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Regards dystopiques sur le droit



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DAY 1 / 1^{re} JOURNÉE

Monday, June 19, 2023 / Lundi 19 juin 2023

8:30-9:15 **Welcome / Registration**

9:15-9:30 **PLENARY SESSION — OPENING & WELCOMING ADDRESS**

- *Olivier Moréteau*, Louisiana State University (United States), President (from remote)
- *Salvatore Mancuso*, University of Palermo (Italy), Vice President (Conferences)
- *Ignazio Castellucci*, University of Teramo (Italy), Vice President (Projects)

9:30-10:30 **PLENARY SESSION - KEYNOTE SPEECH 1**

Chair: *Ignazio Castellucci*, University of Teramo (Italy)

- **What if... the Roe v. Wade case had not existed?**
Barbara Pozzo, University of Insubria (Italy)

10:30-11:00 **Coffee break**

11:00-12:30 **SESSION 1**

1A – Anglo-American dystopias

Chair: *Salvatore Mancuso*, University of Palermo (Italy)

- **From William the Bastard to William the Conqueror: what if the Norman invaders had been rejected on the shores of Sussex?**,
Francesco Paolo Traisci, University of Molise, Campobasso (Italy)
- **Leibniz and George I: An alternate history of Anglophone law for the global age**,
Joseph P. Garske, (United States)
- **A brilliant future behind its back: the irresolute advance of privacy in the US tort law realm**,
Biagio Andò, University of Catania (Italy)

12:30-14:30 LUNCH

14:30-16:00 SESSION 2 (PARALLEL SESSIONS)

2A – Gender equality and family law

Chair: *Antonello Miranda*, University of Palermo (Italy)

- **Intersectionality and gender strategies in traditional/minority leadership contexts: a comparison between South Africa and Germany**,
Kyriaki Topidi & Christa Rautenbach, European Centre for Minority Issues (Germany) and North-West University (South Africa)
- **Sliding doors on protection of women’s rights in Islamic Africa. Women’s agency in Sudan legal development**,
Maria Gabriela Mata Carnevali, University of Palermo (Italy)
- **Nationalization and re-privatization of family properties in 20th century Romania**,
Ilyés Kinga, Sapientia Hungarian University of Transylvania (Romania)

2B – Regards dystopiques sur la religion, le langage et l’animalité

Présidence : *Lukas Heckendorn Urscheler*, Institut suisse de droit comparé (Suisse)

- **Axiomes religieux : réalité contre fiction**,
Jihane Benarafa, Université de Milan (Italie)
- **Et si la loi du 10 juillet 1976 n’avait pas reconnu la sensibilité de l’animal ?**,
Sonia Desmoulin, Université de Nantes (France)
- **Langage, langage du droit et traduction : fictions, utopies ou dystopies ?**,
Jean-Claude Gémar, Université de Montréal (Canada)

16:00-16:30 Coffee break

16:30—18:00 SESSION 3 (PARALLEL SESSIONS)

3A – Dystopian visions from Eastern Europe

Chair: *Ignazio Castellucci*, University of Teramo (Italy)

- **Laws in general and criminal laws in particular serve a very specific purpose: to maintain the impregnability of the existing social order”**: evolution of the Criminal Code in Putin’s Russia,
Asya Ostroukh, University of the West Indies (Barbados)
- **Problems of legal discontinuity of the former Soviet Socialist Republics after the disintegration of the USSR**,
Maryna Vahabava, University of Teramo (Italy)
- **Utopia becomes dystopia: non-pecuniary damage in soviet-style dictatorships**,
Emőd Veress, University of Miskolc (Hungary)

3B – Regards dystopiques croisés

Chair: *Anne Tercinet*, EMLyon Business School, Lyon (France)

- **L'influence de l'histoire sur le choix du code civil en vigueur en Grèce,**
Dimitra Tsiaklagkanou, Université d'Athènes (Grèce)
- **Si l'alliance franco-amérindienne avait triomphé ? 1759-2023 codification, négociation et justice autochtone en Amérique du Nord**
David Gilles & Michael Coyle, Universités de Sherbrooke et Western Ontario (Canada)
- **L'échec du référendum français de 1969 : un constitutionnalisme social inabouti ?**,
Alexis Bugada, University of Aix-Marseille (France)

DAY 2 / 2^e JOURNÉE

Tuesday, June 20, 2023 / Mardi 20 juin 2023

9:30-10:30 **PLENARY SESSION - KEYNOTE SPEECH 2**

Chair: *Salvatore Mancuso*, University of Palermo (Italy)

- **La toge ou le turban ? Le juge constitutionnel d'Irak et l'Islam,**
Harith Al-Dabbagh, Université de Montréal (Canada)

10:30-11:00 **Coffee break**

11:00-12:30 **SESSION 4 (PARALLEL SESSIONS)**

4A – Dystopias in codification

Chair: *Anne M. Tercinet*, EMLyon Business School, Lyon (France)

- **The construction of alternative legal comparisons. How to imagine a world without the Corpus Iuris Civilis,**
Gianmatteo Sabatino, Zhongnan University of Economy and the Law - Wuhan (China)
- **Dystopian or not: alternate realities for Thibaut and von Savigny's codification debate,**
Markus G. Puder, Loyola University New Orleans (United States)
- **Dystopian competition law,**
Andrea Piletta Massaro, University of Turin (Italy)

