

Program

The Draft Common Frame of Reference: a national and comparative perspective

JUNE 10, 2010

9.30: **Welcome address**
by Prof. dr. Jan BEIRLANT
(Rector of Kortrijk campus of the K.U.Leuven,
Vice-rector of the K.U.Leuven)

Chair: Prof. dr. Gert STRAETMANS
(University of Anwerp)

PART I: GENERAL PRESENTATION OF THE DCFR

9.45: **The Draft Common Frame of Reference:
background and distribution of tasks**
by Prof. dr. Hans SCHULTE NOLKE
(University of Osnabrück)

10.15: **The Draft Common Frame of Reference:
scope and purposes**
by Prof. dr. Christian VON BAR
(University of Osnabrück)

PART II: CONTRACTS AND OTHER JURIDICAL ACTS IN THE DCFR

10.45: **General presentation**
by Prof. dr. Gerhard DANNEMANN
(Humboldt University, Berlin)

11.15: **Perspectives from Belgian law**
by Prof. dr. Patrick WERY
(University of Leuven, UCL)

11.45: **Discussion**

12.15: **Lunch**

Chair: Prof. dr. Ewoud HONDIUS
(University of Utrecht)

PART III: OBLIGATIONS AND CORRESPONDING RIGHTS IN THE DCFR

A. Performance and non performance,
prescription in the DCFR

13.30: **General presentation**
by Prof. dr. Denis PHILIPPE
(University of Leuven, UCL)

14.00: **Perspectives from Belgian law**
by Prof. dr. Ilse SAMOY
(University of Leuven, KUL)

B. Multiparty-relationships in the DCFR:
representation, stipulation in favour of third
party, plurality, change of parties

14.30: **General presentation**
by Prof. dr. Eric CLIVE
(University of Edinburgh)

15.00: **Perspectives from Belgian law**
by Prof. dr. Matthias STORME
(University of Leuven, KUL and
University of Antwerp)

15.30: **Discussion**

16.00: **Coffee break**

PART IV: NON-CONTRACTUAL LIABILITY ARISING OUT OF DAMAGE CAUSED TO IN THE DCFR

16.30: **General presentation**
by Prof. dr. Reiner SCHULZE
(University of Münster)

17.00: **Perspectives from the Belgian law on
non-contractual obligations**
by Prof. dr. Ignace CLAEYS
(University of Gent)

17.30: **Discussion**

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Chair: Prof. dr. Sjeff VAN ERP
(University of Maastricht)

PART V: PROPERTY LAW IN THE DCFR

A. Security law in the DCFR

9.30: **General presentation**
by Prof. dr. Anna VENEZIANO
(University of Teramo)

10.00: **Perspectives from the Belgian security
law**
by Prof. dr. Eric DIRIX
(University of Leuven, KUL)

B. Transfer of movables in the DCFR

10.30: **General presentation**
by dr. Wolfgang FABER
(University of Salzburg)

11.00: **Perspectives from the Belgian transfer of
movables law**
by Prof. dr. Vincent SAGAERT
(University of Leuven, KUL and
University of Antwerp)

11.30: **Discussion**

12.30: **Lunch**

Chair: Prof. dr. Alain VERBEKE
(University of Leuven, KUL and University of
Tilburg, Visiting professor Harvard Law School)

PART VI: SPECIFIC CONTRACTS IN THE DCFR

A. Commercial agency, franchise and distributorship in the DCFR

13.30: **General presentation**

by dr. Odavia BUENO DIAZ
(University of Amsterdam)

14.00: **Perspectives from the Belgian law on agency, franchise and distributorship**

by Prof. dr. Evelyne TERRYIN
(University of Leuven, KUL)

B. Sales contracts in the DCFR

14.30: **General presentation**

by Prof. dr. Marco LOOS
(University of Amsterdam)

15.00: **Perspectives from the Belgian sales law**

by Prof. dr. Bernard TILLEMANN
(University of Leuven, KUL)

15.30: **Discussion**

CONCLUSIONS

16.00: **Concluding remarks**

by Stefaan De Clerck
Minister of Justice



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Practical information

Date

The congress takes place the 10th and 11th of June 2010. There is registration from 9.00 a.m.

Place

K.U.Leuven Campus Kortrijk
E. Sabbelaan 53 - 8500 Kortrijk - Belgium

Registration fee

The registration fee includes all conference sessions, the conference papers and presentations, lunches and coffee breaks.

Academic researchers:

One day: 40 EUR - Two days: 60 EUR

Legal practitioners:

One day: 80 EUR - Two days: 120 EUR

Members of the Ius Commune Research School can participate for free.

Registration to the conference can be done by filling in the reply card or the online subscription form on www.kuleuven-kortrijk/DCFR before the 5th of June 2010.

In case of cancellation until the 5th of June 2010 there will be charged 25 EUR for the administration costs made. In case of cancellation after the 5th of June 2010 the total registration fee stays indebted. Replacement by a colleague is possible if we are informed on time. We only accept written cancellations.

Accreditation

For Belgian lawyers: requested

For Belgian magistrates: requested

International Conference
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