



**University in Rijeka  
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organise the international conference

***„Envisioning a new social model for Europe - the economic crisis  
aftermath  
(Lessons from Transition)“***

**Opatija  
Villa Antonio, V. Nazora 2**

**17 – 18 October 2014**

**Programme:**

**Friday, 17 October 2014**

**9:30 – 10:00 Welcome greetings**

Prof. Dr. Eduard Kunštek, Dean of the Faculty of Law, University of Rijeka

Prof. Dr. Nada Bodiroga-Vukobrat, Head of the Inter-University Centre of Excellence Opatija

Dr. Martin Axmann, Representative of the Hanns-Seidel-Foundation for Hungary, Croatia and Slovakia

Mr. Ivo Dujmić, Mayor of the Town of Opatija

***Introductory lectures***

**10:00 – 10:30 Prof. Dr. Peter-Christian Müller-Graff, University of Heidelberg (GER)**

On the Legitimacy of Europeanisation of Private Law

- 10:30 – 11:00 Prof. Dr. Bernd Baron von Maydell, prof. emeritus, University of Bonn (GER)**  
Lessons from transition
- 11:00 – 11:30 Prof. Dr. Franz Marhold, Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien (AUT)**  
Regional cooperation in transition periods
- 11:30 – 12:00 Coffee break**
- 12:00 – 12:20 Prof. Dr. Sanja Barić, Faculty of Law, University of Rijeka (HR)**  
Challenges of Globalization and Transition
- 12:20 – 12:40 Prof. Dr. Gerald G. Sander, Dr. Steffen Karcher, Hochschule für öffentliche Verwaltung und Finanzen Ludwigsburg (GER)**  
Surveillance, understanding and social rights as guarantors for a peaceful future in the EU – the necessity for social security especially in times of crisis
- 13:00 – 14:30 Lunch break**
- 14:30 – 14:50 Prof. Dr. Nela Vlahinić, Faculty of Economics, University of Rijeka (HR)**  
The liberalization of Interstate Legal Practice in the EU – Case Energy Market
- 14:50 – 15:10 Prof. Dr. Nada Bodiřoga-Vukobrat, Faculty of Law, University of Rijeka (HR)**  
**Prof. Dr. Hana Horak, Faculty of Business and Economics, University of Zagreb, (HR)**  
How Efficient are National Regulations in terms of Participation of Workers in the Decision Making and in Protecting the Social Model?
- 15:10 – 15:30 Dr. Ana Pořćić, Faculty of Law, University of Rijeka (HR)**  
**Dr. Adriřana Martinović, Faculty of Law, University of Rijeka (HR)**  
The market access approach and the free movement of goods in the EU
- 15:30 – 15:50 Dr. Andriřana Bilić, Faculty of Law, University of Split (HR)**  
Labour market and lifelong learning
- 15:50 – 16:30 Discussion**

## **Saturday, 18 October 2014**

- 10:00 – 10:20 Prof. Dr. Iris Goldner Lang, Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb (HR)**  
Constitutional limitations of the EU financial crisis
- 10:20 – 10:40 Prof. Dr. Jasnica Garařić, Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb (HR)**  
Bankruptcy for consumers: Croatian solutions *de lege ferenda*

**10:40 – 11:00 Prof. Dr. Edita Čulinović-Herc, Faculty of Law, University of Rijeka (HR)**  
**Dr. Antonija Zubović, Faculty of Law, University of Rijeka (HR)**  
Selling national champion's shares – national interests vs. free movement of capital

**11:00 – 11:30 Coffee break**

**11:30 – 11:50 Prof. Dr. Mario Vinković, Faculty of Law, University of Osijek (HR)**  
LGBT community in the labour market

**11:50 – 12:10 Prof. Dr. Mirela Župan, Faculty of Law, University of Osijek (HR)**  
Cross-border debt recovery along the lines of Europe 2020 Strategy

**12:10 – 12:30 Dr. Sandra Laleta, Faculty of Law, University of Rijeka (HR)**  
**Dr. Vanja Smokvina, Faculty of Law, University of Rijeka (HR)**  
Social security issues and new EU Members

**12:30 – 12:50 Prof. Dr. Francesca Fiorentini, University of Trieste (IT)**  
The cultural property law and globalization

**12:50 – 13:30 Discussion, final remarks and closing of the conference**

**Participation in the seminar is free of charge**