

Conference

„EU International Insolvency Law and Third Countries – Which Ways Forward?“

Provisional programme (as of 20 Jan. 2022)

Conference on 1 Feb 2022. Hosts: Prof. Alexander Trunk (Kiel University) and Prof. Jasnica Garašić (University of Zagreb)

The Conference will be held in hybrid format (via ZOOM and on site at Kiel University).

ZOOM link: <https://uni-kiel.zoom.us/j/62752205954?pwd=c0tBRkdkcDFxalR4WU1sSG1tbktTQT09>

Access to the conference is free of charge, but requires advance registration by email to intins@law.uni-kiel.de (with indication of name/institution, function, country of origin). Conference Speakers are registered automatically.

The above-mentioned email address is also available for further information requests about the conference and the research project on EU International Insolvency Law and Third Countries.

Part I: General

9.30 - 9.45 Opening of the Conference

9.45 – 10.00 Mr. Miha Žebre, European Commission, Current activities in the European Commission on cross-border (international) insolvency law

10.00 – 10.15 Mr. José Angelo Estrella-Faria, Principal Legal Officer, UNCITRAL, Current activities in UNCITRAL on cross-border insolvency law

10.15 – 10.30 Discussion

10.30 – 10.45 Prof. Alexander Trunk: Overview of the planned project: present state, issues to be addressed, method

10.45 – 11.00 Coffee break

Part II: Specific issues (examples)

11.00 – 11.20 Prof. and Judge Supr. Ct. Georg Kodek: Issues of recognition

11.20 – 11.40 Ass.Prof. and Lawyer Henriette Boscheinen-Duursma and Prof. Iryna Izarova: Cooperation between administrators in parallel (concurrent) insolvency proceedings (*tbc*)

11.40 – 12.00 Discussion

12.00 – 12.40 Prof. Christoph Paulus and Prof. Gerard McCormack: Issues of EU-UK relations in insolvency matters

12.40 – 13.00 Discussion

13.00 – 14.00 Lunch break

14.00 – 14.20 Prof. Elina Moustaira: Universality and territoriality

14.20 – 14.40 Prof. and Lawyer Daniel Staehelin and Dr. Elodie Kleider: Universality in EU main insolvency proceedings involving assets and creditors located in Switzerland

14.40 – 15.00 Prof. Jasnica Garašić: Information of creditors

15.00 – 15.20 Prof. Stephan Madaus: The use of ADR in cross-border insolvency cases – chances, obstacles and room for improvement

15.20 – 15.45 Discussion

15.45 – 16.00 Coffee break

16.00 – 16.30 Views from outside

Prof. Susan Block-Lieb: U.S.

Prof. Vladimir Yarkov and Prof. Konstantin Branovitskiy: Russia

16.30 – 17.00 Discussion and Wrap-up statements

17.00 – 17.30 Coffee Break

Part III: Organization of the project

This part of the conference is reserved for participants in the research project on EU International Insolvency Law and Third Countries. The ZOOM link will be sent individually. Persons interested in becoming participants in the project may be admitted to this part of the conference. Please contact in this case intins@law.uni-kiel.de.