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Thursday, 21st April 2022		
13:30 - 13:45	Welcome Dr. Vesna Lazić, Asser Institute, The Hague Dr. Michał Gondek, European Commission Prof. Dr. Markus Tobias Kotzur, University of Hamburg	
13:45 - 14:15	Keynote Speech Prof. Dr. Burkhard Hess, Max Planck Institute Luxembourg for International, European and Regulatory Procedural Law	
Session 1		
Scope of Application Chair: Prof. Dr. Johan Meeusen, University of Antwerp		
14:15 - 14:25	Summary of the findings of the National Reports	Dr. Fieke van Overbeeke, The Hague Institute of Private International and Foreign Law
14:25 - 14:45	Relationship with other instruments and scope of application <i>ratione personae</i> from a perspective of a Third Country	Prof. Dr. Louise Ellen Teitz, Roger Williams University School of Law, Bristol, Rhode Island
14:45 - 15:05	Scope of application <i>ratione materiae</i> : excluded matters of public, administrative, family law and related matters	Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Hau, Ludwig-Maximilians University of Munich

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15:05 - 15:25	Scope of application <i>ratione materiae</i> : excluded matters of insolvency and of arbitration	Prof. Dr. Antonio Leandro, University of Bari
15:25 - 15:45	Discussion	
15:45 - 16:00	Coffee/Tea and Snack break	
	<p>Session 2</p> <p>Rules on Jurisdiction and Abolishing <i>Exequatur</i> Chair: Prof. Dr. Marta Pertegás Sender, University of Antwerp</p>	
16:00 - 16:10	Summary of the findings of the National Reports	Mr. Michiel de Rooij, Asser Institute, The Hague
16:10 - 16:30	Definition of domicile for the purposes of determining the scope of application and application of the general rule	Prof. Dr. Javier Carrascosa González, University of Murcia
16:30 - 16:50	CJEU ‘Update’ on alternative jurisdiction grounds and exclusive jurisdiction	Prof. Dr. Pietro Franzina, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart in Milan
16:50 - 17:10	Revised rules on recognition and enforcement: abolishing <i>exequatur</i> and provisional measures enforceable under the Regulation	Prof. Dr. Gilles Cuniberti, University of Luxembourg
17:10 - 17:30	Discussion	
Friday, 22nd April 2022		
	<p>Session 3</p> <p>Rules on Jurisdiction and Common Provisions Chair: Ms. Lisette Frohn, The Hague Institute of Private International and Foreign Law</p>	

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09:30 - 09:40	Summary of the findings of the National Reports	Ms. Lisette Frohn, The Hague Institute of Private International and Foreign Law
09:40 - 10:00	Amended rule on prorogation of jurisdiction and relationship with 2005 Hague Convention	Dr. Mukarrum Ahmed, University of Lancaster
10:00 - 10:20	Revised <i>lis pendens</i> rule	Prof. Dr. Jachin Van Doninck, Free University Brussels
10:20 - 10:40	Revised rule on tacit prorogation: obligation of the court seised of a matter involving 'weaker parties' and the consequences of a failure to do so	Prof. Dr. Luís de Lima Pinheiro, University of Lisbon
10:40 - 11:00	Discussion	
11:00 - 11:15	Coffee/Tea and Snack break	
	<p>Session 4</p> <p>Weaker Party Disputes and Enforcement and Recognition of Foreign Judgments</p> <p>Chair: Dr. Vesna Lazić, Asser Institute, The Hague</p>	
11:15 - 11:25	Summary of the findings of the National Reports	Mr. David Althoff, The Hague Institute of Private International and Foreign Law
11:25 - 11:45	Rules on jurisdiction in disputes involving weaker parties/relevance of other EU legal instruments	Prof. Dr. Beatriz Añoveros Terradas, University of Barcelona
11:45 - 12:05	Conditions for the enforcement of foreign judgments	Dr. Pontian Okoli, University of Stirling
12:05 - 12:25	Different regimes and conditions for enforcement amongst EU PIL instruments	Prof. Dr. Francesca Clara Villata, University of Milan

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12:25 - 12:45	Discussion
12:45 - 13:00	Closing Remarks and Conclusions Dr. Vesna Lazić, Asser Institute, The Hague Prof. Dr. Markus Tobias Kotzur, University of Hamburg