## Draft programme
### 13-15 March 2019

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14.15-15.30  **Panel III. Practice Areas: How Cities are Reshaping Legal Fields (1)**  
*Chair: Miha Marcenko*

- The Changing Features of Urban Governance as Cities Respond to Global Climate Change  
  Anél du Plessis
- Security Cooperation and Countering Radicalisation and Terrorism  
  Alejandro Rodiles
- Cities, Refugees and Migration  
  Barbara Oomen

15.30 -16.00  **Coffee and Tea**

16.00-17.30  **Panel IV. Practice Areas: How Cities are Reshaping Legal Fields (2)**  
*Chair: Geoff Gordon*

- Cities and International Economic Law  
  Lucy Reimers
- Cities’ Rising Soft Power & Soft Law in the Global Context  
  Boris Vormann
- Sports Law  
  Antoine Duval
- Health Governance  
  Elena de Nictolis

**March 15, 2019**

9.00-11.15  **Panel V. The changing relationship between Cities, States and International Law**  
*Chair: Dimitri van den Meerssche*

- Global Administrative Law  
  Édouard Fromageau
- The Urbanization of International Legal Relations  
  Chrystie Swiney
- Managing The Rise of the City Through International Law  
  Carlo Colombo
- Comparative Constitutional Perspectives on the Relationship between the State and the City  
  Geneviève Cartier

11.15-11.30  **Break**

11.30-12.45  **Panel VI. Cities and International Law: Politics and Democratic Potential**  
*Chair: Lisa Roodenburg*

- Urbanizing political concepts for analyzing politics in the city  
  Nir Barak
- The Right to the City  
  Balakrishnan Rajagopal
- Cities and Democratic Legitimacy in International law  
  José L. Martí

12.45-13.00  **Concluding Remarks from the Editors**

13.00  **Lunch**