



Private Transnational Regulation: Constitutional Foundations and Governance Design

First Annual Conference – 16-17 June,

University College Dublin

The first annual workshop for the research programme will be held in Dublin in June 2010.

This event is running back to back with the European Consortium of Political Research Standing Group on Regulatory Governance Biennial Conference 'Regulation in an Age of Crisis' to be held in Dublin 17-19 June - http://regulation.upf.edu/index.php?id=dublin_2010.

Academic Programme

(all sessions to be held in UCD unless stated otherwise)

Tuesday 15 June, 6pm, Clinton Auditorium, UCD Clinton Institute (Building 30 on campus map http://www.ucd.ie/maps/UCD_Map_2009.pdf) – All welcome to attend but arrive early to get a seat.

Special Pre-Conference Lecture (organised by UCD School of Philosophy)

Professor Jürgen Habermas

'The Political': The Rational Meaning of a Questionable Inheritance of Political Theology

Wednesday 16 June, Venue 1 – NovaUCD (Building 37 on Campus Map
http://www.ucd.ie/maps/UCD_Map_2009.pdf)

9.30-11.00 Plenary Session: Constitutional Foundations of Transnational Private Regulatory Regimes

Fabrizio Cafaggi (EUI)

‘The new foundations of transnational private regulation’

Peer Zumbansen (Osgoode Hall)

‘Transnational Regulation as Methodological Challenge: Towards a Concept of Transnational Legal Pluralism’

Martin Bohmer (UDES Arg.)

Transnational private regulation in South America

Danilo de Araujo

Private Regulation in Brazil: a general framework

1100-1130 Coffee

**1130-1300 Unit 1 Workshop on Work in Progress and Case Studies:
Consumer Protection I**

Fabrizio Cafaggi

Introduction

Papers

Agnieszka Janzuk (EUI)

‘Constitutional foundations of private regulation: evidence from case law’

Paul Verbruggen (EUI)

‘Transnational Private Regulation in Advertising: Emergence and Enforcement’

Federica Casarosa (EUI), Sophie Stalla Bourdillon (EUI)

‘Transnational private regulation in ecommerce: trading platforms and social networks’

Case Studies

Panos Delimatsis (TU)

Donal Casey (UCD)

13.00-14.00 Lunch

**14.00-1515 Unit 2 Workshop on Work in Progress and Case Studies:
Transnational Private Regulation and Human Rights**

Papers

Lokke Moerel (University of Amsterdam)

‘Transborder self-regulation of Data Protection’

Case Studies

Nicola Jägers (TU) , Willem van Genugten and Evgeni Moyakine (TU)

Fiona de Londras (UCD)

1515-1545 Coffee

**1545-1715 Unit 3 Unit Workshop on Work in Progress and Case Studies:
Financial Market Regulation**

Papers

**Cynthia A. Williams (University of Illinois School of Law) & John M. Conley
(University of North Carolina School of Law)**

Global Banks as Global Sustainability Regulators: The Equator Principles

Poonam Puri (Osgoode Hall Law School)

The Equator Principles, Corporate Governance and the Financial Crisis

Agnieszka Janczuck (EUI)

Transnational Private Regulation in Banking: Emergence and Enforcement

Case Studies

Burkard Eberlein and Alan Richardson (York University)

Blanaid Clarke (UCD)

1715-1800 Programme Management (F.Cafaggi, C.Scott and L.Senden)

1900 Drinks Reception – SAS Radisson St Helens Hotel

1930 Dinner – La Talavera Restaurant, SAS Radisson St Helens Hotel

Thursday 17 June Venue 2 – Quinn School of Business (Building 44 on Campus Map
http://www.ucd.ie/maps/UCD_Map_2009.pdf)

0900-1030 Plenary Session – Enforcement, Performance and Accountability in Transnational Private Regulation

Donal Casey (UCD) and Colin Scott (UCD)

‘The Crystallisation of Norms’

Federica Casarosa (EUI), Paul Verbruggen (EUI), Sophie Stalla Bourdillon (EUI)

‘Enforcing Transnational Private Regulation: Matching Global Norms to Local Enforcers’

Anne Meuwese (Tilburg) and Jacco Bomhoff (LSE)

‘The Meta-Regulation of Transnational Private Regulation’

Linda Senden (Tilburg) and Deirdre Curtin (Amsterdam)

‘Accountability in Transnational Private Regulatory Regimes’

1030-1100 Coffee

1045-1200 Plenary Panel – The Future of Transnational Private Regulation

Each panellist is asked to prepare a five minute presentation on the theme and this will be followed by discussion. Delegates to the ECPR Standing Group on Regulatory Governance Biennial Conference will be invited to attend.

Panellists: Sol Picciotto (Onati), Julia Black (LSE), David Levi-Faur (Hebrew University, Jerusalem), Errol Meidinger (Buffalo), Frans van Waarden (Utrecht)

Themes which might be addressed by the panellists include:

- Complementarities between TPR regimes and national and supranational governmental regimes
- Claims to effectiveness of TPR regimes
- TPR and the rule of law
- The legitimacy of TPR in light of anxieties about self-regulation emerging from the Global Financial Crisis
- TRP and democratic governance
- Enforcement of TPR regimes
- TPR and the pursuit of human rights

Midday Workshop ENDS - Sandwich Lunch

**13:00 ECPR Standing Group on Regulatory Governance Biennial Conference
“Regulation in the Age of Governance”**