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Conference:

The future of EU Private Law

Centre of European Law, Dickson Poon School of Law, King's College London,

Friday, 8 February 2019

Organised by Dr Mateja Durovic and Professor Takis Tridimas

Conference venue: River Room, Kings College London, Strand Campus
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Day 1 - Thursday, 7 February 2019:

Arrival of the participants to London

Conference Dinner at 8pm-10.30pm – *speakers and invited guests only*

Day 2 - Friday, 8 February 2019:

8.30am-8.55am – Registration and coffee

8.55am-9.10am – Welcome and Opening speech – Gillian Douglas, Dean of Dickson Poon School of Law, King's College London, UK

Panel I

1. 9.10am - 9.30am, Roger Brownsword, King's College London, UK - **Keynote speech:** '*Political Disruption, Legal Disruption and the Future of EU Private Law*'
2. 9.30am – 9.45am, Lucinda Miller, UCL, UK: '*The protection of interests beyond the contractual relationship: A step in the wrong direction for EU contract law?*'

3. 9.45am – 10am, Francisco de Elizalde, IE University, Spain: *'The future of contract terms: implication and control'*
4. 10am – 10.15am – Georgios Dimitropoulos, HBKU Law School, Qatar: *'Blockchain Law: Between Public and Private, Transnational and Domestic'*
5. 10.15am – 10.30am, Andre Janssen, Radboud University Nijmegen, The Netherlands: *'Smart Contracts: Do They Make a Revision of European Private Law Necessary?'*

10.30am- 10.55am *Discussion*

10.55am – 11.10am *Coffee break*

Panel II

1. 11.10am-11.25am – Valeria Falce, Università Europea di Roma, Italy: *'Geoblocking between public and private enforcement'*
2. 11.25am-11.40am – Michel Cannarsa, UC Lyon, France: *'Extra-contractual liability in the context of new technologies'*
3. 11.40am -11.55am – Franz Hofmann, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg, Germany: *'Remedies in European Private Law'*
4. 11.55am -12.10noon – Christina Poncibo and Oscar Borgogno, University of Torino, Italy/Oxford University, UK: *'Who can save European Private Law? Dissident Voices'*

12.10am - 12.30noon – *Discussion*

Lunch 12.30noon – 1.30pm – Lunch - speakers and invited guests only

Panel III

1. 1.30pm – 1.50pm – Hans W. Micklitz, EUI, Italy, **Keynote speech:** *'The Future of European Private Law'*
2. 1.50pm – 2.05pm – Andrej Savin, Copenhagen Business School, Denmark: *'Contracts for the supply of digital content in EU law'*
3. 2.05pm – 2.20pm – Vassilis Hatzopoulos, Panteion University, Greece: *'Regulation of the sharing economy'*
4. 2.20pm – 2.35pm – Menno Cox, European Commission, Belgium: *'Online Platforms and the Digital Single Market'*

2.35pm – 3pm – *Discussion*

3pm – 3.15pm – *Coffee break*

Panel IV

1. 3.15pm – 3.35pm – Takis Tridimas, King's College London, UK, – **Keynote speech:** *'Implied rights of action in EU law: an untold story'*
2. 3.35pm – 3.50pm – Lorenzo Schiano di Pepe, University of Genova, Italy: *'Names and other personal statuses under EU law'*

3. 3.50pm - 4.05pm - Anne-Lise Sibony, UCLouvain, Belgium: *'Is Empowerment the Future of European Consumer Law?'*
4. 4.05pm - 4.20pm - Eileen Sheehan, Court of Justice of the European Union, Luxembourg: *The case-law of the CJEU on Directive 98/34/EC (Directive (EU) 2015/1535)'*

4.20pm - 4.45pm - Discussion

4.45 - 5pm - *Final Conclusions by Mateja Durovic*

6.30pm - 8.30pm Informal Dinner (invitation only)