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Stefanie Schacherer is Assistant Professor of Law at the Singapore Management University (SMU), Yong Pung How School of Law. Her area of expertise is international economic law, with a particular focus on its intersection with sustainable development.

# EDUCATION AND CAREER

Stefanie Schacherer holds the degrees of *Doktorin der Rechtswissenschaften* from the University of Vienna and *Docteure en droit* from the University of Geneva (*summa cum laude*, July 2019). The thesis was written as part of a *cotutelle de thèse* between the two universities. She obtained an LL.M. in International Business Law from King's College London (2014, funded by the Ernst and Lucie Schmidheiny Foundation), a Master in International and European Law (2013) and a Bachelor of Laws (2011) both from the University of Geneva. Prior to joining SMU, she was a Postdoctoral Fellow at the Centre for International Law at the National University of Singapore, and a Research Fellow at the World Trade Institute (WTI), University of Bern. Her postdoctoral research received funding from the Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF).

Dr Schacherer has published widely on international economic law, sustainable development and investment law, and the European Union's external trade relations. Her monograph titled *Sustainable Development in EU Foreign Investment Law* (Brill Nijhoff, 2021) offers an account of the legal effects of sustainable development within the EU's international trade and investment law-making and global economic governance.

Dr Schacherer provided technical assistance and capacity-building for several developing countries (such as, Rwanda, Burkina Faso and Madagascar) and worked for governmental and non-governmental organizations, including the UN Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD), the European External Action Service, the African Union and the International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD). She currently serves an advisor for the UN Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP) and is an elected member of the Academic Forum on Investor-State Dispute Settlement, UN Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL).

## **RESEARCH AREAS AND INTERESTS**

Dr Schacherer is particularly interested in international trade agreements and their intersection with sustainable development objectives and regulation; international investment law and arbitration; EU external relations law; climate change and renewable energy law; the financing of the Sustainable Development Goals; the social responsibility of multinational corporations and investors; ethics and international affairs; and international regulatory cooperation.

# CURRICULUM VITAE

### **APPOINTMENTS**

• Assistant Professor of Law, Yong Pung How School of Law, Singapore Management University, 2022-Present

## **OTHER POSITIONS**

- Co-Director of Studies, International Law Association (ILA), Singapore Branch, 2024-Present
- Member, Academic Forum on Investor-State Dispute Settlement, UN Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL), 2021-Present
- Advisor, Asia-Pacific Research and Training Network on Foreign Direct Investment, UN Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP), 2021-Present
- Associate, International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD), 2020-Present

### PAST ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- Postdoctoral Fellow, National University of Singapore, Centre for International Law (CIL), 2021-2022
- Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF) Postdoctoral Research Fellow; Grant scheme: *Early Postdoc.Mobility*, 2020-2021
- SNSF Postdoctoral Research Fellow, World Trade Institute, University of Bern, 2020
- Lecturer, Swiss School for International Relations, Geneva, 2019-2020
- Teaching and Research Fellow, Department of Public International Law and International Organisation, Faculty of Law, University of Geneva, 2016-2019
- Teaching and Research Fellow, Global Studies Institute, University of Geneva, 2016-2019
- Visiting Researcher, Department of European, International and Comparative Law, University of Vienna, 2018
- Teaching and Research Fellow, Centre for European Legal Studies, University of Geneva, 2014-15

## EDUCATION

**Doctor iuris** in International and European Union Law (*summa cum laude*), *Cotutelle de thèse* between the University of Vienna and the University of Geneva, 2019

LL.M. in International Business Law, King's College, University of London, 2014

Master of Laws in International and European Law, University of Geneva, 2013

Bachelor of Laws (Swiss Law), University of Geneva, 2011

### **RECENT AWARDS**

- 2024, Outstanding Reviewer Award, Journal of World Trade and Investment (Brill)
- 2023, CIBEL Young Scholar Prize, University of New South Wales, China International Business and Economic Law Centre
- 2023, Excellence in Reviewing Award, Journal of International Economic Law (OUP)

### **RESEARCH GRANTS**

SMU Tier 1A Research Grant, 2024-2026

International Regulatory Cooperation (IRC) and the Role of Companies: A Case Study of Deforestation in Southeast Asia

SMU Centre for Commercial Law in Asia (CCLA), Research Grant, 2024-2025

From Forests to Markets: Unravelling International Trade Law and Deforestation in Southeast Asia

