



## 6th International Conference on European Company Law and Corporate Governance

### "NEW ERA IN CORPORATE GOVERNANCE: SUSTAINABILITY AT CROSSROADS"

Zagreb, Croatia, November 28-29, 2024

*CONFERENCE PROGRAM*

Dear colleagues & friends,

We are happy to announce that Faculty of Economics & Business, University of Zagreb is organizing 6th International Conference on European Company Law and Corporate Governance - New Era in Corporate Governance: Sustainability at Crossroads, which will be held remotely from Zagreb in November 2024.

Once again, the Conference aims to gather leading European researchers and experts in the field of company law and corporate governance, as well as students and young scholars who are facing the company law and corporate governance issues on an everyday basis.

The Conference will focus on current issues of company law, and will provide the opportunity to keep pace with the latest developments in the field of European company law and corporate governance for its participants.

### **Remote participation and discussion**

The complete Conference will be managed and held online. Therefore, participants will be required to provide adequate IT equipment (personal computer, web cam, microphone, speakers, and internet connection) which will enable them to participate remotely. Information on the platform for remote participation and access instructions will be provided via e-mail on Monday, November 25, 2024. to the registered participants.

### **Registrations and fees**

Since the Conference activities will be limited to presentations and discussion, without accompanying social activities, the Organizing committee decided to cut the Conference fees. The regular conference fee is 90,00 EUR (VAT included). Conference fee for the speakers is 60,00 EUR (VAT included). For more details on the registration and payments please proceed to the [Conference Web page registration section](#).

For any additional information please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind regards,

Professor Hana Horak,  
Program Committee

Assistant Professor Zvonimir Šafranko  
Organizing Committee

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ECL&CG Zagreb 2024, Day 1, November 28 <sup>th</sup> 2024	
08:00-09:00	<b>REGISTRATION</b>
09:00-09:30	<b>OPENING SESSION</b>
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Hana Horak, Chair of the Program Committee</b></li> <li>2. <b>Sanja Sever Mališ, Dean of Faculty of Economics &amp; Business</b></li> <li>3. <b>Ivan Tot, Head of Department for Business Law, FEB &amp; ELI Croatian HUB</b></li> </ol>
09:30-10:30	<b>PLENARY SESSION</b>
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Antigoni Alexandropoulou: CORPORATE SUSTAINABILITY DUE DILIGENCE</b></li> <li>2. <b>Alessio Bartolacelli: IS THERE A ROLE FOR CORPORATE FINANCE FOR A MORE COMPREHENSIVE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE?</b></li> </ol>
10:30-11:00	<b>BREAK</b>
11:00-13:00	<b>THEMATIC SESSION I: CORPORATE SUSTAINABILITY</b>
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Edita Čulinović Herc; Hana Horak: THE LEGISLATIVE JOURNEY AND KEY PROVISIONS OF THE CORPORATE SUSTAINABILITY DUE DILIGENCE DIRECTIVE (CS3D)</b></li> <li>2. <b>Aleksandra Maganić; Martina Gajski: CLIMATE CHANGE LITIGATION – CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES</b></li> <li>3. <b>Dan-Adrian Caramidariu: THE NEW CORPORATE SUSTAINABILITY DUE DILIGENCE DIRECTIVE: CHANGING LEGAL CULTURES VIA HALF-BAKED TRANSPLANTS? A ROMANIAN PERSPECTIVE.</b></li> <li>4. <b>Elena Codoni: BENEFIT COMPANIES AFTER CSRD: A STRENGTHENING OF REPORTING OR EXCESS TOOLS?</b></li> <li>5. <b>Michele Corgatelli: THE CORPORATE SUSTAINABILITY DUE DILIGENCE DIRECTIVE: OUTSTANDING ISSUES</b></li> <li>6. <b>Tatjana Jevremovic Petrovic: EXTRA-TERRITORIALITY EFFECT OF THE CSDDD ON NON-EU COMPANIES</b></li> </ol>
13:00-14:00	<b>BREAK</b>
14:00-16:00	<b>THEMATIC SESSION II: CORPORATE GOVERNANCE, FINANCE, REPORTING &amp; AUDITING</b>
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Matej Trkanjec: CREDITING COMPANIES BASED ON THEIR ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT - THE ROLE OF BANKS IN FACILITATING CARBON NEUTRALITY</b></li> <li>2. <b>Emanuele Stabile: SUSTAINABILITY: THE WAY AHEAD ON ESG REPORTING</b></li> <li>3. <b>Ana Ježovita; Boris Tušek: EFFECTS OF AUDITS QUALITY AND RESULTS ON EARNINGS MANAGEMENT: EVIDENCE FROM CROATIA</b></li> <li>4. <b>Clara De Chirico: RETHINKING CORPORATE LAW THEORY IN ITALY: FROM THE ECONOMIC ANALYSIS OF LAW TO THE THEORY OF THE COMMONS</b></li> </ol>

