

DC/SLA International Relations Committee 2013 Annual Report

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Year Summary

Our committee was able to hold two successful events this year. 17 people total attended both events. The work of IRC committee members as well as other DC/SLA members, including the DC/SLA President and President-Elect, made these events possible.

Event Details

1. IRC Dine Around
 - a. The event was held Wednesday July 31 at 6:30 PM at Zaytinya (701 9th St NW, Washington, DC 20001)
 - b. Six people attended.
 - c. There was no sponsor for the event.
 - d. We had a good turnout for this event and enjoyed an excellent evening of conversation.
2. UN Day Event
 - a. The event was held on Thursday November 7 at 6 PM at the LexisNexis DC Office (1150 18th St NW #600, Washington, DC 20036)
 - b. Eleven people attended.
 - c. LexisNexis provided the venue for the event. Information Express provided the catering.
 - d. Our speaker was Nilda López Fernández. She serves as the Coordinator for Historic Archives & Legal Advisor for the Honduran Ministry of Foreign Affairs. She spoke about her work in overseeing organization and preservation of the Ministry's vast and varied collections. Her presentation included photographs of preserved documents and the Ministry's storage facilities. Ms. Fernández's talk was well-received and enjoyed by all in attendance.