Baker Mckenzie Wong & Leow, Research Grant, 2022-2023

The Sustainable Finance Regulation: Achieving Greater Regulatory Alignment in Asia and Globally

Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF) Postdoctoral Research Fellow; Grant scheme: *Early Postdoc Mobility*, 2020-2021

Ernst and Lucie Schmidheiny Foundation, LLM Study Grant, 2013-2014

## TEACHING

- Singapore Management University, School of Law, *Ethics and Social Responsibility* (72 hours), Term 1, AY2024-25
- Singapore Management University, Global Summer Programme, Sustainability, Multinational Corporations, and International Law (36 hours), July 2024
- Singapore Management University, School of Law, *EU Law Introduction* (3 hours), Term 2, AY2023-24
- Singapore Management University, School of Law, *Introduction to Sustainable Trade and Investment Law* (3 hours), Term 2, AY2023-24
- Singapore Management University, School of Law, *Ethics and Social Responsibility* (72 hours), Term 1, AY2023-24
- Singapore Management University, Global Summer Programme, Sustainability, Multinational Corporations, and International Economic Law (36 hours), July 2023

- Singapore Management University, School of Law, *EU Law Introduction* (3 hours), Term 2, AY2022-23
- Singapore Management University, School of Law, *Ethics and Social Responsibility* (108 hours), Term 1, AY2022-23
- National University of Singapore, Faculty of Law, Multinational Enterprises, Sustainable Development and Environmental Liability, Sep 2021
- National University of Singapore, Faculty of Law, International Economic Law Clinic; International Investment Law-Making of the European Union and other Global Actors, March 2021

Swiss School for International Relations, EU and International Law (18 hours), 2020

- Swiss School for International Relations, *Law of International Organisations* (36 hours), 2019
- University of Geneva, Faculty of Law, L'arbitrage d'investissment, 2019
- University of Geneva, Institute for Environmental Sciences, Human Rights and the *Environment*, 2019
- University of Geneva, Faculty of Law, Master seminar and dissertation supervision, international investment law, 2016-2019
- University of Geneva, Faculty of Law, Team coach for master students participating in the "IIA Mapping Project" (creation of database and analysis of international investment agreements) of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD), 2016-2018

University of Geneva, Faculty of Law, L'action extérieure de l'Union européenne, 2015

University of Geneva, Faculty of Law, Coach for the EU Law Moot Court Competition, 2014-2015

### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

- Adviser and Expert, UN Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP), Report on Investment Facilitation for Sustainable Development, 2022
- Legal Expert, Republic of Rwanda, Legal training on investment law and arbitration, treaty negotiation and the international investment law reform, 2021
- Legal Expert, Burkina Faso, Long-term investment support examining the national and international legal framework of FDI in Burkina Faso, 2019-2022
- Legal Consultant, African Union, Technical support of African Union Negotiations for a Continental Free Trade Area, 2021
- Legal Consultant, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD), International Investment Agreements Section, 2017-2018
- Legal Expert, Republic of Madagascar, Capacity-building and training on investment law, arbitration, and negotiation, 2016

- Legal Consultant, African Union, drafting and negotiation of the Pan-African Investment Code, 2015
- Legal Intern, Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations, Geneva, 2012
- Intern, German Embassy Moscow, Political Department, Russia, 2011

### ACADEMIC SERVICE: ORGANISED CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS/SEMINARS

- Lunch time seminar, 'Using Trade Restrictions to Promote Global Environmental Protection: A Cautionary Tale from WTO Law and the EU's Deforestation Regulation' Ben Czapnik, Yong Pung How School of Law, Singapore Management University, 13 February 2025
- SMU-IISD Webinar, Implementing the EUDR: Perspectives from Southeast Asia, 4 February 2025
- Lunch time seminar, 'Legal Corpus Linguistics: A Big Data Approach to Legal Interpretation', Adrian Hemler, Yong Pung How School of Law, Singapore Management University, 29 September 2023
- SMU-Sydney-HKU Law & Sustainability Conference Series, 'Law in a Hyperconnected World – Joining the Dots for a Sustainable Future' Yong Pung How School of Law, Singapore Management University, 13-14 July 2023
- Cross-Sectoral Industry Panel on Sustainability, 'Law in a Hyperconnected World Joining the Dots for a Sustainable Future' Yong Pung How School of Law, Singapore Management University, 13 July 2023
- 'The Role of Financial Institutions in Supporting Net Zero Investments' SMU Yong Pung How School of Law and NUS Centre for International Law, 26 April 2023
- 'Sustainable Finance Regulation: The Case for Greater Alignment in Asia and Globally' Yong Pung How School of Law, Singapore Management University, Academic Workshop, Feb 2023
- 'Sustainable Development, Investment Law and the European Union', Joint Conference between the National University of Singapore, Centre for International Law (CIL) and Queen Mary University London, School of Law (QMUL), Dec 2021
- Series of 10 Conferences on Investment Disputes and Sustainable Development, International Institute for Sustainable Development and University of Geneva, Faculty of Law, 2017-2019, https://www.iisd.org/projects/iisd-unige-speakerseries-investment-disputes

