Doing Business Right Winter Academy: Due Diligence as Master Key to Responsible Business Conduct

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

Day 1: Monday 27 January 2020
The theory behind the due diligence turn

09:00 – 09:30 Arrival and Registration
09:30 - 10:30 Opening and Introductions
10:30 - 10:45 Coffee/Tea Break
10:45 - 12:15 A genealogy of due diligence: the roots below the practice
Antoine Duval (Asser Institute)
12:15 - 13:15 Lunch
13:15 - 17:15 Human rights due diligence: context, concept and applications
Radu Mares (Lund University)

Day 2: Tuesday 28 January 2020
National models of due diligence regulation

09:00 – 10:30 A comparative overview of national due diligence regulations
Antoine Duval (Asser Institute)
10:30 - 10:45 Coffee/Tea Break
10:45 - 12:15 Due diligence Regulation: the Dutch approach
Manon Wolfkamp (MVO Platform)
12:15 - 13:15 Lunch
13:15 - 17:15 Due diligence Regulation: the French approach
Elsa Savourey (Herbert Smith Freehils)
Day 3: Wednesday 29 January 2020
Transnational Models of due diligence regulation

09:00 – 10:30  A transnational approach to due diligence regulation
Antoine Duval (Asser Institute)

10:30 - 10:45  Coffee/Tea Break

10:45 - 12:15  Due diligence and the OECD Guidelines
Barbara Bijelic (OECD)

12:15 - 13:15  Lunch

13:15- 15:15  Due diligence and the European Union: the EU conflict minerals regulation
TBC (European Commission)

15:15 - 15:30  Coffee/Tea Break

15:30 - 17:30  Due diligence and the European Union: the EU timber regulation
Meriam Wortel (NVWA)

Day 4: Thursday 30 January 2020
Due diligence in corporate practice

09:00 – 12:00  Due diligence processes at FrieslandCampina
Louise Vytopil (FrieslandCampina)

12:00 - 13:00  Lunch

13:00 - 17:00  Due diligence processes at Shell
Elisa Holteng (Shell)

Day 5: Friday 31 January 2020
The struggle for due diligence: the NGO perspective

10:00 - 13:00  Study visit at SOMO (Centre for Research on Multinational Corporations)

13:30 – 15:00  Benchmarking due diligence
Shamistha Selvaratnam (World Benchmarking Alliance)