

# First Conference on Empirical Legal Studies in Europe

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## **Empirical Legal Studies**

Empirical legal studies are well established in the United States, where they are now part of the academic mainstream. In Europe, by contrast, law reviews still rarely feature empirical work and doctrinal analysis continues to dominate legal research and teaching. Yet, there is increasing pressure as well as growing demand—from research-funding institutions, policy-makers and legal practitioners—for European academic lawyers to investigate the empirical foundations of their theoretical claims and to explain how legal rules emerge from social interactions and shape social outcomes. Hosted by the University of Amsterdam and sponsored by the Society for Empirical Legal Studies (SELS), the first Conference on Empirical Legal Studies in Europe (CELSE) brings together academics from law and other fields who embrace the empirical turn and seek to develop empirical accounts of law and legal institutions in Europe.

## **Keynote Speakers**

### **Jennifer H. Arlen**

Professor Jennifer Arlen '86 is one of the leading US scholars on corporate liability, medical malpractice, and experimental law and economics. She is a co-founder, director, and past president of the Society of Empirical Legal Studies. She also is secretary/treasurer of the American Law and Economics Association, served on the ALEA Board of Directors (1991-93, 2006-09), and is on the editorial board of the American Law and Economics Review. She currently serves as the associate reporter for the American Law Institute's Principles of Law, Compliance, Risk Management, and Enforcement Project. She has been a visiting professor at the California Institute of Technology, Harvard Law School, and Yale Law School, and was the Ivadelle and Theodore Johnson Professor of Law and Business at USC School of Law before moving to NYU. Professor Arlen received her BA in economics from Harvard College (1982, magna cum laude) and her JD (1986, Order of the Coif) and PhD in economics (1992) from New York University. Professor Arlen clerked for Judge Phyllis Kravitch on the US Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit. She teaches Corporations, Business Crime, and the Regulation of Foreign Corrupt Practices. Website:

<http://its.law.nyu.edu/facultyprofiles/index.cfm?fuseaction=profile.overview&personid=20658>

### **Ian Ayres**

Professor Ian Ayres is a lawyer and an economist. He is the William K. Townsend Professor at Yale Law School, the Anne Urowsky Professorial Fellow in Law, and a Professor at Yale's School of Management. He received his B.A. (majoring in Russian studies and economics) and J.D. from Yale and his Ph.D in economics from M.I.T. Professor Ayres clerked for the Honorable James K. Logan of the Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals. He has previously taught at Harvard, Illinois, Northwestern, Stanford and Virginia law schools and has been a research fellow of the American Bar Foundation. From 2002 to 2009, he was the editor of the Journal of Law, Economics and Organization. Professor Ayres is a co-founder of stickK.com, a web site that helps you stick to your goals. He has published 11 books (including the New York Times best-seller, *Super Crunchers*) and over 100 articles on a wide range of topics. His latest book is *Carrots and Sticks: Unlock the Power of Incentives to Get Things Done*. In 2010, he also published *Lifecycle Investing* (with Barry Nalebuff). He has been a columnist for *Forbes* magazine, a commentator on public radio's *Marketplace*, and a contributor to the New York Times' *Freakonomics* Blog. His research has been featured on *PrimeTime Live*, *Oprah* and *Good Morning America* and in *Time* and *Vogue* magazines. In 2006, he

was elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. His book with Greg Klass, *Insincere Promises: The Law of Misrepresented Intent*, won the 2006 Scribes book award "for the best work of legal scholarship published during the previous year." Professor Ayres has been ranked as one of the most prolific and most-cited law professors of his generation. Website: <https://www.law.yale.edu/ian-ayres>

### **Bernard Black**

Bernard S. Black is the Nicholas D. Chabraja Professor at Northwestern University School of Law and Kellogg School of Management. He is also managing director of the Social Science Research Network and founding chairman of the annual Conference on Empirical Legal Studies. Professor Black received a BA from Princeton University, an MA in physics from the University of California, Berkeley, and a JD from Stanford Law School. He was Professor of Law at Stanford Law School from 1998 to 2004 and at Columbia Law School from 1988 to 1998. His principal research areas are law and finance, international corporate governance, health care and medical malpractice, and corporate and securities law. His books include *To Sue is Human: A Profile of Medical Malpractice Litigation* (forthcoming with David Hyman, William Sage, Charles Silver, and Kathryn Zeiler), *The Law and Finance of Corporate Acquisitions* (2nd ed., with Ronald Gilson, 1995 and supplement 2006–2007), and *Guide to the Russian Law on Joint Stock Companies* (with Reinier Kraakman and Anna Tarassova (1998). Website: <http://www.law.northwestern.edu/faculty/profiles/BernardBlack/>

### **Rens Bod**

Professor Rens Bod is professor of Digital Humanities and Director of the Center for Digital Humanities at the University of Amsterdam. He investigates the humanities from both computational and historical perspectives. His computational work covers natural language cognition, computational musicology, digital aesthetics and computational literary studies. In the field of digital humanities, he coordinates over 20 public-private partnerships in virtually all subfields of the humanities. He is one of the main architects of the so-called data-oriented parsing model, a general machine learning technique for attributing structure to humanities data. He was a recipient of an advanced research fellowship (UK), a personal academy fellowship (KNAW) and personal Vidi and Vici fellowships (NWO).

His historical work focuses on the comparative history of the humanities from a world-wide perspective. He is a founding editor of the journal *History of Humanities* and the initiator of the conference series *The Making of the Humanities*. He is also editor-in-chief of *Brill Open Humanities*. His books include *Beyond Grammar* (1998), *Probabilistic Linguistics* (2003), *Data-Oriented Parsing* (2003) and *De Vergeten Wetenschappen (The Forgotten Sciences)* (2010), and he co-edited three volumes on the comparative history of the humanities, *The Making of the Humanities I, II and III* (2010, 2012, 2014). His most recent monograph is *A New History of the Humanities: The Search for Principles and Patterns from Antiquity to the Present* (OUP, 2013). Website: <http://www.uva.nl/over-de-uva/organisatie/medewerkers/content/b/o/l.w.m.bod/l.w.m.bod.html>

**Conference Venue**

Faculty of Law, University of Amsterdam, Oudemanhuispoort 4, 1012 CN Amsterdam.

**Registration**

The registration desk is located in the central hall and will be staffed by Sidonie Rademaker

**Lunch**

At 12:00 in Het Atrium, Oudezijds Achterburgwal 237 in Amsterdam, at a two-minute walk from the conference venue.

**Dinner**

At 18:30 at restaurant Neva, Hermitage Museum, Amstel 51, at ten-minute walk from the conference venue.

**Internet Access**

The University of Amsterdam provides free internet access, by selecting the network 'UvA Open Wi-Fi'.

**Arriving and Leaving Amsterdam**

Schiphol airport is best reached by regular train service. The 15-minute train ride leaves every 10 to 15 minutes from Amsterdam Central Station, which is a 10-minute taxi ride from the conference venue (7,50 euro). A taxi from the conference venue to Schiphol airport would take about 25 minutes and costs approximately 60 euro.