### **OTHER ACADEMIC SERVICES**

Academic Adviser, Student Chapter of the International Law Association (ILA) Singapore Branch, 2023-present

Co-Lead, Video Project on 'Legal Ethics and Professional Standards', 2023-present

SMU Yong Pung How School of Law, Moot court coaching sessions, 2024-2025: Stetson International Environment Moot Court Competition

SMU Yong Pung How School of Law, Moot court coaching sessions, 2023-2024: FDI Moot Court, Stetson International Environment Moot Court Competition (2 teams)

SMU Yong Pung How School of Law, Moot court coaching sessions, 2022-2023: Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, Stetson International Environment Moot Court Competition, John H. Jackson Moot Court Competition

NUS Faculty of Law, Moot court coaching session, 2021-2022: Frankfurt Investment Arbitration Moot Court

### **REVIEW ACTIVITIES**

Oxford University Press (manuscript) Routledge (book proposal) Journal of International Economic Law (Oxford University Press) Journal of International Dispute Settlement (Oxford University Press) World Trade Review (Cambridge University Press) Journal of World Investment and Trade (Brill) Review of European, Comparative and International Environmental Law (Wiley) Singapore Law Review

### **ACTIVE MEMBERSHIPS IN ACADEMIC SOCIETIES**

Co-Director of Studies, International Law Association (ILA), Singapore Branch Member, European Society of International Law (ESIL) Member, Society of International Economic Law (SIEL)

### LANGUAGES

English, French and German (full proficiency) Spanish and Russian (basic knowledge)

## NATIONALITIES

German, Swiss

## PUBLICATIONS AND ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

### PUBLICATIONS

## Books/monographs/e-books

- 1. Stefanie Schacherer, *Sustainable Development in EU Foreign Investment Law*, Brill's Nijhoff International Investment Law Series, 2021 (sole-authored monograph) 455 p.
- 2. Stefanie Schacherer (ed with MM Mbengue), <u>Foreign Investment Under the</u> <u>Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA)</u>, Springer International Publishing, 2019, 361 p.
- 3. Stefanie Schacherer, <u>International Investment Law and Sustainable Development -</u> <u>Key Cases from the 2010s</u>, e-book, International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD), 2018, 79 p.

### Journal articles and refereed working papers

- 1. Adeline Chong and Stefanie Schacherer, 'Extra-territorial Liability and Enforcement: Finding Ways to Tackle Haze Pollution in Southeast Asia', Chinese Journal of Transnational Law, Special Issue: Private International Law and Sustainable Development in Asia (accepted, to be published in 2025).
- Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>The Agility Paradigm: Rethinking Regulatory Policy</u> <u>Commitments in Free Trade Agreements</u>' (2025) 59 Journal of World Trade 1, pp 53-76.
- Michelle Lim, Liu Nengye and Stefanie Schacherer (eds), 'Special Issue Law in a Hyperconnected World – Joining the Dots for Sustainable Futures' (2024) 33 Review of European, Comparative & International Environmental Law (RECIEL) 2, pp 153-341.
- 3. Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>Building Responsible and Sustainable Supply Chain</u> <u>Frameworks: Limits of International Investment Law and the CSR Initiatives Taken by</u> <u>the EU and China</u>' (2024) 32 Asia Pacific Law Review 2, pp 347-361.
- 4. Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>Normative Impacts and Legitimacy Dimensions in the</u> <u>Intersection of Trade and Agile Regulation within Comprehensive Free Trade</u> <u>Agreements</u>' 2024 CIBEL Working Paper, CIBELWPS 1, February 2024, 28 p.
- 5. Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>The EU and the Indo-Pacific Region Prospects of a Green</u> <u>Partnership</u>' (2023) 44 Chinese (Taiwan) Yearbook of International Law, pp 181-193.

