**Title: Family law: Cross-border divorce, maintenance and parental responsibility**

**117DT05, 2-3 February 2017, Prague, Czech Republic**

Thursday, 2 February 2017

08:45 Arrival and registration

09:15 Welcome and introduction

09:30 **Setting the scene: Key aspects of European family law**

*Czech speaker*

10:00 Discussion

10:15 **Cross-border divorce within the EU**

* Jurisdiction, recognition and *lis pendens*
* Applicable law: introduction to Regulation Rome III

*Slovakian speaker*

11:00 Discussion

11:15 Coffee break

11:45 **Cross-border maintenance: The interplay of different instruments**

* Introduction to Regulation 4/2009

*Juliane Hirsch*

12:45 Discussion

13:00 Lunch

14:00 **Maintenance obligations**

* Jurisdiction, recognition and enforcement
* Applicable law: 2007 Hague Protocol
* Cooperation in matters relating to maintenance obligations

*Polish speaker*

14:45 Discussion

15:00 Coffee break

15:30 **Workshop: cross-border maintenance**

*Juliane Hirsch*

16:30 Results of the workshop

17:30 End of the first seminar day

19:30 Dinner

Friday, 3 February 2017

09:00 **Cross-border parental responsibility**

* Rules on jurisdiction, transfer of jurisdiction and provisional measures
* The term ‘habitual residence’ and the importance of the CJEU’s jurisprudence
* Access rights

*Hungarian speaker*

09:45 Discussion

10:00 **Cross-border child abduction within the EU**

* Interrelation between the Brussels IIa Regulation and the 1980 Hague Convention
* Rules and procedure applicable in a (non) return proceeding

*Czech speaker*

10:45 Discussion

11:00 Coffee break

11:30 **Workshop: Cross-border child abduction (coffee and tea will be served during the workshop)**

*All national speakers*

12:30 Results of the workshop

13:30 Light lunch and end of seminar