**Public Transport**

You can buy train tickets from the yellow machines at the railway station. Some machines take credit cards and/or coins, some machines only take Dutch bank cards. For other types of transport (bus/metro/tram) you can either buy the ticket on-board or purchase an electronic transport card ("ov chip card"). These can be purchased from the machines at most metro stations or at the GVB office at the Central Station. For more information, visit <http://en.gvb.nl/pages/home.aspx>. To plan your trip, visit: <http://9292.nl/en>.

**Conference Organizers**

Giuseppe Dari-Mattiacci (University of Amsterdam), Arthur Dyevre (KU Leuven) and Christoph Engel (Max Planck Institute for Research on Collective Goods). Our deepest gratitude goes to the numerous colleagues listed below, who provided enormous effort and without whom this conference would have not been possible.

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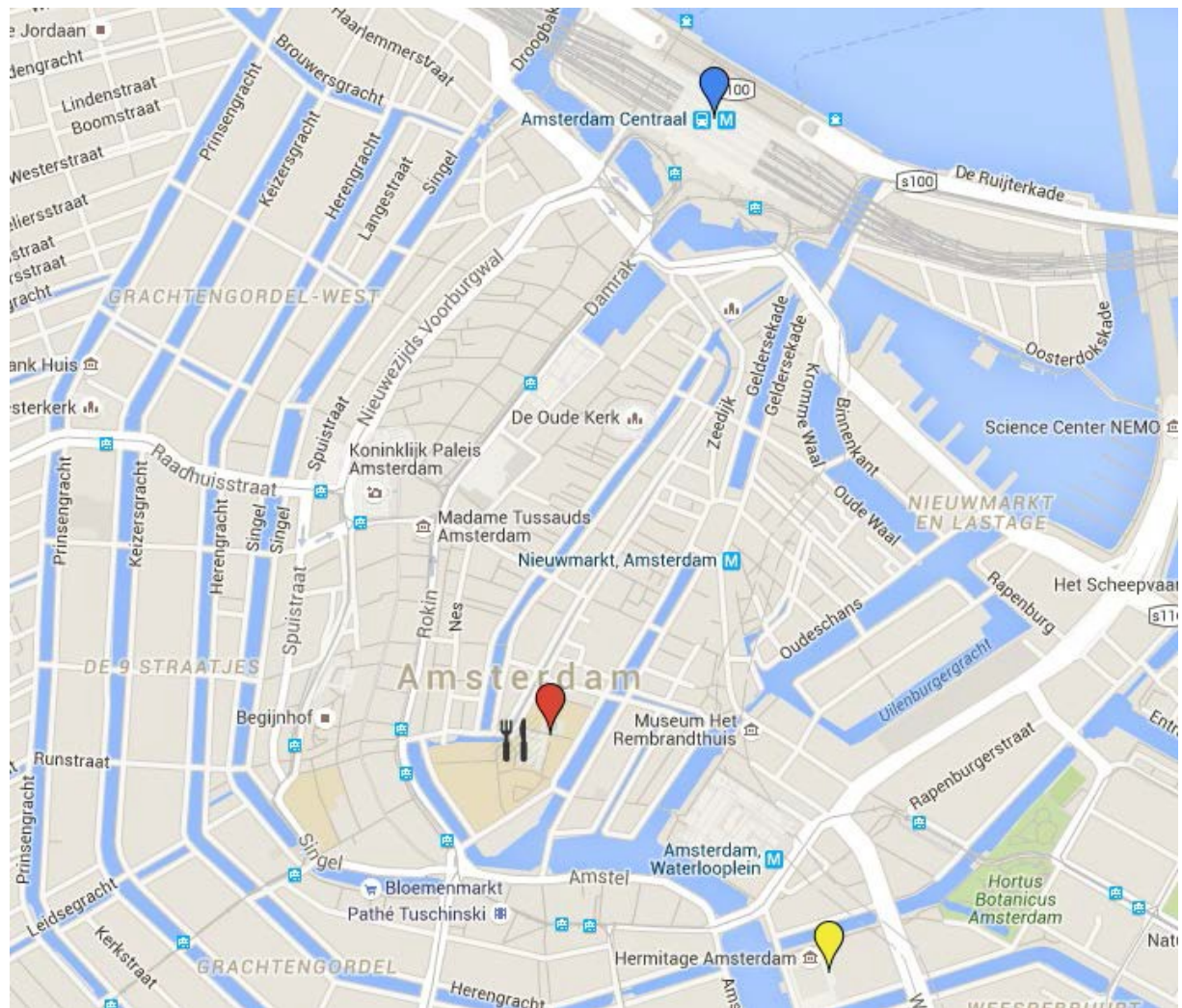
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## **Supporting staff**

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## CELSE Conference Venue Locations

Directions from CELSE 2016 to the lunch and dinner locations are included in the online version of this map.




 University of Amsterdam - Faculty of Law – Conference Venue  
Oudemanhuispoort 4-6  
1012 CN Amsterdam

 Mensa Atrium University Restaurant  
Oudezijds Achterburgwal 237  
1012 DL Amsterdam


### **Lunch**

*The Entrance of the restaurant is behind the facade front*

 Neva Hermitage Restaurant  
Amstel 51  
1018 DR Amsterdam

### **Dinner**

*Accessible by back entrance 'De Ossenpoort' of the restaurant via the Nieuwe Keizersgracht*

 Amsterdam Central Station

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CONFERENCE ON EMPIRICAL LEGAL STUDIES IN EUROPE (CELSE) 2016

**JUNE 21, 2016**

8:30 AM – 9:00 AM

Registration, Coffee and Muffins - Central Hall, Faculty of Law

**9:00 AM - 10:00 AM**

**Location: D1.09**

**Keynote Speech: Jennifer H. Arlen**

***Experimental Law and Economics: Self-Debiasing and External Validity***  
**(introduced by Arthur Dyevre)**

10:00 AM - 10:15 AM

Break - Central Hall, Faculty of Law

10:15 AM – 12:00 PM

Parallel Sessions I (see pp. 7 – 10)

*Intellectual Property (C2.17)*

*Judges and Judging I (C2.23)*

*Litigation and the Legal Professions (C3.17)*

*Law & Text-Mining I (D1.09)*

*Comparative Law (C0.23)*

*Criminal Law I (C2.05)*

12:00 PM – 1:30 PM

Lunch at Atrium University Restaurant

1.30 PM – 3.15 PM

Parallel Sessions II (see pp. 11 – 14)

*Constitutional Law and Fundamental Rights (C0.23)*

*Judges and Judging II (C2.05)*

*Law & Finance I (C2.23)*

*Law & Text-Mining II (C3.17)*

*Litigation (D1.09)*

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**JUNE 21, 2016**

*Contract Law (C2.17)*

3:15 PM – 3:30 PM

Break – Central Hall, Faculty of Law

3:30 PM – 4:40 PM

Parallel Sessions III (See pp 15-18)