- 6. Makane Mbengue and Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>Africa as an Investment Rule Maker:</u> <u>Decrypting the Pan-African Investment Code</u>' (2021) 23 2018 African Yearbook of International Law, pp 81-121.
- 7. Stefanie Schacherer, 'Investment Facilitation through IIAs: The Case of the Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership (RCEP) Agreement' (2021) Columbia FDI Perspectives.
- 8. Makane Mbengue and Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>The 'Africanization' of International</u> <u>Investment Law: The Pan-African Investment Code and the Reform of the</u> <u>International Investment Regime</u>' (2017) 18 Journal of World Investment & Trade 3, pp 414-448.
- 9. Stefanie Schacherer, 'Independence and Impartiality of Arbitrators A Rule of Law Analysis' (2018) International Investment Law and the Rule of Law, University of Vienna, Online Papers, 30 p.
- 10. Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>The EU as a Global Actor in Reforming the International</u> <u>Investment Regime in Light of Sustainable Development</u>' (2017) Geneva Jean Monnet Working Paper No 01/2017, 36 p.
- 11. Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>TPP, CETA and TTIP Between Innovation and Consolidation</u>-<u>Resolving Investor-State Disputes under Mega-regionals</u>' (2016) 7 Journal of International Dispute Settlement 3, pp 628-653.

## Non-English journal articles

1. Stefanie Schacherer, 'Die Finanzierung der Nachhaltigkeitsziele: Welche Rolle spielen Handels- und Investitionsabkommen?' (2021) 4 Zeitschrift für das Recht der nachhaltigen Entwicklung 1, pp 443-451. (English translation: Financing the Sustainable Development Goals: What Role do Trade and Investment Agreements Play?)

## **Book chapters**

- 1. Stefanie Schacherer and Konstantin Sinn, 'The EU's Investment Treaties: Substantive Standards', in Panagiotis Delimatsis and Angelos Dimopoulos (eds), *Research Handbook on EU Trade and Investment Law*, Edward Elgar Publishing (forthcoming)
- 2. Stefanie Schacherer and Rhea Tamara Hoffmann, 'International Investment Law and Sustainable Development', in Krajewski M and Hoffmann RT (eds), *Research Handbook on Foreign Direct Investment*, Edward Elgar Publishing, Second Edition (accepted to be published in 2025)
- 3. Stefanie Schacherer and Rolf H. Weber, 'Digital Assets and Sustainable Development' in Jason Grant Allen, Simon Gleeson, and Peter Hunn (eds), *The*

*Oxford Handbook of Digital Assets and the Law,* Oxford University Press (accepted to be published in 2025)

- 4. Stefanie Schacherer and August Reinisch, 'Defining (Sustainable) Investment and Investors' in Cordonnier Segger MC and Stephenson S (eds), Research Handbook on Investment Law and Sustainable Development, Edward Elgar Publishing (accepted, to be published in April 2025)
- 5. Makane Mbengue and Stefanie Schacherer, 'International Investment Law before African Courts' in Ruiz Fabri H and Stoppioni E (eds), International Investment Law: An Analysis of Major Decisions, Hart Publishing 2022, pp 603-616.
- 6. Stefanie Schacherer, 'Art. 8.9 CETA-Agreement on Investment and Regulatory Measures' in Bungenberg M and Reinisch A (eds), *EU-Canada CETA Investment Law* - Article-by-Article Commentary, Nomos Hart Publishing 2022, pp 236-255.
- Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>The Investment Court System proposed by the European</u> <u>Union – What does it mean for Africa?</u>' in Hodu Y and Mbengue MM, *African Perspectives to International Law,* Manchester University Press 2020.
- 8. Makane Mbengue and Stefanie Schacherer, 'Evolution of International Investment Agreements in Africa: Features and Challenges of Investment Law "Africanization"' in Chaisse J, Choukroune L and Jusoh S (eds), Handbook of International Investment Law and Policy, Volume IV: Trends in International Investment Rulemaking and Investor-State Dispute Settlement, Springer Publishing 2019, pp 1-23.
- 9. Stefanie Schacherer and Rhea Tamara Hoffmann, '<u>International Investment Law and</u> <u>Sustainable Development</u>' in Krajewski M and Hoffmann RT (eds), *Research Handbook on Foreign Direct Investment*, Edward Elgar Publishing 2019, pp 563-595.
- Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>The CETA Investment Chapter and Sustainable Development:</u> <u>Interpretative Issues</u>' in Mbengue MM and Schacherer S (eds), *Foreign Investment under the Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA)*, Springer Publishing 2019, pp 207-238.
- Makane Mbengue and Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>Africa and the Rethinking of</u> <u>International Investment Law: About the Elaboration of the Pan-African Investment</u> <u>Code</u>' in Roberts A, Stephan PB, Verdier PH and Versteeg M, *Comparative International Law*, Oxford University Press, 2018, pp 547-569.