	<p><b>5. Rafael Savva:</b> ENCOURAGING THE UNDERTAKING OF DOUBLE-MATERIALITY-MINDED ENGAGEMENT PRACTICES THROUGH LEGAL REGULATION: MUCH TO DO AND EVEN MORE TO CONSIDER</p> <p><b>6. Darko Tipurić; Lana Cindrić; Anamarija Idžojzić:</b> INTEGRITY AND GOVERNANCE: COMPARING ANTICORRUPTION GUIDELINES ACROSS THE EUROPEAN UNION</p> <p><b>7. Ema Mendušić Škugor:</b> DO LAWYERS NEED (MORE) CORPORATE GOVERNANCE?</p>
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ECL&CG Zagreb 2024, Day 2, November 29th	
	<p><b>THEMATIC SESSION III: DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF BOARD MEMBERS</b></p>
09:00-11:00	<p><b>1. Dina Tomšić; Maja Janković; Sanja Tišma:</b> THE EVOLUTION OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AS A MODERATOR OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES – CASE OF CROATIA</p> <p><b>2. Andreja Hašček; Martina Galović Kučević:</b> CAN SUSTAINABILITY BE A GAME CHANGER FOR GENDER BALANCE IN BOARDS AND CORPORATE GOVERNANCE IN CROATIAN LISTED COMPANIES?</p> <p><b>3. Anne-Marie Weber; Stephen Park:</b> CORPORATE PURPOSE IN FLUX: THE ROLE FOR REGULATORY STRATEGIES IN SUSTAINABLE FINANCE</p> <p><b>4. Dušan Jovanović; Nikola Jovanović:</b> SUSTAINABILITY VERSUS PROFITABILITY OR RESPONSIBILITIES AND REMUNERATIONS OF MANAGEMENT IN EU AND SLOVENIAN COMPANIES</p> <p><b>5. Anatolij Kostruba:</b> DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS (D&amp;O) LIABILITY: CURRENT TRENDS IN EU TORT LAW</p> <p><b>6. Luca Della Tommasina:</b> APPRAISAL RIGHT AND CORPORATE REORGANIZATIONS: DIRECTORS' DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES</p>
11:00-11:30	<b>BREAK</b>
	<p><b>THEMATIC SESSION IV: THE USE OF DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY AND AI IN COMPANY LAW</b></p>
11:30-13:30	<p><b>1. Mihaela Braut Filipović; Sara Madžarov Matijević; Morana Derenčinović Ruk:</b> CONTRACTUAL EXPANSION OF SHAREHOLDERS' ACCESS TO CORPORATE INFORMATION – AN INFRINGEMENT OR A NEW MODEL OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE?</p> <p><b>2. Zvonimir Šafranko:</b> DIGITAL DATA (IN GENERAL) AS A MEMBERS' CONTRIBUTION TO PARTNERSHIPS AND</p>

	<p>LIMITED COMPANIES FROM THE PERSPECTIVE OF CROATIAN LAW</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. <b>Ana Pošćić; Adrijana Martinović; Narda Krnetić Blečić:</b> EXPLORING THE “DIGITAINABILITY” POTENTIAL OF SUSTAINABILITY AGREEMENTS UNDER THE COMMISSION’S GUIDELINES ON HORIZONTAL COOPERATION AGREEMENTS</li> <li>4. <b>Giuseppe Claudio Cicu; Matteo Peluso:</b> EU AI ACT AND SYNTHETIC DATA: NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR MARTECH AND ADTECH COMPANIES?</li> <li>5. <b>Iva Mišković:</b> THE USE OF DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY IN COMPANY LAW: ESSENTIAL LEGAL SKILLS FOR MODERN PROFESSIONALS</li> <li>6. <b>Ivan Romashchenko:</b> VERIFICATION OF SHAREHOLDERS USING DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES IN THE BALTIC STATES: A COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVE</li> <li>7. <b>Jelena Lepetić:</b> GENDER BALANCE AMONG DIRECTORS IN THE AGE OF AI</li> </ol>
<b>13:30-14:30</b>	<b>BREAK</b>
<b>14:30-16:30</b>	<p><b>THEMATIC SESSION V: NEW TENDENCIES IN COMPARATIVE COMPANY LAW</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Jakub Brejđak:</b> THE ELUSIVE SHAREHOLDER - LEVERAGING FAMILY FOUNDATIONS FOR CORPORATE CONTROL UNDER POLISH LAW</li> <li>2. <b>Antun Bilić; Ivan Luetić:</b> NON-CONFORMITY IN AN ASSET DEAL AND A SHARE DEAL</li> <li>3. <b>Luminița Tuleașcă:</b> THE VOCATION OF THE COURT OF JUSTICE OF THE EUROPEAN UNION CASE LAW TO RESHAPE LEGAL PARADIGMS IN COMPANY LAW - THE CASE OF THE CROSS-BORDER TRANSFORMATION OF COMPANIES IN THE EUROPEAN UNION AND ITS IMPLICATIONS FOR THE ROMANIAN LAW</li> <li>4. <b>Michal Bieniak:</b> LIMITED JOINT-STOCK PARTNERSHIP – THE FORGOTTEN PARTNERSHIP</li> <li>5. <b>Tina Jakupak; Željka Bregeš:</b> THE CROSS-BORDER PATROL: A (RE)VIEW OF COURT REGISTER JUDGES</li> <li>6. <b>Tomislav Jakšić; Petar Ceronja:</b> PROCEDURE FOR THE SHAREHOLDER’S EXCLUSION FROM A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO THE EFFECTS OF SUCH EXCLUSION FROM THE COMPANY</li> </ol>