

EDITORIAL FOREWORD

On behalf of all of our members, I am proud to present Volume 34.3 of the *Arizona Journal of International and Comparative Law*. We are especially excited to share this issue as it serves as the 2017-2018 inaugural issue. Our members, new and old, continue the commitment to international and comparative legal scholarship the Journal has made throughout the years.

This issue contains articles from academicians on topics ranging from investment treaties in the Asia-Pacific region, the IMF mandate on capital controls, and centralizing the international legal defense in the Americas. In addition, this issue features a note by Senior Board member Joseph Bonasera (*Senior Articles Editor*). Our two other Senior Board members, as well as other Journal members, will publish their notes in our upcoming 2018 issues. We proudly continue the tradition of promoting student publication for Journal members, publishing six student notes each year covering international and comparative law topics.

I would like to thank all of our Journal members for their hard work preparing these articles for publication. Our members have been committed to their Journal work while maintaining their own high academic standards.

I am honored to serve as the Editor-in-Chief for the 2017-2018 school year. I have been truly humbled by the experience thus far and I am looking forward to continuing our Journal's dedication to academic discussion.

Laura Unklesbay
Editor-in-Chief, 2017–2018

