



EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS  
COUR EUROPÉENNE DES DROITS DE L'HOMME

## **Lord Arnold Duncan McNAIR**

### **President of the European Court of Human Rights**

#### **Personal Details**

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Born: 4 March 1885

Died: 22 May 1975

Nationality: British

#### **Curriculum vitae**

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- 1st Baron of Gleniffer (cr. 1955)
- Arnold Duncan McNair, Kt. Cr. 1943; C.B.E. 1918; Q.C.; F.B.A.
- LL. D. Cambridge; Hon. LL. D. Glasgow, Liverpool, Birmingham, Salonika; Hon. D.C.L., Oxford; Hon. D. Litt., Reading; Fellow of Gonville and Caius Coll; Bencher of Gray's Inn, Treasurer 1947; Edu: Aldenham; Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge; Admitted solicitor 1906
- Secretary of Advisory Board of Coal Controller, 1917-1919
- Secretary of Coal Industry (Sankey) Commission, 1919
- Chairman, Committee on Supply and Training of Teachers, 1942-1944
- Chairman of Burnham Committee, 1956-1958
- Reader in International Law in the University of London, 1926-1927
- Tagore Professor in the University of Calcutta, 1931
- Whewell Professor of International Law, University of Cambridge, 1935-1937
- Vice-Chancellor, Liverpool University, 1937-1945
- Professor of Comparative Law in University of Cambridge, 1945-1946
- Président de l'Institut de Droit international, 1948-1950
- British member, Permanent Court of Arbitration at The Hague, since 1945
- President of the International Court of Justice, 1952-1955 and Judge, 1946-1955
- President of Curatorium of Hague Academy of International Law, since 1959
- Chairman, Executive Council of International Law Association, since 1959
- President of the Court from 21 January 1959 to 3 May 1965 (elected on 15 September 1959)
- Judge of the European Court of Human Rights from 21 January 1959 to 3 May 1966