## Policy briefs, blog posts and case comments

1. Stefanie Schacherer, 'Lost in transition: The Regulatory Challenge of Sustainable Finance Taxonomies' ECGI Blog, September 2023

- 2. Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>Singapore and China join forces with new green finance</u> taskforce' East Asia Forum, September 2023
- 3. Stefanie Schacherer and Tensin Studer, '<u>Trade and Sustainable Development</u> <u>Chapters in EU FTAs: Adapting Enforcement Methods to the Purpose(s)?</u>' NUS CIL Blog Post, June 2022
- 4. Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>The Uncertain Future of the Energy Charter Treaty: Belgium</u> asks the European Court of Justice to Rule on the Compatibility of the Modernized <u>ECT with EU Law</u>' Investment Treaty News, 2021, vol 12, n° 1
- 5. Makane Mbengue and Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>Systemic Implications of the RCEP for</u> the International Economic Law Governance' AfronomicsLaw, February 2021
- 6. Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>Can EU Member States Still Negotiate BITs with Third</u> <u>Countries?</u>' *Investment Treaty News*, 2016, vol 7, n° 3
- 7. Stefanie Schacherer, 'La première affaire CIRDI contre la Guinée est rejetée pour défaut de compétence' Investment Treaty News, 2016, vol 7, n° 2
- 8. Stefanie Schacherer, '<u>Tribunal dismisses all claims by U.S. mining investor against</u> <u>Oman</u>' *Investment Treaty News*, 2016, vol 7, n° 1
- 9. Stefanie Schacherer, 'La Cour de justice apporte des précisions quant à la portée de l'expression « mouvements de capitaux » au sens de l'article 64 TFUE', *Actualités du Centre d'études juridiques européennes*, 2015
- 10. Stefanie Schacherer, 'La question de la compatibilité de l'arbitrage d'investissement des litiges intra-UE demeure ouverte', *Actualités du Centre d'études juridiques européennes*, 2015
- Stefanie Schacherer, 'Quelle est l'étendue du pouvoir du Conseil d'arrêter des directives de négociation ?', Actualités du Centre d'études juridiques européennes, 2015
- 12. Stefanie Schacherer, 'L'exigence pour les organismes d'attestation d'avoir leur siège statutaire sur le territoire d'un État membre est contraire à la « directive services »', *Actualités du Centre d'études juridiques européennes*, 2015
- 13. Stefanie Schacherer, 'Perte du statut de travailleur salarié dans le cadre de l'ALCP', Actualités du Centre d'études juridiques européennes, 2015
- 14. Stefanie Schacherer, 'Compétence externe exclusive de l'Union européenne dans le domaine de la promotion de l'utilisation de l'énergie renouvelable', *Actualités du Centre d'études juridiques européennes*, 2014

