CONFERENCE ON GLOBAL PUBLIC-PRIVATE LAW APPROACHES TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC
SMU SCHOOL OF LAW, SINGAPORE
THURSDAY, 10 SEPTEMBER 2020

PROGRAMME

8:30 AM  REGISTRATION AND SIGN-IN

8:45 AM  WELCOME REMARKS
Professor Pey Woan Lee, Vice Provost, Singapore Management University

8:50 AM  KEYNOTE ADDRESS
Professor Anselmo Reyes SC, International Judge, Supreme Court of Singapore

9:05 AM  BREAK

9:10 AM  SESSION 1: COVID-19 AND THE RULE OF LAW
Chaired by Associate Professor Jaclyn Neo, Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore

- Mr Jeremy Dein QC, 25 Bedford Row and Associate Professor Luke Marsh, Faculty of Law, Chinese University of Hong Kong
- Professor John Hopkins, School of Law, University of Canterbury
- Dr Rawin Leelapatana, Faculty of Law, Chulalongkorn University
- Assistant Professor Benjamin Joshua Ong, School of Law, Singapore Management University

MR JEREMY DEIN QC AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR LUKE MARSH
Justice From Afar: English Criminal Process During Covid-19

PROFESSOR JOHN HOPKINS
Smoke, Mirrors and Legal Uncertainty: New Zealand’s Response to CoVID-19

DR RAWIN LEELAPATANA

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR BENJAMIN JOSHUA ONG
The Rule of Law in a Quasi-Emergency: A View from Singapore

10:45 AM  BREAK
10:55 AM  **SESSION 2: NEW LANDSCAPES IN PUBLIC LAW**
*Chaired by Associate Professor Maartje de Visser, School of Law, Singapore Management University*

- **Professor Mark Findlay**, School of Law, Singapore Management University and **Ms Nydia Remolina León**, School of Law, Singapore Management University
- **Dr Maciej Sokolowski**, University of Tokyo
- **Professor Otto Spijkers**, China Institute of Boundary and Ocean Studies, Wuhan University
- **Dr Elena Pribytkova**, Department of Law, European University Institute

**PROFESSOR MARK FINDLAY AND MS NYDIA REMOLINA LEÓN**
_How to Regulate Data Use in COVID-19 Control Conditions?_

**DR MACIEJ SOKOLOWSKI**
_Regulatory Models for Tackling the Novel Coronavirus: Public Law Regulation in the COVID-19 Pandemic and Post-Pandemic Times_

**PROFESSOR OTTO SPIJKERS**
_A New Dawn of World Law_

**DR ELENA PRIBYTKOVA**
_Protecting Basic Socio-Economic Rights in the Time of Pandemic_

12:30 PM  **BREAK**

1:35 PM  **SESSION 3: INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND CORPORATE LAW ISSUES**
*Chaired by Mr Eu-Jin Teo, Faculty of Business and Economics, University of Melbourne*

- **Professor Heng Wang**, Faculty of Law, University of New South Wales
- **Assistant Professor Ana Santos Rutschman**, School of Law, Saint Louis University
- **Assistant Professor Thomas Papadopoulos**, Department of Law, University of Cyprus

**PROFESSOR HENG WANG**
_The Challenges to International Economic Law in the Post-COVID-19 World: A Chinese Perspective_

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR ANA SANTOS RUTSCHMAN**
_The Intellectual Property of COVID-19_

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR THOMAS PAPADOPOULOS**
_Protecting Strategic EU Companies From Takeover Bids During the COVID-19 Crisis_

2:50 PM  **BREAK**
SESSION 4: REVISITING THE LAW OF CONTRACT
Chaired by Associate Professor Samuel Becher, School of Accounting and Commercial Law, Victoria University of Wellington

- Professor Hanoch Dagan, Buchmann Faculty of Law, Tel Aviv University and Dr Ohad Somech, Buchmann Faculty of Law, Tel Aviv University
- Associate Professor Henrique Sousa Antunes, Lisbon School of Law, Catholic University of Portugal

PROFESSOR HANOCH DAGAN AND DR OHAD SOMECH
When Contract’s Basic Assumptions Fail: From Rose 2d to COVID-19

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR HENRIQUE SOUSA ANTUNES
Portugal’s COVID-19 Legislation and the Challenges Raised for the Change of Circumstances Regime

4:00 PM BREAK

SESSION 5: COMMERCIAL LAW AND LITIGATION IN EXTRAORDINARY TIMES
Chaired by Dr Ardavan Arzandeh, School of Law, University of Bristol

- Mr Johannes Ungerer, Faculty of Law, University of Oxford
- Mr Shouyu Chong, Dickson Poon School of Law, King’s College London
- Ms Allison Goh, School of Law, Singapore Management University

MR JOHANNES UNGERER
Comparison of Coronavirus Measures in European Private Law

MR SHOUYU CHONG
International Commercial Litigation of Contractual Disputes Precipitated by the COVID-19 Economic Crisis

MS ALLISON GOH
Technology as the New Normal: Challenges and Implications for Dispute Resolution under the Belt and Road Initiative

5:25 PM CLOSING REMARKS
Professor Yihan Goh, Dean, School of Law, Singapore Management University