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The objective of this conference is:

to meet the requirements of insolvency lawyers to stay informed on the latest developments in legislation, jurisprudence and best practice in this field.

Key topics include:

- effects of the opening of insolvency proceedings;
- communication and cooperation between liquidators and courts;
- impact of insolvency on cross-border security and rights *in rem*;
- restructuring and turnaround;
- enterprise groups in insolvency;
- revision of the EU Insolvency Regulation.

Target group is primarily:

lawyers and judges practising in the field of insolvency law, liquidators.

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FORTBILDUNGSVERANSTALTUNG
Eine Bescheinigung zur Vorlage nach
§ 15 FAO (10 Stunden) wird erteilt.

Travel to Trier: the most convenient way to travel is through Luxembourg.
Luxembourg airport to the ERA Conference Centre takes just 30 minutes by car.
www.taxi-franken.de/era

Speakers

Professor Avv Stefania Bariatti, University of Milan; Partner, Chiomenti Studio Legale, Milan

Professor Avv Massimo Benedettelli, University of Bari; Partner, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, Milan

Mr Jérôme Carriat, DG Justice, European Commission, Brussels

Ms Andrea Csöke, Judge at the Supreme Court, Budapest

Dr Anna Hrycaj, Judge at the District Court, Poznań

Professor Andrzej Jakubecki, Member of the Civil Law Codification Commission, Ministry of Justice, Warsaw

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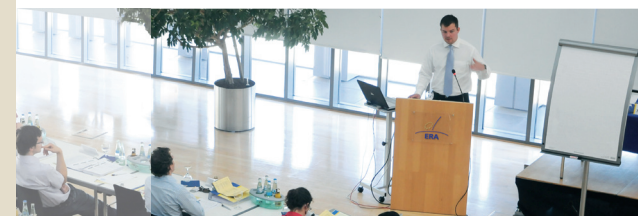
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CROSS-BORDER INSOLVENCY PROCEEDINGS

The EU Insolvency Regulation:
case law, legal practice and revision

Trier, 20-21 October 2011
ERA Conference Centre
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Thursday, 20 October 2011

- 09:00 Arrival and registration
- 09:20 Welcome
- Moderator: *Jennifer Marshall*
- 09:30 **Opening of insolvency proceedings**
- main and territorial insolvency proceedings
 - effects of the opening
- Andrzej Jakubecki*
- 10:15 **Where is the COMI? – Jurisdiction rules in the light of “Interdil”**
- concept of the “centre of main interests”
 - COMI shopping
- Jean-Luc Vallens*
- 11:00 Coffee break
- 11:30 **Recognition of judgments**
- Towards a European insolvency case register?
 - *ordre public*
- Stefania Bariatti*
- 12:15 **Communication and cooperation**
- duties of liquidators
 - court-to-court communication
- Anna Hrycaj*
- 13:00 Lunch

Moderator: *Jean-Luc Vallens*

- 14:00 **The application of the Insolvency Regulation in the “new” member states**
- The case of “Erste Bank Hungary”
Andrea Csöke
- 14:45 Coffee break
- 15:00 **Workshop: The impact of insolvency proceedings on security and rights *in rem***
- Jennifer Marshall*
- 16:15 **Results of the workshop and discussion**
- 17:30 End of the first conference day
- 18:00 Guided city tour of Trier
- Starting point: ERA
- 19:30 Conference dinner

Sessions include 30 minutes for presentation and 15 minutes for discussion.

Programme may be subject to amendment
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Friday, 21 October 2011

Moderator: *Stefania Bariatti*

- 09:00 **Pre-insolvency proceedings, restructuring and turnaround: towards a rescue culture?**
- Bob Wessels*
- 09:45 **Insolvency and restructuring of groups of companies**
- Massimo Benedettelli*
- 10:30 Coffee break
- 11:00 **Cross-border insolvencies and the relationship to non-EU member states**
- Gabriel Moss*
- 11:45 **Panel discussion: Revision of the EU Insolvency Regulation – Which changes are to be expected?**
- with an introduction by *Jérôme Carriat*
- *Andrzej Jakubecki*
 - *Gabriel Moss*
 - *Bob Wessels*
- 13:15 Light lunch and end of the conference