*Administrative Law (C0.23)*

*Constitutional Law (C2.05)*

*Employment Law (C2.17)*

*International Law (C2.23)*

*Judges and Judging III (C3.05)*

*Law & Psychology I (C3.17)*

*Litigation and Courts I (D1.09)*

4:40 PM – 5:00 PM

Break – Central Hall, Faculty of Law

**5:00 PM – 6:00 PM**

**Location: D1.09**

**Keynote Speech: Rens Bod *Digital Legal Studies* (introduced by Arthur Dyevre)**

6:30 PM Dinner – Restaurant NEVA (Amstel 51, 1018 DR Amsterdam)

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CONFERENCE ON EMPIRICAL LEGAL STUDIES IN EUROPE (CELSE) 2016

**JUNE 22, 2016**

8:30 AM – 9:00 AM

Registration, Coffee and Muffins - Central Hall, Faculty of Law

**9:00 AM - 10:00 AM**

**Location: D1.09**

**Keynote Speech: Bernard Black**

***Bloopers: How Smart People Get Causal Inference Wrong* (introduced by Christoph Engel)**

10:00 AM - 10:15 AM

Break - Central Hall, Faculty of Law

10.15 AM – 12.00 PM

Parallel Sessions IV (see pp 19-22)

*Competition Law (C0.23)*

*Corporate Law and Governance I (C2.05)*

*Criminal Justice (C2.17)*

*Law & Finance II (C3.05)*

*Litigation and Courts II (D1.09)*

*Judges and Judging IV (C2.23)*

*Law & Society I (C3.17)*

12:00 PM – 1:30 PM

Lunch at Atrium University Restaurant

1.30 PM – 3.15 PM

Parallel Sessions V (see pp 23-27)

*Torts (C3.17)*

*Corporate Law and Governance II (C2.05)*

*Criminal Law II (C2.17)*

*Judges and Judging V (C2.23)*

*Law & Politics I (C3.05)*

*Law & Psychology II (C0.23)*

*Law & Finance III (D1.09)*

CONFERENCE ON EMPIRICAL LEGAL STUDIES IN EUROPE (CELSE) 2016

**JUNE 22, 2016**

3:15 PM – 3:30 PM

Break – Central Hall, Faculty of Law

3.30 PM – 4.40 PM

Parallel Sessions VI – (see pp 28-30)

*Contract & Property Law (C0.23)*

*Corporate Law and Governance III (C2.05)*

*Law & Politics II (C2.17)*

*Law & Society II (C2.23)*

*Litigation and Courts III (C3.17)*

*Tax Law (D1.09)*

4:40 PM – 5:00 PM

Break – Central Hall, Faculty of Law

**5:00 PM – 6:00 PM**

**Location: D1.09**

**Keynote Speech: Ian Ayres *Field Experiments and Law* (introduced by Christoph Engel)**

6:30 PM

Dinner – Restaurant NEVA (Amstel 51, 1018 DR Amsterdam)

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**9:00 AM - 10:00 AM**

**Location: D1.09**

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***Experimental Law and Economics: Self-Debiasing and External Validity***  
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## **Parallel Sessions I – 10.15 AM – 12.00 PM**

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**06/21/2016 - 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM**

**Location: C2.17**

**Intellectual Property**

**Session Chair:** Mitja Kovac, University of Ljubljana

[Testing Tarnishment in Trademark and Copyright Law: The Effect of Pornographic Versions of Protected Marks and Works](#)

Christopher Buccafusco, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law

**Paul J. Heald**, University of Illinois College of Law

Wen Bu, University of Illinois College of Law

Discussant: Sven Hoeppe, Ghent University

[Variation in Transaction Costs and the Propensity to Patent: Some Firm-Level Evidence](#)

**Mitja Kovac**, University of Ljubljana

Rok Spruk, Utrecht University - Research Group Social Economic History

Discussant: Ben Depoorter, University of California Hastings College of the Law

[An Empirical Study of Copyright Statutory Damages](#)

**Ben Depoorter**, University of California Hastings College of the Law

Discussant: Mitja Kovac, University of Ljubljana

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**06/21/2016 - 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM**

**Location: C2.23**

**Judges and Judging I**

**Session Chair:** Urska Sadl, University of Copenhagen - iCourts - Centre of Excellence for International Courts

[Do International Courts Make Law in Small Steps? Evidence from the Citation Web of CJEU Case Law](#)

**Urska Sadl**, University of Copenhagen - iCourts - Centre of Excellence for International Courts

Discussant: Keren Weinshall Margel, Hebrew University of Jerusalem - Faculty of Law

[A Micro-Macro Gauge of Ideological Effects on Judicial Decision Making: The Dynamic Comparative Attitudinal Measure and the Ideological Ideal Point Estimate](#)

**Keren Weinshall Margel**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem - Faculty of Law  
Udi Sommer, SUNY University at Albany  
Ya'acov Ritov, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Discussant: Sofia Amaral-Garcia, German Institute for Economic Research (DIW Berlin)

[Consensus and Ideology at the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council](#)

**Sofia Amaral-Garcia**, German Institute for Economic Research (DIW Berlin)  
Lucia Dallapellegrina, Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca - Department of Economics, Quantitative Methods and Business Strategies (DEMS)  
Nuno M. Garoupa, Texas A&M University - School of Law

Discussant: Urska Sadl, University of Copenhagen - iCourts - Centre of Excellence for International Courts

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**06/21/2016 - 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM**

**Location: C3.17**

**Litigation and the Legal Professions**

**Session Chair:** Nigel Balmer, Faculty of Law, University College London

[Navigating the Legal Advice Maze - Knowledge, Expectations and the Reality of Advice Seeking](#)

Pascoe Pleasence, Government of the United Kingdom - Legal Services Research Centre (LSRC)

**Nigel J. Balmer**, Faculty of Law, University College London

Catrina Denvir, University of Sydney - Faculty of Law

Discussant: Adam Hofri-Winogradow, Hebrew University of Jerusalem - Faculty of Law

[Trust Proliferation: An Empirical Analysis](#)

**Adam S. Hofri-Winogradow**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem - Faculty of Law

Discussant: Sandra Rousseau, KU Leuven - Brussels Campus

[The Value of Hiring a Lawyer](#)

**Sandra Rousseau**, KU Leuven - Brussels Campus

Dietrich Earnhart, University of Kansas - Department of Economics  
Discussant: Nigel Balmer, Faculty of Law, University College London

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**06/21/2016 - 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM**

**Location: D1.09**

**Law & Text-Mining I**

**Session Chair:** Radboud Winkels, University of Amsterdam - Leibniz Center for Law

[Two Experiments in Finding Relevant Case Law](#)

**Radboud Winkels**, University of Amsterdam - Leibniz Center for Law

A.W.F. Boer, University of Amsterdam - Leibniz Center for Law

Discussant: Michael Livermore, University of Virginia - School of Law

[Bending the Law](#)

