

The **Department of Law** at the **University of Cyprus** kindly invite you to a research seminar on

‘The emergence of new own resources to strengthen the EU budget and achieve green policy objectives: A win-win or a difficult fit?’

Wednesday, 18 January 2023 at 18:00-19:15

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Chair: Associate Professor Constantinos Kombos

Abstract

There is an impetus under the Multiannual Financial Framework for 2021-2027 and the Recovery Instrument known as Next Generation EU to move away from a strong focus on Member State contributions, to common sources of revenue that simultaneously serve common EU objectives. New own resources, including the plastic levy and the proposed own resources based on the EU Emissions Trading System (ETS) and the carbon border adjustment mechanism (CBAM), represent a significant shift in the EU’s funding architecture to ‘purposeful sources’ of revenue. This presentation assesses the emergence of own resources relating to the green transition, against the criteria of suitability, genuineness, and fairness. ‘Green’ EU revenue emerges as a significant policy steering mechanism with both internal implications, by furthering EU integration while testing solidarity, as well as external implications, affecting the EU’s relations with its trading partners and raising concerns of international distributive justice.

Speaker Bio

Ioanna Hadjiyianni is an Assistant Professor at the Department of Law, University of Cyprus. She is an editor for the Review Articles Section at the Journal of Environmental Law. Ioanna recently received the Young Researcher Award for Social Sciences and Humanities from the Cyprus Research and Innovation Foundation. Before joining UCY in 2019, she was a Max Weber Postdoctoral Fellow at the European University Institute. She received her PhD from King’s College London in 2017. Her thesis was published as a monograph with Hart Publishing in 2019, titled *[The EU as a Global Regulator for Environmental Protection: A Legitimacy Perspective](#)*. Prior to joining King’s, she was a Schuman trainee at the Committee on Petitions at the European Parliament. Ioanna holds a Master of Laws (LLM) in Environmental Law and Policy from University College London (2012) and an LLB in English and European Law from Queen Mary University of London (2011).

Practical Details

Language: The seminar will be conducted in English

Registration: Please register for the Zoom meeting following [this link](#).