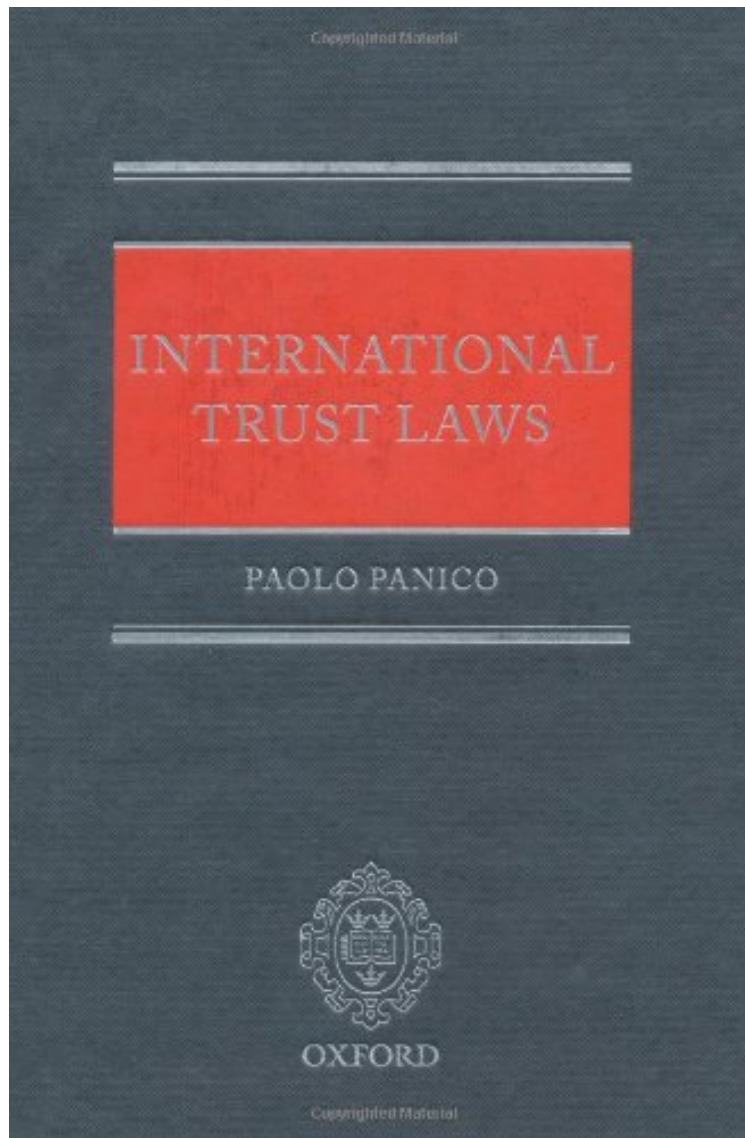


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1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Disappointing for Offshore JurisprudenceBy J. HarrisUnfortunately, the material in this book was outdated for the 'offshore' financial jurisdictions, such as the Cayman Islands, BVI, Isle of Man etc, almost all of it pre 2006. Thus the book largely ignores the very important trust developments coming from these jurisdictions though it ambitiously purports to give a world wide view. If you want scholarly treatment of

this jurisprudence, you will have to turn to OUP's other texts, such as the well known Antoine, Trusts and Related Tax Issues in offshore Financial Law. This book offers only cursory treatment of this important subject, but for the treatment of traditional trusts it was ok. I especially liked the information on Italian cases. J. Harris (Ph.D)

1 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Trusts...international? By Phillip Taylor MBE

[[VIDEOID:mo1W5BEYI0SYSH7]] YES, BUT ENGLISH TO THE CORE An appreciation by Phillip Taylor MBE and Elizabeth Taylor of Richmond Green Chambers Like the English language itself, which has spread out over we can't remember how many countries, the concept of trusts, although fundamentally English, has now gone international, particularly in the last 25 years. The publication of Paolo Panico's 'International Trust Laws' is therefore timely and fulfills a pressing need for an extensive and detailed understanding of the concept, function and administration of trusts worldwide. The very word 'trust' is significant - an obligation on which all may confidently rely. The author's introductory quote from Frederick Maitland's view of trusts deliberately emphasizes the point that attaching 'an obligation of conscience to the title to property' formed, in Maitland's words, "perhaps the greatest and most distinctive achievement of English lawyers", finding no equivalent in foreign law. Trusts exemplify 'English legal genius' at its best -- and just to make sure you get the message, the author lightheartedly prefaces his comments with those lines from Gilbert Sullivan's 'HMS Pinafore'... 'for in spite of all temptations, to belong to other nations, He remains an Englishman!' So if you are a legal practitioner with a burgeoning offshore practice, rest assured: there is a corner of that increasingly complex foreign field of trusts that remains forever England. However -- it is noted in the text that because trusts have an identifiable 'common core' consisting of (a) asset segregation and (b) fiduciary administration by trustee for beneficiary... it is therefore possible to 'recognize trusts in jurisdictions sharing different legal traditions.' 'International Trust Laws' (in the author's words) 'considers the main aspects of international trust laws, with reference to express private trusts, primarily in a private donative context as well as in respect of commercial applications'. Covering at least 26 different jurisdictions, the book attempts (and in my view succeeds) in reflecting the wide diversity within the international dimension of trust law. Logically structured in five parts, the book covers the creation of trusts... the powers and duties of trustees... trustee liability... control mechanisms... and special uses of trusts. Following a general pattern, each chapter starts with the development of the English traditional model, then reviews legislative developments in various offshore jurisdictions, both in the common law and civil law traditions. The extensive Tables of Cases (listed alphabetically by country) and of Legislation, plus excellent index, make this an instructive and easy to use work of reference. For both private and commercial clients, the world, as was once predicted, is fast becoming a 'global village' which is why the copiously researched and lucidly written International Trust Laws is an important book. Read it and you will certainly acquire a broader understanding of... and certainly a global perspective on, trusts.

International Trust Laws provides practical and broad ranging coverage of the most important issues in international trust law across leading jurisdictions. It analyzes crucial topics surrounding the creation of trusts, the powers and duties of trustees, mechanisms of control, and the special uses of trusts. The topics are considered in the light both of their original development under English law, and the statutory solutions worked out by offshore jurisdictions such as Jersey, Guernsey, the Cayman Islands, the Bahamas, the Isle of Man and New Zealand. Other examples are drawn from a wealth of other jurisdictions including Dubai, Mauritius, and the Cook Islands. The book also reviews a wealth of case law from English and offshore courts and offers a unique consideration of the recognition and impact of trust law issues in civil law contexts.

...a remarkable achievement - jurisdictional monoglots, such as myself, have much to learn from it, and from the author's experience and example. Toby Graham, Trusts and Trustees copiously researched and lucidly written International Law of Trusts is an important book. Phillip Taylor MBE, Richmond Green Chambers

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