Greg Leibon, Dartmouth College

**Michael A. Livermore**, University of Virginia - School of Law

Reed Harder, Dartmouth College

Allen Riddell, Dartmouth College

Daniel Rockmore, Dartmouth College - Department of Mathematics

Discussant: Eyal Sagi, Northwestern University

[Moral Language in the Basel Accords: A Quantitative Analysis](#)

Hadar Yoana Jabotinsky, Hebrew University of

Jerusalem **Eyal Sagi**, Northwestern University

Discussant: Radboud Winkels, University of Amsterdam - Leibniz Center for Law

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**6/21/2016 - 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM**

**Location: C0.23**

**Comparative Law**

**Session Chair:** Mathias Siems, Durham University - Law School

[Why Do Businesses Incorporate in Other EU Member States? An Empirical Analysis of the Role of Conflict of Laws Rules](#)

**Mathias M. Siems**, Durham University - Law School

Edmund-Philipp Schuster, London School of Economics - Law Department

Carsten Gerner-Beuerle, London School of Economics - Law Department

Federico M. Mucciarelli, University of London, SOAS, Department of Financial and

Management Studies

Discussant: Adam Chilton, University of Chicago - Law School

[The Cultural Evolution of National Constitutions](#)

**Daniel Rockmore**, Dartmouth College - Department of Mathematics

Chen Fang, Dartmouth College

Nick J. Foti, University of Washington - Department of Statistics Tom

Ginsburg, University of Chicago - Law School

David C. Krakauer, Santa Fe Institute

Discussant: Mila Versteeg, University of Virginia - School of Law

[Antitrust Laws in Action: A Cross-National Analysis of Enforcement Activity](#)

Anu Bradford, Columbia University

**Adam S. Chilton**, University of Chicago - Law School

Discussant: Mathias Siems, Durham University - Law School

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**6/21/2016 - 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM**

**Location: C2.05**

**Criminal Law I**

**Session Chair:** Eric Helland, Claremont Colleges - Robert Day School of Economics and Finance

[The Effects of a Simpler Criminal Procedure on Criminal Case Outcomes: Evidence from Czech District-Level Data](#)

**Libor Dusek**, University of Economics, Prague

Discussant: Ben Vollaard, Tilburg University - Center and Faculty of Economics and Business Administration

[Temporal Displacement of Environmental Crime. Evidence from Marine Oil Pollution](#)

**Ben Vollaard**, Tilburg University - Center and Faculty of Economics and Business Administration

Discussant: Libor Dusek, University of Economics, Prague

[Criminal Prosecution and Physician Supply](#)

**Hatsuru Morita**, Tohoku University - School of Law

Discussant: Eric Helland, Claremont Colleges - Robert Day School of Economics and Finance

## Parallel Sessions II – 1.30 PM – 3.15 PM

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06/21/2016 - 1:30 PM – 3:15 PM

Location: C0.23

### Constitutional Law and Fundamental Rights

**Session Chair:** Shai Dothan, University of Copenhagen - iCourts - Centre of Excellence for International Courts

[Measuring Violations of Human Rights: An Empirical Analysis of Awards in Respect of Non- Pecuniary Damage Under the European Convention on Human Rights](#)

Szilvia Altwicker-Hamori, Zurich University of Applied Sciences

**Tilmann Altwicker**, University of Basel - Faculty of Law

Anne Peters, Max Planck Society for the Advancement of the Sciences - Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public Law and International Law

Discussant: Rok Spruk, Utrecht University - Research Group Social Economic History

[A Virtual Wall of Shame: The New Way of Imposing Reputational Sanctions on Defiant States](#)

**Shai Dothan**, University of Copenhagen - iCourts - Centre of Excellence for International Courts

Discussant: Antoinette Muntjewerff, University of Amsterdam - Faculty of Law

[Data Analysis as a Method to Gather Data to Study the Relation between Fundamental Rights and Rule of Law](#)

**Antoinette Muntjewerff**, University of Amsterdam - Faculty of Law

Kirsten van Loo, Utrecht University

Discussant: Shai Dothan, University of Copenhagen - iCourts - Centre of Excellence for International Courts

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06/21/2016 - 1:30 PM – 3:15 PM

Location: C2.05

### Judges and Judging II

**Session Chair:** Thomas Gschwend, University of Mannheim - Department of Political Science

[Correction Activities by French Supreme Courts and Control over their Dockets](#)

**Pierre Bentata**, École Supérieure de Commerce (ESC) de Troyes

Yolande Hiriart, University of Toulouse 1

Romain Espinosa, Université Paris II - Panthéon-Assas

Discussant: Lydia Tiede, University of Houston

[Political Signals and Judicial Review on the Bulgarian Constitutional Court](#)

Tanya Bagashka, University of Houston

**Lydia Brashear Tiede**, University of Houston

Discussant: Ieva Sakalauskaite, University of Amsterdam

[Optimal Panel Size on the UK Supreme Court](#)

**Chris Hanretty**, University of East Anglia (UEA) - School of Political, Social and International Studies

Discussant: Thomas Gschwend, University of Mannheim - Department of Political Science

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**06/21/2016 - 1:30 PM – 3:15 PM**

**Location: C2.23**

**Law & Finance I**

Session Chair: Alexander Groh, EMLYON Business School

[Same Rules, Different Enforcement: market Abuse in Europe](#)

Douglas J. Cumming, York University – Schulich School of Business

**Alexander Peter Groh**, EMLYON Business School

Sofia Johan, York University – Schulich School of Business

Discussant: Daniel Behn, Pluricourts

[Effects OF Patent Rights On Industry Structure and R&D](#)

**Tolga Caskurlu**, University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam Business School

Discussant: Guosong Xu, WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management

[Foreign Bribery and Cross-Border Mergers and Acquisitions](#)

**Guosong Xu**, WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management

Discussant: Alexander Groh, EMLYON Business School

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**06/21/2016 - 1:30 PM – 3:15 PM**

**Location: C3.17**

**Law & Text-Mining II**

Session Chair: Allen Riddell, Dartmouth College

[Constitutional Archetypes](#)



**David S. Law**, Washington University in Saint Louis - School of Law  
Discussant: Arthur Dyevre, KU Leuven - Faculty of Law

[Agenda Formation and the U.S. Supreme Court: A Topic Model Approach](#)

Michael A. Livermore, University of Virginia - School of Law

**Allen Riddell**, Dartmouth College

Daniel Rockmore, Dartmouth College - Department of Mathematics

Discussant: David S. Law, Washington University in Saint Louis - School of Law

[The Promise and Pitfalls of Automated Text-Scaling Techniques for the Analysis of Judicial Opinions](#)

**Arthur Dyevre**, KU Leuven - Faculty of Law

Discussant: Allen Riddell, Dartmouth College

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**06/21/2016 - 1:30 PM – 3:15 PM**

