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A major accomplishment of the Journal and its staff this year was hosting a seminar on “Investment Management Law.” The seminar, coordinated by the Law School advisor of the Journal Professor Ronald Colombo, had nationally renowned panelists on the topic and was well attended.

This issue contains seven articles covering a wide range of topics from economic crisis and its impact on India to cyberterrorism. Specifically, the topics covered include: “Abortion in Korea: Human Rights Perspective,” “Piracy and Maritime Security,” “Preemption versus Punishment: A Comparative Study of the White Collar Crime,” and “Better Ways of Resolving Disputes in Hong Kong.” The contributors to the ninth issue include faculty, alumni and practitioners in the field of international business and law.

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