## Policy reports and professional publications

- 1. '<u>Treaties Establishing Dispute Settlement Frameworks</u>', <u>Domestic Measures</u> <u>Adopted by States to Give Effect to Processes of International Dispute Settlement</u> <u>Vol. 1</u>, Academic Forum on ISDS (UNCITRAL) Concept Paper, 28 June 2023
- 'International and Regional Courts and Tribunals', Domestic Measures Adopted by States to Give Effect to Processes of International Dispute Settlement Vol. 2, Academic Forum on ISDS (UNCITRAL) Concept Paper, 28 June 2023
- 'Regional Human Rights Courts and Specialised Treaty Mechanisms for Investor-State Dispute Resolution', *Domestic Measures Adopted by States to Give Effect to Processes of International Dispute Settlement Vol. 3,* Academic Forum on ISDS (UNCITRAL) Concept Paper, 28 June 2023
- 4. 'Investment Facilitation for Sustainable Development within the Context of the Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership, the ASEAN Investment Facilitation Framework and the WTO Draft Investment Facilitation Framework for Development' Studies in Trade, Investment and Innovation No. 96, United Nations ESCAP, 2023
- 5. 'Rapport d'évaluation du cadre juridique régissant les investissements au Burkina Faso' International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD), September 2020
- 6. 'Chapter III.B: International Investment Policies' in *World Investment Report 2018: Investment and New Industrial Policies* (with the International Investment Agreements Section) United Nations, 2018
- 7. 'Trade in the Balance: Reconciling Trade and Climate Policy. Report of the Working Group on Trade, Investment, and Climate Policy' (member of the working group), Boston University 11/2016
- 8. Droit européen : Suisse-Union européenne / Europarecht: Schweiz-Europäische Union (in collaboration with Christine Kaddous), Revue suisse de droit international et européen 4/2015, pp 591-635
- 9. 'Chronique de législation européenne 2014' (contributing author), Revue des affaires européennes, no 1/2015, pp 231-280
- 'Publications suisses en matière de droit européen 2011 = Schweizerische Literatur zum europäischen Recht 2011' (with Christine Kaddous), Revue suisse de droit international et européen, 2/2012, pp 409-426

## **ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS & GUEST LECTURES**

- 1. 'Extra-territorial Liability and Enforcement: Finding Ways to Tackle Haze Pollution in Southeast Asia' (with Adeline Chong) Private International Law and Sustainable Development in Asia, University of Wuhan, 23 November 2024 (online)
- 2. 'International Investment Agreements and the Net Zero Transition in Asia' The Singapore Law Society, Virtual Public International Law Conference, 15 November 2024 (online)
- 3. 'Climate Change and Investment Law' Singapore Convention Week, Side Event organised by International and Comparative Law Research Centre, Andaz Singapore, 30 August 2024.
- 4. 'International Law: Navigating the Crossroads of Modern Challenges' Roundtable Discussion, Launch Event, Student Chapter of the International Law Association, SMU Greenhouse, 22 August 2024.
- 5. 'Investor-State Arbitration and Climate Change', Guest lecture, University of Konstanz, Germany, 17 June 2024
- 6. Investment Arbitration and Human Rights Violations, World Arbitration Update (WAU) 2024, K&L Gates Straits Law LLC, Singapore, 21 May 2024
- 7. International Investment Agreements: Friend or Foe to Climate Ambition? Expert Seminar, Foreign Ministry of Thailand, Bangkok, Thailand, 14 March 2024
- 8. Investment Facilitation for Sustainable Development, NUS International Economic Law Clinic, Singapore, 22 February 2024
- 'The Net Zero Transition: Opportunities and Limits of International Investment Treaties', 8<sup>th</sup> Annual International Economic Law Network (AIELN) Conference, Taipei, Taiwan, 1 December 2023
- 10. 'Emerging Climate Technologies: Revisiting the Role of International Investment Agreements', International Law & Technology, NTHU-SMU-ASIL Series, National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan, 30 November 2023
- Agile Regulation/Governance and International Regulatory Cooperation under Free Trade Agreements' UNSW CIBEL Global Network Conference, 21 November 2023 (online)
- 12. 'Ethical Investing: How should we think about ESG criteria?', SMU-Sydney-HKU Law & Sustainability Conference Series, Law in a Hyperconnected World – Joining the Dots for a Sustainable Future, SMU Yong Pung How School of Law, 14 July 2023

