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Art & Cultural Heritage Law Committee Newsletter  

Call for Articles

The ABA’s Art & Cultural Heritage Law Committee is actively soliciting proposals for articles from practitioners, professionals, professors, students and others interested in the issues concerning art and cultural heritage law for publication in upcoming issues. The Newsletter is an award-winning publication of the Art & Cultural Heritage Law Committee, a committee of the American Bar Association Section of International Law.

The Newsletter presents an excellent opportunity to be published in a quality, widely circulated International Law publication, and to support the activities of both the Committee and the Section. Article proposals should include a working title and a paragraph summary. Articles are typically 3 to 10 pages, double-spaced, although length of articles may vary, and submissions should include a working title and appropriate BlueBook format citations. Past issues may be reviewed at the Art & Cultural Heritage Law Committee’s website at http://apps.americanbar.org/dch/committee.cfm?com=IC936000.

While by no means exhaustive, articles may include reports, analysis and opinion pieces addressing the following topics:

- art & antiquities trade and trafficking;
- contemporary art issues;
- recent art and cultural heritage court decisions;
- overviews of recent cases addressing a similar topic or trend in the field (i.e. declaratory judgments, Holocaust-era art theft, rare book theft);
- bilateral treaties and/or national statutes;
- amendments to existing cultural property legislation and proposed legislation;
- trends in protection of underwater cultural heritage;
- the impact of war and international conflict on cultural heritage; and
- Q & A with prominent members of the art and cultural heritage field, including public figures, attorneys, museum directors, dealers and artists.

The schedule for submissions is as follows:

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As the editors of the Newsletter, we are available to discuss potential topics for articles, review potential articles, and/or assist in developing article topics, or revising and editing articles in preparation for publication. Please contact David J. Bright (Dibright@nyemaster.com or 319/286-7000), Jacqueline Farinella (jacquelinefarinella@gmail.com or 217/621-8745), or Channah Norman (Channah.Norman@usdoj.gov or 202-532-4126).

Submissions will be published at the discretion of the editors. We also encourage artists to submit their work and border art in .jpeg format, which will be duly credited to the artist.