**Location: D1.09**

**Litigation**

**Session Chair:** Neil Rickman, University of Surrey - Department of Economics

[Determinants of In-Court Settlements - Empirical Evidence from a German Trial Court](#)

Michael Berlemann, University of the German Federal Armed Forces -  
Department of Economics

**Robin Christmann**, Leibniz School of Business

Discussant: Kowsar Yousefi, Institute for Management and Planning Studies, Iran

[Legal Fees and Delay in Settlement](#)

Paul Fenn, University of Nottingham

**Neil Rickman**, University of Surrey - Department of Economics

Discussant: Simon Hedlin, Harvard University, Students

[Are Bad Physicians Pardoned with Shorter Litigations? Evidence from Med-Mals in Florida](#)

**Kowsar Yousefi**, Institute for Management and Planning Studies, Iran

Discussant: Neil Rickman, University of Surrey - Department of Economics

**06/21/2016 - 1:30 PM – 3:15 PM**

**Location: C2.17**

**Contract Law**

**Session Chair:** Mark Wilson, Saint Bonaventure University

[Holmes May Well Have Been Right After All: How Contract Law Reflects Interpersonal Morality](#)

**Sergio Rubens Mittlaender Leme de Souza**, Max Planck Society for the Advancement of the Sciences - Max Planck Institute for Social Law and Social Policy  
Discussant: Chantal Mak, University of Amsterdam - Centre for the Study of European Contract Law (CSECL)

[Contracts and Trust](#)

Bryan C. McCannon, West Virginia University - College of Business & Economics  
Colleen Tokar Asaad, Baldwin Wallace University  
**Mark Wilson**, Saint Bonaventure University

Discussant: Sergio Rubens Mittlaender Leme de Souza, Max Planck Society for the Advancement of the Sciences - Max Planck Institute for Social Law and Social Policy

[Insuring Your Donation - An Experiment](#)

Renate Buijze, Erasmus University Rotterdam (EUR) - Erasmus School of Law  
**Christoph Engel**, Max Planck Society for the Advancement of the Sciences - Max Planck Institute for Research on Collective Goods  
Sigrid Hemels, Erasmus University Rotterdam (EUR) - Erasmus School of Law  
Discussant: Mark Wilson, Saint Bonaventure University

## Parallel Sessions III – 3.30 PM – 4.40 PM

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06/21/2016 - 3:30 PM – 4:40 PM

Location: C0.23

Administrative Law

Session Chair: Willem Van Boom, Leiden University - Leiden Law School

[Political Contestability and Contract Rigidity: An Analysis of Procurement Contracts](#)

Jean Beuve, Université Paris IV Sorbonne

**Marian W. Moszoro**, University of California, Berkeley - Haas School of Business

Stéphane Saussier, Université Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne - Institut d'Administration des Entreprises de Paris (IAE Paris)

Discussant: Lucia Dallapellegrina, Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca - Department of Economics, Quantitative Methods and Business Strategies (DEMS)

[Refugee Policy: When an Emergency Rule Becomes the Rule: Evidence from Italy.](#)

**Lucia Dallapellegrina**, Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca - Department of Economics, Quantitative Methods and Business Strategies (DEMS)

Margherita Saraceno, Bocconi University - BAFFI Center on International Markets, Money, and Regulation

Mattia Suardi, Bocconi University - BAFFI Center on International Markets, Money, and Regulation

Discussant: Willem Van Boom, Leiden University - Leiden Law School

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Constitutional Law

Session Chair: Hatsuru Morita, Tohoku University - School of Law

[Electoral Laws, Political Institutions and Long-Run Development: Evidence from Latin America, 1800-2012](#)

**Rok Spruk**, Utrecht University - Research Group Social Economic History

Discussant: Tilmann Altwicker, University of Basel - Faculty of Law

[The Contours of Constitutional Approval](#)

Nicholas Stephanopoulos, University of Chicago - Law School

**Mila Versteeg**, University of Virginia - School of Law

Discussant: Hatsuru Morita, Tohoku University - School of Law

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**Location: C2.17**

**Employment Law**

**Session Chair:** Nadia Campaniello, University of Essex - Department of Economics

[Uncovering the Gender Participation Gap in the Crime Market](#)

Evelina Gavrilova, Norwegian School of Economics (NHH) - Department of Business and Management Science

**Nadia Campaniello**, University of Essex - Department of Economics

Discussant: Asaf Zussman, Hebrew University of Jerusalem - Department of Economics

[Customer Discrimination: Evidence from Israel](#)

**Asaf Zussman**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem - Department of Economics Revital Bar, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Discussant: Nadia Campaniello, University of Essex - Department of Economics

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**International Law**

**Session Chair:** Julian Nyarko, University of California, Berkeley, School of Law, Students

[Precedent Citation at the WTO - Shifting the Empirical Focus to Panelists](#)

Jerome Hsiang, Independent

**Julian Nyarko**, University of California, Berkeley, School of Law, Students

Discussant: Oren Perez, Bar-Ilan University - Faculty of Law

[Private Transnational Governance as Ensemble Regulation: A Social Network Analysis](#)

**Oren Perez**, Bar-Ilan University - Faculty of Law

Reuven Cohen, Bar-Ilan University - Department of Mathematics

**Nir Schreiber**, Bar-Ilan University

Discussant: Julian Nyarko, University of California, Berkeley, School of Law, Students

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**Judges and Judging III**

**Session Chair:** Matías Irigoyen-Testa, Universidad Torcuato Di Tella - School of Law

[Punitive Damages: Relevant Factors in the Judge's and Jury's Decision](#)

**Matías Irigoyen-Testa**, Universidad Torcuato Di Tella - School of Law

Discussant: Pierre Bentata, École Supérieure de Commerce (ESC) de Troyes

[Access to Labor Courts & Unemployment: Evidence from French Labor Courts](#)

Claudine Desrieux, Université Paris II - Panthéon-Assas

**Romain Espinosa**, Université Paris II - Panthéon-Assas - CRED

Marc Ferracci, Université Paris-Est Marne la Vallée (UPEMLV)

Discussant: Matías Irigoyen-Testa, Universidad Torcuato Di Tella - School of Law

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**Law & Psychology I**

**Session Chair:** Kati Cseres, University of Amsterdam

[A Courtroom Experiment with Bankruptcy Litigants: Implications for Insight into Perceived Procedural Justice and Trust in Judges](#)

**Liesbeth Hulst**, VU University Amsterdam - Faculty of Law

Kees van den Bos, Utrecht University - Department of Social and Organizational Psychology

Arno J. Akkermans, VU University Amsterdam - Amsterdam Centre for Comprehensive Law

Allan Lind, Duke University - Fuqua School of Business

Discussant: Brigitta Lurger, University of Graz

[Consumer Decisions Under High Information Load: How Can Legal Rules Improve Search Behavior and Decision Quality?](#)