4B – Information technology and artificial intelligence as sources of dystopia

Chair: *Anthony Diala*, University of the Western Cape (South Africa)

- **Subliminal artificial intelligence: between 'black box' and 'digital magic'?**,
Rostam J. Neuwirth, University of Macau (China)
- **Dystopian literature and ICT society,**
Fulvia Abbondante, University of Naples Federico II (Italy)
- **Artificial intelligence and legal subjectivity,**
Bruno Tassone, Universitas Mercatorum (Italy)

12:30-14:30 LUNCH

14:30-16:00 SESSION 5 (PARALLEL SESSIONS)

5A – Constitutional dystopias

Chair: *Christa Rautenbach*, North-West University (South Africa)

- **Constitutional history and constitutional identity as a living instrument in parliamentary practice? Revisiting the Hungarian model,**
Boldizsár Szentgáli-Tóth, Institute for Legal Studies - Budapest (Hungary)
- **Locus standi in the CJEU for individuals - the failed Constitutiona Treaty versus the Lisbon amendments, quo vadis?,**
Ivan Sammut, University of Malta (Malta)
- **Fundamental rights violation in contemporary dystopian television with a special focus on the principle of equality,**
Miriam Klema, University of Innsbruck (Austria)
- **Fake constitutional history in the service of political power**
Zoltán Szente and Fruzsina Gárdos-Orosz, National University of Public Service and Institute for Legal Studies - Budapest (Hungary)

5B – Judicial dystopias

Chair: *Lukas Heckendorn Urscheler*, Swiss Institute of Comparative Law (Switzerland)

- **Betraying the Maltese Utopia: the cruel backdrop of the first jury trials in Malta,**
David Zammit, University of Malta (Malta)
- **Without Colbert, would justice have been relegated behind the administration in France?,**
Hugues Bouthinon-Dumas, ESSEC Business School (France)
- **Policing with guns: what if the paramilitary Irish police model had been introduced in Malta in 1847?,**
Mary Muscat, University of Malta (Malta)

16:00-16:30 Coffee break

16:30-17:30 PLENARY SESSION – GENERAL MEETING OF JURIS DIVERSITAS

Chair: *Olivier Moréteau*, President of Juris Diversitas (from remote)

20:00 JURIS DIVERSITAS CONFERENCE DINNER at “La Locanda del Gusto”

DAY 3 / 3^e JOURNÉE

Wednesday, June 21, 2023 / Mercredi 21 juin 2023

9:00-9:30 PLENARY SESSION - KEYNOTE SPEECH 3

Chair: *Ignazio Castellucci*, University of Palermo (Italy)

- **Surfing dead,**
Antonello Miranda, University of Palermo (Italy)

9:30-11:00 SESSION 6 (PARALLEL SESSIONS)

6A – Farming, gambling, and notarial dystopias

Chair: *Rostam J. Neuwirth*, University of Macau (China)

- **Once upon a farm: farm novels and the law,**
Elmien du Plessis, North-West University (South Africa)
- **Taking morality away from gambling contracts,**
Nadia Coggiola, University of Turin (Italy)
- **The (alleged?) evolution of public notary deeds after covid-19 pandemic,**
Luigi Venusio Tamburrino, University of Teramo (Italy)

6B – Dystopian tales of queer children, double surnames and whistleblowers

Chair: *Christa Rautenbach*, North-West University (South Africa)

- **On fairy tales, queer children and human rights: rewriting Macatè,**
Camilla Crea & Matteo M. Winkler, University of Sannio (Italy) and HEC Paris (France)
- **Money incentives for whistleblowers of corruption in municipalities: a dystopian perspective,**
Johandri Wright, North-West University (South Africa)
- **Some comparative reflections on the unsolved question of double surname,**
Domitilla Vanni, University of Palermo (Italy)

11:00-11:30 Coffee break

11:30-13:00 SESSION 7 (PARALLEL SESSIONS)

7A – Dystopian international law?

Chair: *Gianmatteo Sabatino*, Zhongnan University of Economy and the Law - Wuhan (China)

- **Indigenous Approaches to Peacebuilding,**
Anthony Diala, University of the Western Cape (South Africa)

- **Cultural Heritage Divided by (International) Law: The Case of North Macedonia,**
Alexandr Svetlicinii, University of Macau (China)
- **The BRICS Organization: a real threat to the West?,**
Marta Bono, University of Palermo (Italy)

7B – Fantômes dystopiques dans la loi et les conventions internationales

Chair: *Anne Tercinet, EMLyon Business School, Lyon (France)*

- **Interprétation dystopique de la Convention internationale CMR,**
Dimitra Tsiaklagkanou, Université d'Athènes (Greece)
- **Et si la Convention internationale relative aux droits des personnes handicapées (CIDPH) n'avait pas été adoptée ?,**
Paul Véron, Université de Nantes (France)
- **La loi fantasmagorique. Entre dystopie surmoïque et utopie sociale,**
Dario Alparone, Université de Rennes 2 (France)

13:00—13:15 PLENARY SESSION – CLOSING REMARKS

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE: *Olivier Moréteau, Salvatore Mancuso, Ignazio Castellucci, Christa Rautenbach, Lukas Heckendorn Urscheler, Gianmatteo Sabatino, Marta Bono.*