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## **Meet the Institute of International Law**

Presentation by

Professor **Marcelo Kohen**,

Secretary General of the Institute of International Law,  
Professor at the Graduate Institute of International and  
Development Studies in Geneva, Switzerland

With a welcome address by

H.E. Ambassador **Valentin Zellweger**, Director of the Directorate of International Law,  
Legal Advisor to the Federal Department of Foreign Affairs

**Wednesday, November 4, 2015, 8.30 - 9.45 a.m.**

**Conference Room 8, General Assembly Building  
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