



TTIP and Beyond...

Negotiating and implementing the EU's Free Trade Agreements in an uncertain environment

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THURSDAY JUNE 15TH

14h30 Introductory Report

Isabelle Bosse-Platière and Cécile Rapoport, Professors, University of Rennes 1

I. The Uncertain Negotiating and Concluding Process of TTIP and Other FTAs

→ *Exclusive, Shared or Mixed Competences ?*

Chair : Lucia Serena Rossi, Professor, University of Bologna

14h50 La compétence de l'UE pour conclure les accords commerciaux après l'avis

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Christine Kaddous, Professor, University of Geneva

15h10 The Negotiation of EU's FTAs after Opinion 2/15 of the ECJ

Fernando Castillo de la Torre, European Commission

15h30 The Choice for Mixity : an Unrestricted Political Choice ?

Dr. Merijn Chamon, University of Ghent

**15h50 Debate
Break**

→ *A risk for EU's integrity ?*

Chair : Andrea Biondi, Professor, King's College London

16h30 Autonomy Claim and External Action Objectives

Eleftheria Neframi, Professor and Mauro Gatti, Research fellow, University of Luxembourg

16h50 The Loyalty Principle in the Conclusion, Interpretation and Implementation of New Generation's EUFTAs

Frederico Casolari, Associate Professor, University of Bologna

17h10 Empowering the UK to Negotiate a Deep Trade Agreement

Nanette Neuwahl, Professor, Université de Montréal

17h30 Debate

FRIDAY JUNE 16TH

→ *Democracy and Transparency as a Challenge ?*

Chair : Marc Maresceau, Professor, University of Ghent

9h The Role of National Parliaments in the Negotiation and Ratification Process of EU's FTAs

Carlo Tovo, Post-doctoral Fellow, University of Bologna

9h20 Le positionnement du Parlement européen sur le projet de TTIP

Josiane Auvret-Fink, Professor, University of Nice

9h40 Stakeholder Consultation in Impact Assessments : Towards a Transatlantic Synthesis ?

Jean-Baptiste Velut, Senior Lecturer, University of Sorbonne Nouvelle

10h The Role of European Citizens' Initiative in the Negotiation and Implementation of FTAs

Louis-Marie Chauvel, Ph.D. Researcher, University of Rennes 1

**10h20 Debate
Break**

II. The Uncertain Functioning of TTIP and Other FTAs

→ *The Post-Signature Period : New Legal Imbroglions Coming Up ?*

Chair : Christine Kaddous, Professor, University of Geneva

11h The Provisional Application of CETA : International and EU Law Issues

Luca Pantaleo, Lecturer in EU Law, The Hague University of Applied Science

11h20 Provisional Application in Stormy Times

Jan Wouters, Professor, KU Leuven

11h40 The Consequences of Non-Ratification of Mixed Trade Agreements

Dr. Guillaume van der Loo, Centre for European Studies

**12h Debate
Lunch Break**

→ *Institutional Aspects of EU's FTAs : Asset or Limit ?*

Chair : Nanette Neuwahl, Professor, Université de Montréal

14h The TTIP Joint Committee's Powers and Their Implications for EU Institutional Law

Emanuel Castellarin, Professor, University of Strasbourg

14h20 Joint Organs in EU FTAs as a threat to Democracy and possible solutions

Wolfgang Weiss, Professor, German University of Administrative Sciences Speyer

**15h Debate
Break**

→ *Towards an effective implementation : balancing opposite interests ?*

Chair : Alan Hervé, Professor, University of Western Brittany

15h30 L'externalisation du contrôle juridictionnel des accords commerciaux de l'UE : une victoire à la pyrrhus pour l'effectivité du droit international ?

Jean-Félix Delile, Senior Lecturer, University of Lorraine

15h50 Settlement of Disputes in New EU FTAs : « Democratizing » International Adjudication ?

Arnaud de Nanteuil, Professor, University of Paris Est Créteil

16h10 An International Court System for a transformative Europe ?

Giorgia Sanguolo, Ph.D. Researcher, Lawyer, King's College London

16h30 Debate





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