- 13. 'Global Regulatory Governance and Sustainable Finance Taxonomies' The Role of Financial Institutions in Supporting Net Zero Investments' SMU Yong Pung How School of Law and NUS Centre for International Law, 26 April 2023 (online)
- 'Financing the Net Zero Transition: Opportunities and Limits of International Investment Law' Re-Global Seminar, University of Bologna, School of Law, 21 March 2023
- 15. 'Sustainable Development in EU Foreign Investment Law Book presentation and discussion' Re-Global Seminar, University of Bologna, School of Law, 20 March 2023
- 16. 'Sustainable Finance Taxonomies and International Regulatory Cooperation' SMU Academic Workshop on Sustainable Finance Regulation: The Case for Greater Alignment in Asia and Globally, 27 February 2023
- 17. 'Achieving Sustainable Development in the Global South' Roundtable, SMU Law School, 10 November 2022
- 'Classifying Sustainable Investment in Asia What is the Added Value of the ASEAN Taxonomy for Sustainable Finance', Baker McKenzie Webinar, Advancing Sustainable Business Operations in Asia Pacific Series: ESG Reporting and Disclosures, 7 November 2022 (online)
- 19. 'Setting the Scene: Issues of Intra-Regional BITs', International Institute for Sustainable Development, Webinar on Intra-regional BITs, 27 October 2022 (online)
- 20. 'The EU and the Indo-Pacific Region Prospects of a Green Partnership', SMU Law School, 'Global Faculty Forum: Indo-Pacific Strategies and International Law', 30 Sep 2022
- 21. 'Multinational Enterprises, Sustainable Development and the Environment', National University of Singapore, Faculty of Law, 29 September 2022
- 22. 'International Investment Law and Public Health', Ministry of Foreign Affairs Singapore, Cooperation Program, 23 September 2022 (online)
- 23. 'The ASEAN Taxonomy for Sustainable Finance: Assessing Regional Cooperation in Light of National and Global Developments' SMU and UNSW Joint Conference on Sustainable Banking and Financial Regulation in Asia: Principles, Practice and Innovation, 31 August 2022
- 24. 'Sustainable Development in EU Foreign Investment Law' (book launch presentation), National University of Singapore and Queen Mary University London, 10 December 2021 (online)
- 25. 'International Investment Law and Public Health', Ministry of Foreign Affairs Singapore, Cooperation Program, 9 October 2021 (online)

- 26. 'Regulatory Integration through Mega-Regionals New challenges for Global Economic Governance' European Society of International Law (ESIL) Annual Conference in Stockholm, 10 September 2021(online)
- 27. 'Accountability of Non-state Actors involved in Energy Activities', Conference Non-State Actors, Energy, and International Law, University of Geneva, 30 June 2021(online)
- 28. 'Investment Treaty Reform in Asia: Rule Makers, Takers or Brakers?', National University of Singapore and New York University, CIL-USALI Conference on Investment Law Reform: The View from Asia, 16 June 2021 (online)
- 29. 'Sustainable Development in the EU-China Comprehensive Agreement on Investment', Asian Society for International Law (AsianSIL) Biannual Conference, 27 May 2021 (online)
- 30. 'Solidarity in International Environmental Law A Quest for Inter-Generational Equity, 2021 ESIL Research Forum, Catania, Italy, 16 April 2021 (online)
- 31. 'The AfCFTA Investment Protocol: An Opportunity to Converge and Propel the Pan African Investment Code', 2<sup>nd</sup> African Arbitration Association Annual Conference, Accra, 15 April 2021 (online)
- 32. 'Investment Facilitation Provisions in the RCEP', 10<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Asia-Pacific FDI Network and the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and Pacific (UNESCAP), 23 February 2021 (online)
- 33. 'Economic Cooperation under the RCEP', RCEP Speed-Dating Conference, World Trade Institute, University of Bern, 26 January 2021 (online)
- 34. 'Introduction to the Law of International Organisations', Lecture for MGIMO lyceum students, Geneva, 19 November 2019
- 35. 'Environmental Impact Assessments in Mining Investments', Eighth Annual Conference of the African Society for International Law (AfSIL), Durban, South Africa, 26 October 2019
- 36. 'Investment Law in African Courts' Book Preparation Workshop, Max Planck Institute Luxembourg, 7 June 2019
- 37. 'Sustainable Development and the International Investment Law Making of the European Union', Round Table, University of Vienna, 18 December 2018
- 38. 'The EU as a Global Actor in Reforming the International Investment Regime in Light of Sustainable Development', 3<sup>rd</sup> Jean Monnet Doctoral Workshop, University of Geneva, 7 July 2017

- 39. 'Philip Morris v. Uruguay: The Standard of Review', UNIGE-IISD Lunch Series on Investment Disputes, University of Geneva, 22 June 2017
- 40. 'The Investment Court System proposed by the European Union What does it mean for Africa?', Fifth Annual Conference of the African Society for International Law (AfSIL), Accra, Ghana, 29 October 2016