



The American Chapter 11 reorganisation procedure is up for revision after having served the US economy for over 30 years. At the same time, the Netherlands and many other countries are looking at Chapter 11 as an example for revising their rules on reorganisation. This conference will discuss the recent (December 2014) Report of the American Bankruptcy Institute to Study the Reform of Chapter 11 and compare it with current proposals for revision of the Dutch Bankruptcy Act.

## **Revision of Chapter 11 vs. Revision of the Dutch Bankruptcy Act**

### Speakers

**Prof. E.R. Morrison (Columbia Law School)**

on 'General outline of proposed reform of Chapter 11'

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**Prof. F.M.J. Verstijlen (University of Groningen)**

on 'The Secured Creditor in Bankruptcy: Prisoner or Warden?'

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**Dr. R.J. de Weijs (University of Amsterdam)**

on 'Absolute priority rule and distinction between large companies and SME's'

### Chair

**Prof. B. Wessels (University of Leiden)**

**Monday 18 May 2015, 15:00-17:30**

in Doelenzaal, Universiteitsbibliotheek, Singel 425, Amsterdam

Attendance is free, but please confirm attendance by sending an e-mail to [r.j.deweijs@uva.nl](mailto:r.j.deweijs@uva.nl) before 1 May, 2015. Organized by the Centre for the Study of European Contract Law (CSECL) in cooperation with Amsterdam Centre for Law & Economics (ACLE), Amsterdam Research Institute for Legal Studies (ARILS) and the Netherlands Association on Comparative and International Insolvency Law (NACIIL).