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September 10 - 11
Vienna, Austria



Program

Thursday - Sept 10, 2015

Chairperson	:	Prof. Dr. Paul Krüger Andersen	
Location	:	Palais Trautson, Museumstraße 7, A-1070 Vienna	(PT)
		WU Vienna, Welthandelsplatz 1, A-1020 Vienna	(WU)
Dinner	:	Zum Leopold, Schottengasse 7, A-1010 Vienna	(Leo)

Time	Event	
10:00-10:20	Welcome Prof. Dr. Paul Krüger Andersen (Chairman, EMCA Group) Prof. Dr. Heribert Hirte (Chairman, ECFR)	PT
10:20-10:50	Greeting Remarks Ms. Paraskevi Michou (Director-General, EU Commission) Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Brandstetter (Austrian Minister of Justice) Univ.-Doz. Mag. DDr. Ludwig Bittner (President of Austrian Chamber of Public Notaries) Univ.-Prof. Dr. Michael Enzinger (President of Vienna Bar Association)	

11:00-11:30	General Overview of EMCA Project and Introduction Prof. Stanislaw Sołtysiński, Ph.D., LL.M. (Poznań University)	PT
11:30-12:00	The EMCA: General Principles and Main Content Prof. Dr. Evangelhos Perakis (University of Athens)	
12:00-12:30	Questions and Answers	
12:30-14:15	Lunch and Transfer to WU Vienna	
14:15-18:15	Workshops (cf. separate list)	WU

19:00	Dinner	Leo

Program

Friday - Sept 11, 2015

Chairperson : Prof. Dr. Dres. h. c. Theodor Baums
Location : WU Vienna, Welthandelsplatz 1, A-1020 Vienna (WU)

Time	Event	
09:00-12:30	Workshops (cf. separate list)	
12:30-14:00	Lunch	
14:00-15:00	Wrapping Up Chairpersons of Working Groups	
15:00-15:30	The RMBCA and the EMCA – A Comparison Prof. Ronald Gilson, J.D. (Stanford Law School)	
15:30-15:50	Outlook Prof. Dr. Pierre-Henri Conac, LL.M. (University of Luxembourg)	
15:50-16:00	Farewell Prof. Dr. Susanne Kalss, LL.M. / Prof. MMag. Dr. Martin Winner (WU Vienna)	

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EMCA Workshops

Groups Overview

Group	Title
A	Shares
	Accounting
	Companies' Capital
	Financing of Companies
B	Management of Companies
	Duties of Directors & Conflicts of Interests
	General meetings and Principles of Minority Protection
	International Aspects
C	Formation of Companies
	Re-organization of Companies
	Groups of Companies
	Liquidation and Bankruptcy

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Group A

Title	Speaker	Chairperson	1 st Discussant	2 nd Discussant
Shares	Prof. Hans De Wulf, LL.M. Ph.D. (Ghent University)	Prof. Dr. Matti J. Sillanpää, M.Sc. (Turku School of Economics)	Prof. Dr. Jorge Manuel Coutinho de Abreu (University of Coimbra)	Gintautas Bartkus (Partner, Tark Grunte Sutkiene)
Accounting	Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. mult. Peter Hommelhoff (Heidelberg University Ruperto Carola)	Dr. András I. Hanák (Attorney)	Mr. David Devlin (Chairman, ECGI)	Univ.-Doz. Dr. Walter Platzer (Partner, Grant Thornton)
Companies' Capital	Prof. Dr. Jan Andersson (Jönköping University)	Dr. Joti Roest (University of Amsterdam)	Prof. Seppo Antero Villa (University of Helsinki)	Prof. Dr. Christoph Van der Elst (Tilburg and Gent Universities)
Financing of Companies	Prof. Paolo Giudici (Free University of Bozen-Bolzano)	Prof. Dr. Dres. h.c. Theodor Baums (Goethe University Frankfurt am Main)	Manne Airaksinen, LL.M. (Partner, Roschier)	Prof. Marieke Wyckaert, LL.M. Ph.D. (KU Leuven)

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Group B

Title	Speaker	Chairperson	1 st Discussant	2 nd Discussant
Management of Companies	Harm-Jan De Kluiver, Ph.D. (Partner, De Brauw Blackstone Westbroeck)	Prof. Dr. Jarmila Pokorná, CSc. (Masaryk University)	Prof. Jesper Lau Hansen, LL.M. (University of Copenhagen)	Prof. Dr. Loes Lennarts (University of Groningen)
Duties of Directors & Conflicts of Interests	Prof. José Engrácia Antunes, Ph.D. (Catholic University of Portugal) Prof. Dr. Mónica Fuentes Naharro (Complutense University of Madrid)	Prof. Dr. Susanne Kalss, LL.M. (WU Vienna)	Dr. Thomas B. Courtney (Partner, Arthur Cox)	Hon.-Prof. Dr. Georg Schima, M.B.L.-HSG, LL.M. (Partner, Kunz Schima Wallentin)
General meetings and Principles of Minority Protection	Prof. Dr. Paul Krüger Andersen (Aarhus University)	Prof. Dr. Adam Opalski (University of Warsaw)	Prof. Dr. Maciej Mataczyński (Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań)	Prof. Avv. Marco Ventruruzzo, Ph.D. (Bocconi University)
International Aspects	Prof. Dr. Karsten Engsig Sørensen (Aarhus University)	Prof. Dr. André Prüm (University of Luxembourg)	Prof. Veikko Vahtera, LL.D., M.Sc. (University of Tampere)	Dr. Juan Sánchez-Calero Guilarte (Lawyer, Estudio Jurídico Sánchez Calero)

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Group C

Title	Speaker	Chairperson	1 st Discussant	2 nd Discussant
Formation of Companies	Prof. Blanaid Clarke BCL, MBS, Ph.D. (Trinity College Dublin)	Prof. Dr. Andres Vutt (University of Tartu)	Prof. Dr. Luis Fernández del Pozo (University of Cataluña)	Dr. Rudolf Kaindl (Notary)
Re-organization of Companies	Prof. Dr. Christoph Teichmann (University of Würzburg)	Prof. MMag. Dr. Martin Winner (WU Vienna)	Prof. Dr. Paulo Olavo Cunha (Catholic University of Portugal)	Priv.-Doz. Dr. Sebastian Mock, LL.M. (University of Hamburg)
Groups of Companies	Prof. Dr. Pierre-Henri Conac, LL.M. (University of Luxembourg)	Prof. Isabelle Urbain-Parleani (University of René Descartes Paris V)	Prof. Vanessa Knapp OBE (Queen Mary, University of London)	Prof. Dr. Rui Pinto Duarte (Lawyer, Rui Pinto Duarte & Associados)
Liquidation and Bankruptcy	Prof. Dr. Maria Patakyova, Ph.D. (Comenius University Bratislava)	Prof. Brenda Hannigan, MA, LL.M. (University of Southampton)	Prof. Dr. Georgios Sotiropoulos, LL.M. (University of Athens)	Dr. Emőd Veress (Attorney)



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