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At a moment of profound anxiety for the international legal system, the Editors of *The Irish Yearbook of International Law* invite submissions on any area of international law for publication as an article in the next volume of the *Irish Yearbook* (Volume XVIII).

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Please send article submissions to Professor Owen McIntyre (o.mcintyre@ucc.ie) by **Friday, 16 October 2026**.

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