

CROSS-BORDER CLASS ACTIONS : THE EUROPEAN WAY

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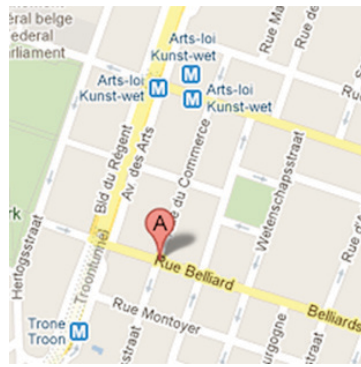
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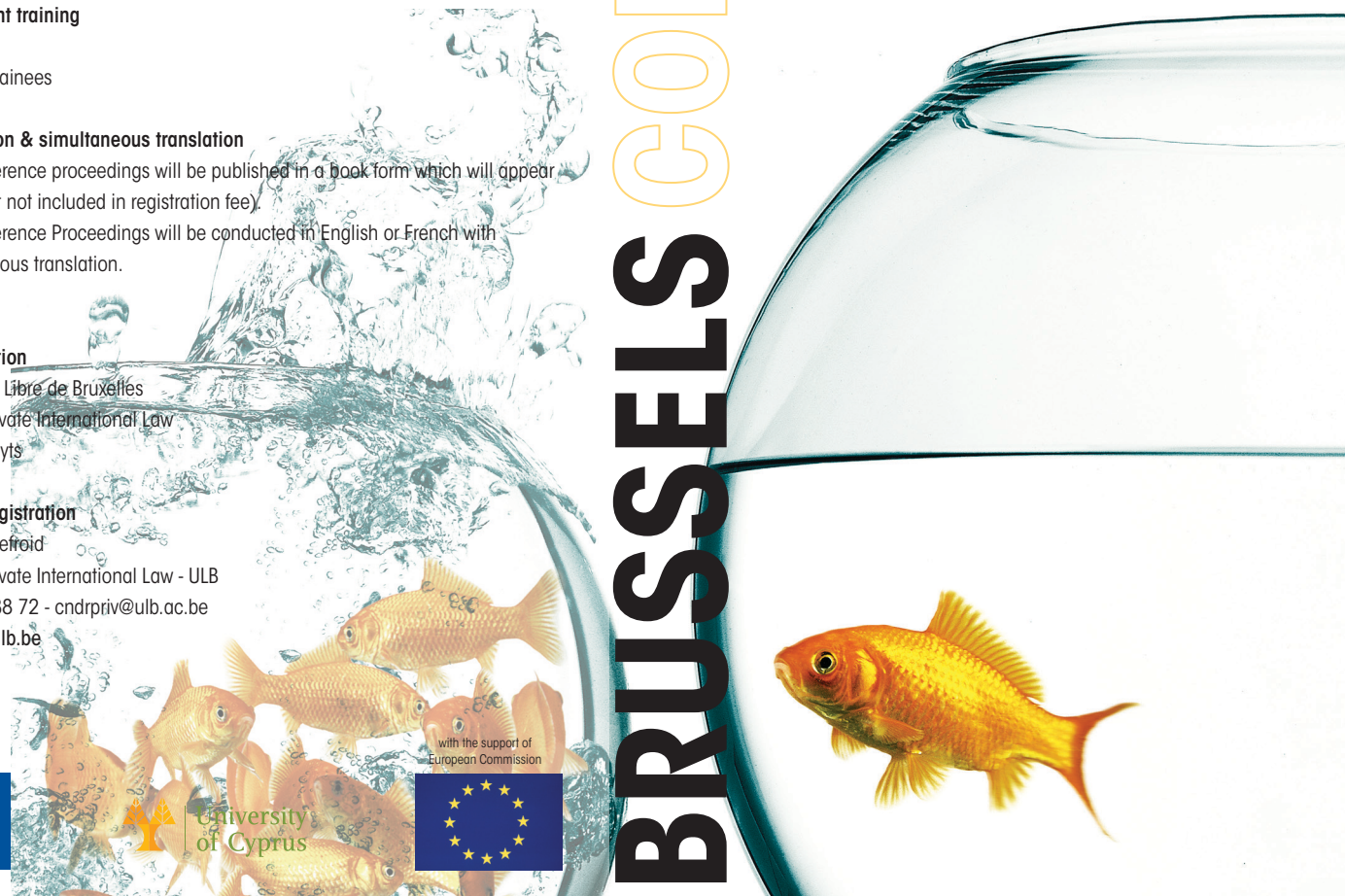
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CONFERENCE PROGRAM

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8:30 **Registration and distribution of documents**
↳ 9:00

9:00 **Welcome**
↳ 9:15 *Arnaud Nuyts, Université Libre de Bruxelles*

PART I
Aggregate Litigation As A New Regulatory Technique
Chair : xxx

9:15 **A Model Typology of Class Actions**
↳ 9:40 *Michael Karayanni, Hebrew University*

9:40 **Introducing a EU Regime for Collective Redress Litigation –**
↳ 10:05 **The State of Play**
Maciej Szpunar, University of Silesia
Lukasz Gorywoda, Université Libre de Bruxelles

10:05 **Collective Redress in the Post-Regulatory State**
↳ 10:40 *Horatia Muir Watt, Science-Po Paris*

10:40 **Question time**
↳ 11:00

11:00 **Coffee Break**
↳ 11:25

PART II
Eu Cross-Border Collective Redress Litigation
Chair : Alexander Layton QC

11:25 **Collective Redress and the Brussels I Jurisdictional Model**
↳ 11:50 *Burkhard Hess, University of Heidelberg*

11:50 **The Consolidation of Collective Claims under Brussels I**
↳ 12:15 *Arnaud Nuyts, Université Libre de Bruxelles*

12:15 **Recognition, Enforcement and Collective Judgments**
↳ 12:40 *Richard Fentiman, University of Cambridge*

12:40 **Question Time**
↳ 13:00

13:00 **Lunch Time**
↳ 14:10 **Keynote speaker**

p.m.

14:10 **The Worldwide Reach of US Class Actions**
↳ 14:50 *Ralf Michaels, Duke University*
Louise Ellen Teitz, Roger Williams University, Hague Conference

14:50 **Collective Redress and Arbitration**
↳ 15:10 *Luca Radicati di Brozolo, University of Milano*

15:10 **Coffee Break**
↳ 15:30

Part III
Cross-Border Collective Redress in Specific Fields
Chair : Hakim Boularbah, Université Libre de Bruxelles

15:30 **Collective Redress and Competition Policy**
↳ 16:10 *Michael Hellner, University of Uppsala*
Lia Athanassiou, University of Athens

16:10 **Collective Redress and Consumer Protection**
↳ 16:50 *Cristina Gonzalez, University of Barcelona*
Goska Posnow-Wurm, Université Libre de Bruxelles

16:50 **Collective Redress and Financial Markets**
↳ 17:30 *Anna Gardella, University of Milano*
Charalambos Savvides, University of Cyprus

17:30 **Question Time**
↳ 18:00

18:00 **Conclusions: Collective Redress and Global Governance**
Nikitas Hatzimihail, University of Cyprus

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