



THE 5TH GREIT CONFERENCE

TAXATION AND HUMAN RIGHTS IN EUROPE AND THE WORLD

European University Institute, Badia Fiesolana (Florence), Italy
16 and 17 September 2010

Georg Kofler and Pasquale Pistone (on behalf of the GREIT Group of Research on European International Taxation – www.greit-tax.eu) together with Miguel Maduro of the European University Institute are hosting a joint conference on “**Taxation and Human Rights in Europe and the World**” on 16 and 17 September 2010 at the premises of the European University Institute in Fiesole, i.e. in the beautiful outskirts of Florence, Italy. The 2010 GREIT conference will deal with issues surrounding the impact of the Lisbon Treaty on EU law and explore the possible development of human rights in the field of taxation in the era of global law.

Day 1 – Thursday, 16 September 2010

08:30 – 09:00

Opening of the Conference

Georg Kofler, *University of Linz*
Miguel Maduro, *European University Institute*
Pasquale Pistone, *WU Vienna and University of Salerno*

09:00 – 10:30

Session 1 – Human Rights in the EU after the Treaty of Lisbon – The Perspectives after the Entry into Force of the Charter and the Possible Accession to the ECHR

Chair

Miguel Maduro, *European University Institute*

Panelists

Loïc Azoulay, *European University Institute*
Samantha Besson, *University of Fribourg*
Daniel Sarmiento, *European Court of Justice*
Peter Wattel, *Hoge Raad der Nederlanden and University of Amsterdam*

10:30 – 11:00

Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:30

Session 2 – The Role of the EU in International Tax Policy and Human Rights

Chair

Pasquale Pistone, *WU and University of Salerno*

Panelists

Philip Baker, *Institute of Advanced Legal Studies University of London and Grey’s Inn Tax Chambers*
Cécile Brokelind, *University of Lund*
Theodoros Fortsakis, *University of Athens*
Daniel Gutmann, *University of Paris 1 Sorbonne-Panthéon*

12:30 – 14:00

Lunch Break

14:00 – 15:30

Session 3 – Human Rights, Their Enforcement, Economic Policy and International taxation in the era of Global Law

Chair

Georg Kofler, *University of Linz*

Panelists

Ana Paula Dourado, *University of Lisbon*
Martin Scheinin, *European University Institute*
Servaas Van Thiel, *Council of the EU*
Dennis Weber, *University of Amsterdam*

15:30 – 16:00

Coffee Break

16:00 – 17:30

Session 4 – The Era of Global Law and the Search for Constitutional Pluralism

Chair

Miguel Maduro, *European University Institute*

Panelists

David Rosenbloom, *New York University*

Lucia Serena Rossi, *University of Bologna*

Frans Vanistendael, *IBFD and KU Leuven*

Jan Wouters, *KU Leuven*

Day 2 – Friday, 17 September 2010

09:00 – 10:30

Session 5 – The Impact of Human Rights on Domestic Substantive Taxation

Chair

Ben Terra, *University of Lund*

Panelists

Hans Micklitz, *European University Institute*

Joachim Englisch, *University of Münster*

Raymond Luja, *University of Maastricht*

Martha O'Brien, *University of Victoria*

10:30 – 11:00

Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:30

Session 6 – The Impact of Human Rights on Tax Procedure and Sanctions

Chair

Guglielmo Maisto, *Catholic University of Piacenza*

Panelists

Richard Lyal, *EU Commission*

Roberto Cordeiro Guerra, *University of Florence*

Cristina Mauro, *University of Paris 2 Panthéon-Assas*

Gerald Toifl, *University of Salzburg*

12:30 – 14:00

Lunch Break

14:00 – 15:30

Session 7 – The Impact of Human Rights on Tax Litigation

Chair

Peter Wattel, *Hoge Raad der Nederlanden and University of Amsterdam*

Panelists

Robert Attard, *University of Malta*

Gianluigi Bizioli, *University of Bergamo*

Danil Vinnitskiy, *Ural State Academy of Law*

Adam Zalasinski, *EU Commission*

15.30-16.30

Session 8 – Conclusions and Future Perspectives of Global Taxation

Georg Kofler, *University of Linz*

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