**Brigitta Lurger**, University of Graz

Claudia Vogrincic-Haselbacher, University of Graz

Florian Caks, University of Graz

Julian Anslinger, Bielefeld University

Isabelle Dinslaken, University of Graz

Ursula Athenstaedt, University of Graz

Discussant: Kati Cseres, University of Amsterdam

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**Location: D1.09**

### **Litigation and Courts I**

**Session Chair:** Robin Christmann, Leibniz School of Business

[Does Gender Matter in the Civil Law Judiciary? Evidence from French Child Support Court Decisions](#)

Bruno Jeandidier, University of Lorraine

**Cecile Bourreau Dubois**, University of Lorraine Jean-Claude Ray,  
University of Lorraine

Myriam Doriat-Duban, University of Lorraine - Department of Economics

Discussant: Andreas Engert, University of Mannheim - Faculty of Law

[The Relationship between Prostitution Laws and Sex Trafficking: Theory and Evidence on Scale, Substitution, and Replacement Effects](#)

**Simon Hedlin**, Harvard University, Students

Discussant: Robin Christmann, Leibniz School of Business

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**Location: D1.09**

**Keynote Speech: Rens Bod *Digital Legal Studies* (introduced by Arthur Deyvre)**

**9:00 AM - 10:00 AM**

**Location: D1.09**

**Keynote Speech: Bernard Black**

***Bloopers: How Smart People Get Causal Inference Wrong* (introduced by Christoph Engel)**

## **Parallel Sessions IV – 10.15 AM – 12.00 PM**

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**06/22/2016 - 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM**

**Location: C0.23**

**Competition Law**

**Session Chair:** Robert J. Jackson Jr., Columbia University - Law School

[Does Antitrust Policy Promote Market Innovation and Competitiveness?](#)

Anu Bradford, Columbia University

**Sharyn O'Halloran**, Columbia University - School of International & Public Affairs (SIPA)

Nathaniel Sokol, Columbia University

Discussant: Michael Hellwig, Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW) - Competition and Regulation Research Group

[Determinants of Antitrust Enforcement in the European Union: An Empirical Analysis](#)

Anu Bradford, Columbia University

**Robert J. Jackson Jr.**, Columbia University - Law School

Discussant: Nathaniel Sokol, Columbia University

[Settlements and Appeals in the European Commission's Cartel Cases: An Empirical Assessment](#)

**Michael Hellwig**, Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW) - Competition and Regulation Research Group

Kai Hüschelrath, Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW) Ulrich

Laitenberger, Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW)

Discussant: Robert J. Jackson Jr., Columbia University - Law School

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**Location: C2.05**

**Corporate Law and Governance I**

**Session Chair:** Suren Gomtsian, Tilburg Law School

[Private Ordering of Exit in Limited Liability Companies: Theory and Evidence from Business Organization Contracts](#)

**Suren Gomtsian**, Tilburg Law School

Discussant: Benjamin Engst, Leibniz Universität Hannover

[Older and Wiser, or Too Old to Govern? \\_](#)

Ronald W. Masulis, UNSW Business School

Cong Wang, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK) - Department of Finance

Fei Xie, University of Delaware

**Shuran Zhang**, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK) - Department of Finance

Discussant: Navajyoti Samanta, University of Sheffield - Law School

[The Impact of Adopting Shareholder Primacy Corporate Governance on the Growth of the Financial Market in Developing Countries](#)

**Navajyoti Samanta**, University of Sheffield - Law School

Discussant: Suren Gomtsian, Tilburg Law School

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**Criminal Justice**

**Session Chair:** Daniel Herold, University of Giessen

[Estimating Racial Differences in Wrongful Conviction Rates](#)

David Bjerck, Claremont Colleges - Robert Day School of Economics and Finance

**Eric Helland**, Claremont Colleges - Robert Day School of Economics and Finance

Discussant: Roe Sarel, Frankfurt School of Finance & Management

Gemeinnützige GmbH

[Judicial Errors, Crime Deterrence and Appeals: Evidence from U.S. Federal Courts](#)

**Roe Sarel**, Frankfurt School of Finance & Management Gemeinnützige GmbH

Discussant: Eric Tally, Columbia University - Law School

[The Deterrent Effect of the Death Penalty? Evidence from British Commutations](#)



[During World War I](#)

**Daniel L. Chen**, University of Toulouse 1 - Toulouse School of Economics  
Institute for Advanced Studies/Harvard Law School LWP  
Discussant: Daniel Herold, University of Giessen

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**06/22/2016 - 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM**

**Location: C3.05**

**Law & Finance II**

**Session Chair:** Robert Bartlett, University of California, Berkeley - School of Law

[The Consumer Financial Protection Bureau: A Five Year Retrospective](#)

**Robert E. Krainer**, University of Wisconsin - Madison - Department of Finance,  
Investment and Banking  
Discussant: Wulf Kaal, University of St. Thomas - School of Law (Minnesota)

[Debt Contract Terms and Creditor Control](#)

**Adam B. Badawi**, Washington University in Saint Louis - School of Law  
Discussant: Tolga Caskurlu, University of Amsterdam Business School

[Development or Democracy? Explaining Outcomes in Investment Treaty Arbitration](#)

**Daniel Behn**, Pluricourts  
Malcolm Langford, University of Oslo  
Tarald Laudal Berge, University of Oslo - Department of Political Science  
Discussant:  
Robert Bartlett, University of California, Berkeley - School of Law

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**Location: D1.09**

**Litigation and Courts II**

**Session Chair:** Stephan Tontrup, New York University School of Law

[Is Pleading Really a Bargain?: Evidence from North Carolina](#)

David Abrams, University of Pennsylvania Law School  
**Ryan Fackler**, University of Pennsylvania  
Discussant: Bryan McCannon, West Virginia University - College of Business &  
Economics

[Prudent Plea Bargaining](#)

**Bryan C. McCannon**, West Virginia University - College of Business & Economics

Mark Wilson, Saint Bonaventure University  
Discussant: Ryan Fackler, University of Pennsylvania

[Do Lawyers Know Uncertainty When They See It?](#)

Oliver Belitz, University of Mannheim - Faculty of Law  
**Andreas Engert**, University of Mannheim - Faculty of Law  
Andreas Michl, University of Mannheim - Faculty of Law  
Discussant: Stephan Tontrup, New York University School of Law

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**Judges and Judging IV**

**Session Chair:** Josephine De Jaegere, University of Antwerp - Research Group Law & Government

[Judging Under Political Constraint: The Ecuadorean Case \(2008-2015\)](#)

**Jose Luis Castro-Montero**, Tilburg  
University Gijs van Dijck, Tilburg University  
Discussant: Jens Frankenreiter, ETH Zurich

[Addressing an External Audience: An Empirical Analysis of the Citation Practices of the Belgian Constitutional Court](#)

**Josephine De Jaegere**, University of Antwerp - Research Group Law & Government  
Discussant: Jose Luis Castro-Montero, Tilburg University

[Are Advocates General Political? Policy Preferences of EU Member State Governments and the Voting Behavior of Members of the European Court of Justice](#)

