nova Scotia, please put me on your agenda so I may entertain you here.

This is a time of change for CJEI as Sir Dennis and I pass more of our CJEI work on to very worthy successors – such as our President, The Honourable Justice Madan Lokur of India, Vice President, The Honourable Chief Judge Kashim Zannah of Nigeria, and Vice President

of Programming, The Honourable Justice Peter Jamadar of the Caribbean Court of Justice. They give leadership to our many CJEI Fellows throughout the world who carry out our work.

I know the following Fellows will be present at the Ottawa IOJT Conference – The Hon. Justice Denys Barrow, Trinidad and Tobago; Master Tamara Gill, Grenada; The Hon. Justice Stephane Haisley, Jamaica; Ms. Peggy Hamoonga-Madandume, Botswana; The Hon. Justice Peter Jamadar, Trinidad and Tobago; The Hon. Justice Colin Makail, Papua New Guinea; The Hon. Justice Robin Mohammed, Trinidad and Tobago; The Hon. Justice Annah Petje, Botswana; The Hon. Justice Margaret Price-Findlay, Saint Lucia; The Hon. Judge Paul Quan, Singapore; The Hon. Justice Icolin Reid, Jamaica; The Hon. Justice Gertel Thom, Saint Lucia; The Hon. Justice Sonya Young, Belize and The Hon. Chief Judge Kashim Zannah, Nigeria. We hope you will call on them at our booth.

This year we are concentrating on developing judicial education material on two topics – human trafficking and the rise of animal rights in court litigation. Our last newsletter discusses these topics in more detail.

Sandra E. Oxner, Founding President

## INTENSIVE STUDY PROGRAMME FOR JUDICIAL EDUCATORS HALIFAX, OTTAWA AND TORONTO, CANADA

CJEI's 28<sup>th</sup> annual Intensive Study Programme for Judicial Educators (two weeks or three weeks) will be held June 4 - 23, 2023 in Halifax, Ottawa and Toronto, Canada. A programme to teach skills and techniques to produce and present effective judicial education programming that measurably and positively impacts judicial performance.

For information, contact CJEI at cjei@dal.ca.

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## Governance Structure of CJEI



Justice Madan Lokur President

The governing committee of the Institute consists of the Honourable Madan B. Lokur, President; the Right Honourable Sir Dennis Byron, Chair; the Honourable Chief Judge Kashim Zannah, Vice President; the Honourable Justice Peter Jamadar, Vice President Programming; the Honourable Justice Abdu Aboki, Vice President Outreach; the Honourable Sophia Akuffo, Vice President Special Projects; the Honourable Roshan Dalvi, Vice President; Sandra E. Oxner, O.C., Founding President; the Right Honourable Beverley McLachlin, Canada; the Honourable Chief Justice Ivor Archie, Trinidad & Tobago; the Honourable Justice Adrian D. Saunders, Trinidad & Tobago; the Honourable Justice Leona Theron, South Africa; the Honourable Judge Gertrude Chawatama, Zambia; the Honourable



Justice Peter Jamadar Vice President Programming

Asif Saeed Khan Khosa, Pakistan; Professor Michael Deturbide, Honourary Treasurer; and Ms. Sandra J. Hutchings, Secretary.

Chief Justices of the Commonwealth countries are Patrons to the Institute. The Executive Directors of Commonwealth judicial education bodies form an Advisory Board to the Institute.

### CJEI Advisory Board

Many thanks to the members of our Advisory Board for their continued support for our activities and generous sharing of their work with other judicial education bodies:

The Hon. Justice Salisu Garba Abdullahi, Nigeria

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The Hon. Justice Gertel Thom, OECS

The Hon. Judge Rya Zobel, Boston, MA, USA

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#### CJEI Report

#### Congratulations to our CJEI Fellows who have become national Chief Justices

The Honourable Chief Justice Ian R. Winder, Bahamas

The Honourable Stephen Gerard Isaacs, Former Chief Justice of the Bahamas

The Honourable Sir Burton Hall, Former Chief Justice of the Bahamas

The Honourable Dame Joan A. Sawyer, Former Chief Justice of the Bahamas

The Honourable Chief Justice Louise Esther Blenman, Belize

The Honourable Kenneth Benjamin, Former Chief Justice of Belize

The Honourable Omar H. Alghali, Former Chief Justice of the Gambia

The Honourable Sophia Akuffo, Former Chief Justice of Ghana

The Honourable Chief Justice Roxane George, Guyana

The Honourable K.G. Balakrishnan, Former Chief Justice of India

The Honourable Chief Justice Bryan Patrick St. George Sykes, Jamaica

The Honourable Zaila McCalla, Former Chief Justice of Jamaica

The Honourable Mahapela L. Lehohla, Former Chief Justice of Lesotho

The Honourable Nthomeng Majara, Former Chief Justice of Lesotho

The Honourable Chief Justice Rizine R. Mzikamanda, Malawi

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The Honourable Tassaduq Hussain Jillani, Former Chief Justice of Pakistan

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The Honourable Chief Justice Janice M. Pereira, Chief Justice of Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court

The Right Honourable Sir Dennis Byron, Former Chief Justice of Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court

The Honourable Justice Adrian Saunders, President of the Caribbean Court of Justice and Former Chief

Justice of Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court

The Honourable Hugh A Rawlins Former Chief Justice of Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court

The Honourable Umu Hawa Tejan-Jalloh, Former Chief Justice of Sierra Leone

The Honourable H.N.J. Perera, Former Chief Justice of Sri Lanka

The Honourable Chief Justice Ivor Archie, Trinidad and Tobago

The Honourable Vincent Lunabek, Former Chief Justice of Vanuatu

The Honourable Irene Chirwa Mambilima, Former Chief Justice of Zambia

The Honourable Ernest L. Sakala, Former Chief Justice of Zambia

## News and Notes

<u>BAHAMAS</u> — The Honourable Mr. Justice Ian R. Winder (CJEI Fellow 2019) has been appointed as Chief Justice of the Commonwealth of the Bahamas.

**<u>BELIZE</u>** – The Honourable Madam Justice Louise Esther Blenman (CJEI Fellow 2010) is now the Chief Justice of Belize.

<u>HONG KONG</u> — Mr. Antonio M. Da Roza (CJEI Fellow 2019) has been appointed the Executive Director of the Hong Kong Judicial Institute.

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#### **Upcoming Events**

Commonwealth Law Ministers Meeting	Balaclava, Mauritius
	22 - 25 November 2022
CJEI Patron Chief Justices' Meeting	Goa, India
	5 March 2023
Commonwealth Law Conference	Goa, India
	5 – 9 March 2023
CJEI Biennial Meeting of Commonwealth Judicial	Gaborone, Botswana
Educators	11 - 14 May 2023
CJEI Intensive Study Programme for Judicial	Halifax, Ottawa and Toronto, Canada
Educators	4 – 23 June 2023

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We are eager to share in the CJEI Report news on judicial education developments, judicial reforms, elevations, honours, or obituaries and other news related to the judiciary such as new innovations to tackle arrears and delays, strategies to improve access to justice, landmark judgments, or recent judicial education initiatives in your country.

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