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NEW JOURNAL FEATURES ARTICLE ON
INVESTMENT TREATY INTERPRETATION

WASHINGTON, DC—The American Society of International Law (ASIL) announces that the second issue of the 104th volume of its flagship publication, the *American Journal of International Law*, is now available.

This latest issue of the *Journal* features a lead article, “**Power and Persuasion in Investment Treaty Interpretation: The Dual Role of States,**” by ASIL member **Anthea Roberts** (London School of Economics). This article proposes ways to achieve a better balance of power between states and tribunals in investment treaty arbitration.

Additionally, this *Journal* includes the following.

- An Editorial Comment entitled “Book Reviews and Libel Proceedings” by *Journal* Co-Editors in Chief **Lori Fisler Damrosch** and **Bernard Oxman**, *Journal* Book Review Editor **Richard Bilder**, and ASIL President **David Caron**;
- A Current Developments section featuring a piece entitled “The Copenhagen Climate Change Conference: A Postmortem” by *Journal* Board member **Daniel Bodansky**;
- Five case reports on decisions from the International Criminal Court, European Court of Human Rights, and others, edited by ASIL member **David Bederman**;

- A section on the latest developments in contemporary U.S. practice relating to international law, edited by ASIL member **John Crook**; and
- Eight book reviews (edited by Richard Bilder), including a review by Lori Fisler Damrosch of *A Lucky Child: A Memoir of Surviving Auschwitz as a Young Boy* by retiring International Court of Justice member and former ASIL Honorary President **Thomas Buergenthal**.

This issue's complete table of contents, lead article, Editorial Comment, and Buergenthal book review are available at www.asil.org/ajil.

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Members of the press may receive a complimentary copy of the current issue of the *Journal* by writing to Sheila Ward, ASIL Director of Communications and Member Relations, at sward@asil.org.

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