**Jens Frankenreiter**, ETH Zurich  
Discussant: Josephine De Jaegere, University of Antwerp - Research Group Law & Government

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**Location: C3.17**

**Law & Society I**

**Session Chair:** Catrina Denvir, University of Sydney - Faculty of Law

[Wrong About Rights: Public Knowledge of Key Areas of Consumer, Housing and Employment Law](#)

Nigel J. Balmer, Faculty of Law, University College London

Pascoe Pleasence, Government of the United Kingdom - Legal Services Research Centre  
**Catrina Denvir**, University of Sydney - Faculty of Law  
Discussant: Angela Huyue Zhang, King's College London - The Dickson Poon School of Law

[The Faceless Court](#)

**Angela Huyue Zhang**, King's College London - The Dickson Poon School of Law  
Discussant: Christina Eckes, University of Amsterdam

[Trust in Legal Institutions: An Empirical Approach from a Social Capital Perspective](#)

**Mariana Zuleta Ferrari**, Tilburg Law School  
Discussant: Catrina Denvir, University of Sydney - Faculty of Law

## Parallel Sessions V – 1.30 PM – 3.15 PM

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Location: C3.17

Torts

Session Chair: Gijs van Dijck, Tilburg University

[Consumers' Costly Response to Product Safety Threats: Evidence from a Major Food Scare](#)

**Rosa Ferrer**, Universitat Pompeu Fabra - Faculty of Economic and Business Sciences  
Helena Perrone, Universitat Pompeu Fabra  
Discussant: Christian Thöni, University of Lausanne

[Victim Oriented Tort Law in Action: An Empirical Examination of Catholic Church Sexual Abuse Cases](#)

**Gijs van Dijck**, Tilburg University  
Discussant: Eric Helland, Claremont Colleges - Robert Day School of Economics and Finance

[Legal Compliance and Litigation Spending Under the English and American Rule: Theory and Experimental Evidence](#)

Baptiste Massenet, Goethe University Frankfurt  
Maria Maraki, University of Lausanne **Christian Thöni**, University of Lausanne  
Discussant: Gijs van Dijck, Tilburg University

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Location: C2.05

Corporate Law and Governance II

Session Chair: Nicolae Stef, University of Strasbourg

[How Do Bankruptcy Systems Perform in Eastern Europe?](#)

Régis Blazy, University of Strasbourg  
**Nicolae Stef**, University of Strasbourg  
Discussant: José Azar, University of Navarra, IESE Business School

[Ownership and Innovation: Evidence from Swiss Listed Firms](#)

**Marcello Puca**, University of Lugano  
Massimiliano Vatiero, University of Lugano  
Discussant: Rafael Ribas, University of Amsterdam - Finance Group  
[Predicting Cartel Formation](#)

**Daniel Herold**, University of Giessen  
Johannes Paha, University of Giessen  
Discussant: Nicolae Stef, University of Strasbourg

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### **Criminal Law II**

**Session Chair:** Gregory DeAngelo, West Virginia University - Department of Economics

#### [Criminals and the Price System: Evidence from Czech Metal Thieves](#)

Tomáš Brabenec, University of Economics, Prague

**Josef Montag**, Independent

Discussant: Giovanni Mastrobuoni, University of Essex - Department of Economics

#### [Police Bias in the Enforcement of Drug Crimes: Evidence from Low Priority Laws](#)

**Gregory J. DeAngelo**, West Virginia University - Department of Economics

R. Kaj Kaj Gittings, Texas Tech University - Department of Economics and Geography

Amanda Ross, West Virginia University - Department of Economics

Anne W. Walker, University of Colorado at Denver - College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

Discussant: Josef Montag, Independent

#### [Criminal Discount Factors and Deterrence](#)

**Giovanni Mastrobuoni**, University of Essex - Department of Economics

David A. Rivers, University of Western Ontario - Department of Economics

Discussant: Gregory DeAngelo, West Virginia University - Department of Economics

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### **Judges and Judging V**

**Session Chair:** Daniel L. Chen, University of Toulouse 1 - Toulouse School of Economics Institute for Advanced Studies/Harvard Law School LWP

#### [The Performance of Elected Officials: Evidence from State Supreme Courts](#)

**Elliott Ash**, Columbia Business School - Economics Department

W. Bentley MacLeod, Columbia University, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences,

Department of Economics

Discussant: Chris Hanretty, University of East Anglia (UEA) - School of Political, Social and International Studies

[Are Judges Political Animals after All? Quasi-Experimental Evidence from the German Federal Constitutional Court](#)

**Thomas Gschwend**, University of Mannheim - Department of Political Science  
Sebastian Sternberg, University of Mannheim Graduate School of Economic and Social Sciences  
Steffen Zittlau, University of Mannheim, School of Social Sciences, Department of Political Science  
Discussant: Elliott Ash, Columbia Business School - Economics Department

[Refugee Roulette Revisited: Judicial Preference Variation and Aggregation on the Swiss Federal Administrative Court 2007-2012](#)

Dominik Hangartner, London School of Economics & Political Science (LSE)  
Benjamin E. Lauderdale, London School of Economics & Political Science (LSE)  
**Judith Spirig**, University of Zurich - Institute for Political Science  
Discussant: Daniel Chen, University of Toulouse 1 - Toulouse School of Economics  
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**Law & Politics I**

**Session Chair:** Christoph Hoennige, Leibniz Universität Hannover - Institute of Political Sciences

[Venture Capital as Dynamic Regulation of Disruptive Innovation](#)

Wulf A. Kaal, University of St. Thomas - School of Law (Minnesota)  
**Erik P. M. Vermeulen**, Tilburg Law School  
Discussant: Anthony Niblett, University of Toronto - Faculty of Law

[The Value of the Right to Vote](#)

**Stephan Tontrup**, New York University School of Law  
Rebecca Morton, New York University (NYU) - Department of Politics  
Discussant: Erik P. M. Vermeulen, Tilburg Law School

[When Councils of the Judiciary Become a Threat to Judicial Independence. A mvQCA Analysis](#)

**Pablo José Castillo Ortiz**, University of Sheffield  
Discussant: Christoph Hoennige, Leibniz Universität Hannover - Institute of Political Sciences

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**Location: C0.23**

## **Law & Psychology II**

**Session Chair:** Yuval Feldman, Bar-Ilan University - Faculty of Law

[Buyers Beware: Online Pricing in Operation! How the Framing of Mandated Behavioral Pricing Disclosure Influences Intention to Purchase](#)

**Willem H. Van Boom**, Leiden University - Leiden Law

School Jean-Pierre van der Rest, Leiden University

Kees van den Bos, Utrecht University - Department of Social and Organizational Psychology

Mark Dechesne, Leiden University

Discussant: Marco Fabbri, Erasmus University Rotterdam (EUR) - Rotterdam Institute of Law and Economics

[Can we Regulate 'Good' People in Subtle Conflicts of Interest Situations](#)

