



Conference program

Collective Actions: Enhancing Access to Justice and Reconciling Multilayer Interests?

February 12 and 13, 2011
Nishijin Plaza, Fukuoka, Japan

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10:00 – 10:10 welcome remarks

Session 1 – Future Perspectives on Collective Redress

10:15 – 10:35 Stefan WRBKA

10:40 – 11:00 Annina H. PERSSON

11:05 – 11:25 Eddy DE SMIJTER (per video)

11:25 – 11:45 coffee break

11:45 – 12:05 student Q&A session 1

12:05 – 13:00 lunch break

Session 2 – A Need to Enhance Collective Redress?

13:00 – 13:20 Rachael MULHERON

13:25 – 13:45 Kunihiro NAKATA

13:50 – 14:10 Akinori UESUGI

14:10 – 14:30 coffee break

14:30 – 14:50 Benoit ALLEMEERSCH

14:55 – 15:15 Monika HINTEREGGER

15:20 – 16:10 student Q&A session 2

16:10 – 16:30 coffee break

16:30 – 17:30 panel discussion & audience Q&A day 1

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Session 3 – Collective Actions and Access to Justice

9:30 – 9:50 Steven VAN UYTSEL

9:55 – 10:15 Quynh Thuy QUACH

10:15 – 10:35 student Q&A session 3

10:35 – 10:55 coffee break

Session 4 – Historical Perspectives on Collective Actions

10:55 – 11:15 Arthur R. PINTO

11:20 – 11:40 Sean MCGINTY

11:40 – 12:00 student Q&A session 4

12:00 – 13:00 lunch break

Session 5 – Derivative Actions as a form of Collective Actions

13:00 – 13:20 Mathias SIEMS

13:25 – 13:45 Dan PUCHNIAK

13:45 – 14:05 student Q&A session 5

14:05 – 14:25 coffee break

Session 6 – Indirect Purchasers and Collective Actions

14:25 – 14:45 Simon VANDE WALLE

14:50 – 15:10 William PAGE

15:10 – 15:30 student Q&A session 6

15:30 – 15:50 coffee break

15:50 – 16:50 panel discussion & audience Q&A day 2

16:50 – 17:00 closing remarks