**Yuval Feldman**, Bar-Ilan University - Faculty of Law

Eliran Halali, Stanford Graduate School of Business

Discussant: Christoph Engel, Max Planck Society for the Advancement of the Sciences - Max Planck Institute for Research on Collective Goods

[Adding a Carrot to the Stick? A Field Experiment on the Use of Lotteries Against Free-Riding](#)

Paolo Nicola Barbieri, Göteborg University - School of Business, Economics and Law

Maria Bigoni, University of Bologna

**Marco Fabbri**, Erasmus University Rotterdam (EUR) - Rotterdam Institute of Law and Economics

Discussant: Yuval Feldman, Bar-Ilan University - Faculty of Law

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## **Law & Finance III**

**Session Chair:** Assaf Hamdani, Hebrew University of Jerusalem - Faculty of Law

[What Happened in 1998? The Demise of the Small IPO and the Investing Preferences of Mutual Funds](#)

**Robert P. Bartlett III**, University of California, Berkeley - School of Law Paul Rose, Ohio State University (OSU) - Michael E. Moritz College of Law Steven Davidoff Solomon, University of California, Berkeley - School of Law

Discussant: Kate Litvak, Northwestern University - Pritzker School of Law

[Incentive Fees and Competition in Pension Funds: Evidence from a Regulatory Experiment](#)

**Assaf Hamdani**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem - Faculty of Law

Eugene Kandel, Hebrew University of Jerusalem - Department of Economics Yevgeny

Mugerman, Hebrew University of Jerusalem - Jerusalem School of Business Administration

Yishay Yafeh, Hebrew University of Jerusalem - Jerusalem School of Business Administration  
Discussant: Adam Badawi, Washington University in Saint Louis - School of Law

[Did the Dodd-Frank Act Impact Private Fund Performance? – Evidence from 2010-2015](#)

**Wulf A. Kaal**, University of St. Thomas - School of Law (Minnesota)

Barbara Luppi, Università degli studi di Modena e Reggio Emilia (UNIMORE) - Faculty of Business and Economics

Sandra Paterlini, EBS Universität für Wirtschaft und Recht

Discussant: Assaf Hamdani, Hebrew University of Jerusalem - Faculty of Law



## **Parallel Sessions VI – 3.30 PM – 4.40 PM**

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**Location: C0.23**

### **Contract & Property Law**

**Session Chair:** Guilherme de Oliveira, University of Amsterdam - Amsterdam Center for Law & Economics (ACLE)

#### [Turnover or Cash? Sharecropping in the US South](#)

**Guilherme de Oliveira**, University of Amsterdam - Amsterdam Center for Law & Economics (ACLE)

Discussant: Paul Heald, University of Illinois College of Law

#### [Being Bourgeois: The Emergence of Private Property in the Lab](#)

Marco Fabbri, Erasmus University Rotterdam (EUR) - Rotterdam Institute of Law and Economics

**Matteo Rizzoli**, Free University of Bozen-Bolzano - School of Economics

Discussant: Guilherme de Oliveira, University of Amsterdam - Amsterdam Center for Law & Economics (ACLE)

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### **Corporate Law and Governance III**

**Session Chair:** Marcello Puca, University of Lugano

#### [Say on Pay: Do Shareholders Care?](#)

**Carsten Gerner-Beuerle**, London School of Economics - Law Department

Tom Kirchmaier, London School of Economics & Political Science (LSE) - Financial Markets Group

Discussant: Torsten Jochem, University of Amsterdam

#### [Ultimate Ownership and Bank Competition](#)

**José Azar**, University of Navarra, IESE Business School Sahil

Raina, University of Michigan at Ann Arbor - Finance

Martin C. Schmalz, University of Michigan, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

Discussant: Marcello Puca, University of Lugano

**06/22/2016 - 3:30 PM – 4:40 PM**

**Location: C2.17**

**Law & Politics II**

**Session Chair:** Pablo José Castillo Ortiz, University of Sheffield

[Veto Players, Veto Bargaining and Constitutional Courts: Theoretical Considerations and Empirical Lessons](#)

**Christoph Hoennige**, Leibniz Universität Hannover - Institute of Political Sciences

Thomas Gschwend, University of Mannheim - Department of Political Science

Benjamin G. Engst, Leibniz Universität Hannover

Caroline Wittig, University of Mannheim

Discussant: Elliott Ash, Columbia Business School - Economics Department

[Legal Signals and Policy Change: A Text Analysis of a Causal Model Reassessing Autolimitation](#)

**Benjamin G. Engst**, Leibniz Universität Hannover Discussant:

Pablo José Castillo Ortiz, University of Sheffield

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**Law & Society II**

**Session Chair:** Rosa Ferrer, Universitat Pompeu Fabra - Faculty of Economic and Business Sciences

[Compliance Externalities: Field Evidence of Morally Tutelary Influence?](#)

**Sven Hoepfner**, Ghent University

Marco Fabbri, Erasmus University Rotterdam (EUR) - Rotterdam Institute of Law and Economics

Discussant: Daniel Nagin, Carnegie Mellon University - H. John Heinz III School of Public Policy and Management

[Procedural Justice and Legal Compliance: A Review of the Evidence](#)

**Daniel Nagin**, Carnegie Mellon University - H. John Heinz III School of Public Policy and Management

Discussant: Rosa Ferrer, Universitat Pompeu Fabra - Faculty of Economic and Business Sciences

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**Location: C3.17**

**Litigation and Courts III**

**Session Chair:** Myriam Doriat-Duban, University of Lorraine - Department of Economics

[Unintended Consequences: The Regressive Effects of Increased Access to Courts](#)

**Anthony Niblett**, University of Toronto - Faculty of Law

Albert Yoon, University of Toronto - Faculty of Law

Discussant: Kamil Jonski, Ministry of Justice

[Stuck in the Mud - Procedural Framework and Court Efficiency in Continental Systems](#)

**Kamil Jonski**, Ministry of Justice

Discussant: Myriam Doriat-Duban, University of Lorraine - Department of Economics

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**06/22/2016 - 3:30 PM – 4:40 PM**

**Location: D1.09**

**Tax Law**

**Session Chair:** Jaroslaw Kantorowicz, Erasmus University Rotterdam (EUR)

[Perpetual Influence of Empires: Evidence from Polish Municipalities](#)

**Jaroslaw Kantorowicz**, Erasmus University Rotterdam (EUR)

Discussant: Judith Spirig, University of Zurich - Institute for Political Science

[The Effect of Tax Expenditures on Automatic Stabilizers: Methods and Evidence](#)

Hautahi Kingi, Cornell University - Department of Economics

**Kyle Rozema**, Northwestern University - Pritzker School of Law Discussant:

Jaroslaw Kantorowicz, Erasmus University Rotterdam (EUR)

**5:00 PM – 6:00 PM**

**Location: D1.09**

**Keynote Speech: Ian Ayres *Field Experiments and Law* (introduced by Christoph Engel)**

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