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Master of International Law and Economics (MILE)

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Weekly Courses MILE 10 Term II

Non-Discrimination in International Economic Law

January 4 – 7, 2010

Course number II/01

These lectures cover the fundamental principles of Most-Favoured Nation Treatment and National Treatment in the WTO agreements. They concentrate on the jurisprudence of WTO Panels and the Appellate Body concerning GATT Articles I and III, and GATS Articles II and XVII. Non-discrimination is a core principle of the international trading system, and a detailed understanding of its meaning in international trade law will be of particular interest to all interested in WTO law, including government, NGOs, international lawyers and academics.

Lecturers:

Andrew Lang

Andrew Lang is a Senior Lecturer in the Law Department of the London School of Economics, which he joined in September 2006. He previously studied at the University of Sydney, and the University of Cambridge, where he received his PhD, and was then a Junior Research Fellow at Trinity Hall, Cambridge. His research interests include the interaction between international trade law and other sub-fields of international law (particularly human rights law); the General Agreement on Trade in Services; sociological and constructivist approaches to the study of international organisations (focussing on the WTO); the design of global governance institutions in conditions of pervasive uncertainty; and the impact of WTO legal obligations on domestic regulatory decision-making processes.

Marion Jansen

Marion Jansen is a senior specialist for trade and employment in the Employment Sector of the International Labor Office. Previous to joining the ILO she was a counsellor in the Economic Research and Statistics Division of the World Trade Organization. In that position she co-authored the joint ILO-WTO study "Trade and Employment: Challenges for Policy Research". Marion Jansen holds a PhD in economics from the Universidad Pompeu Fabra (Barcelona, Spain) and held different positions in academia and the private sector before joining the international institutions. Her publications in the field of international economics have been published in journals like the *Review of International Economics* and *World Economy* and cover the areas of trade adjustment, government regulation, international finance, migration, services liberalization and labour markets.

Cost: CHF 1'500

Tariffs and Non-Tariff Barriers

January 11 - 14, 2010

Course number: II/02

Lectures and studies on tariffs, tariff restrictions, tariffication, VERs, tariff rate quotas and licensing regimes, the law of quantitative restrictions (methods, concessions, consolidation, bindings, compensation). Of particular interest to private sector trading, agriculture and government negotiations and regulation.

Lecturers:

Paolo Vergano

Paolo R. Vergano is a partner at FratiniVergano - European Lawyers and a member of the firm's Trade Group. His practice focuses on international trade law (i.e., WTO law, dispute settlement and trade negotiation in the areas of agriculture, services and non-tariff barriers such as sanitary and phytosanitary measures and technical barriers to trade). Mr. Vergano has extensive experience in advising Governments on WTO accession procedures and multilateral/regional trade negotiation. He represents private clients affected by WTO and FTA negotiations in the services sectors of postal and courier, energy and finance. Mr. Vergano started his professional career in Brussels in 1995, working on trade issues and early WTO dispute settlement procedures at the British law firm of Stanbrook and Hooper. Prior to co-founding FratiniVergano in 2007, he also worked at the European Parliament as a researcher with the External Economic Relations (REX) Committee, in the International Trade Group of White & Case LLP in Washington, DC and at O'Connor and Company in Brussels, where he became partner in 2005. Mr. Vergano is admitted in Belgium and is a member of the Brussels bar (A list), the IBA and ETLA. Mr. Vergano is a graduate of the Faculty of Law of the University of Torino, Italy (1995), received a Diplôme Supérieur de Droit Comparé at the Faculté Internationale de Droit Comparé in Strasbourg, France (1996) and holds a Master's degree in International Business and Trade Law from the University of Fordham School of Law in New York, United States (1997). He is a frequent lecturer and author on issues of WTO law.

Jaime de Melo

Jaime de Melo, a founding member of the WTI, has taught economics at the University of Geneva since 1993. Previously, he held various positions in the Research Department at the World Bank where he worked between 1980 and 1993. He taught at Georgetown University from 1976 to 1980 and worked at USAID, the bilateral aid agency of the US from 1973 to 1976. He has been editor in chief of the World Bank Economic Review since 2005. He is the author, editor, or co-editor of a dozen books and has published extensively in the area of international trade policy, and has consulted with various governments and law firms. Most of his publications are available at <http://ideas.repec.org/e/pde173.html>

Cost: CHF 1'500

Regional Integration

January 18 - 21, 2010

Course number II/03

This course focuses on regional integration and the manner in which it is related to the disciplines of WTO law by adopting both an economic and a legal perspective. Lectures include surveys of major economic zones and approaches outside of Europe such as NAFTA, Mercosur and ASEAN. The role and effects of rules of origin will be discussed. On the economic side the course will cover the basic economics of preferential agreements including the political economy of why countries join RTAs, the core ideas of trade creation and trade diversion, and the impact on competition and growth.

This course is of interest to trade policy officials dealing with bilateral and regional relations as well as practitioners confronted with preferential trade issues.

Lecturers:

Peter Holmes

Peter Holmes is Reader in the Economics University of Sussex where he teaches graduate and undergraduate courses on European Integration. He is also a visiting Professor at the College of Europe. He has been a consultant to the European Commission, the UK Dept of Business, UK DFID, UNCTAD and the World Bank. He has also taken part in numerous conferences and training courses on the EU, Regional Integration, and the WTO in various parts of Europe, and also South Africa, China and Washington DC. He has a BA and PhD in economics from the University of Cambridge. He has worked on the interface of law and economics, including anti-dumping, competition policy. His particular current interests include the implications of "deep" regulatory integration and the use of non econometric methods to quantify the gains from integration, (the "Sussex Framework"). His publications include books, articles and contributions to official reports. In the 1980s and 1990s he was a member of study groups set up by the European Commission to evaluate the Single Market. Apart from the EU itself he has worked on the EU's relations with India, the EPAs and SADC and Mercosur, and the role of competition policy in RTAs.

Edwini Kessie

Edwini Kessie works in the Council and Trade Negotiations Committee Division at the WTO, which has the responsibility for coordinating the negotiations which were launched in Doha, Qatar in November 2001. He is also a part-time lecturer in international trade law at the World Trade Institute in Berne, Switzerland and also the University of Technology in Sydney, Australia. He has a Doctorate Degree in Law from the University of Technology, Sydney, Australia and Masters' Degrees in Law from the University of Toronto, Canada and the University of Brussels, Belgium and a Bachelor's Degree in Law from the University of Ghana. He is admitted as a solicitor of the Supreme Courts of England & Wales, New South Wales, Australia and Ghana. He has practiced Corporate and Commercial Law in Sydney, Australia and International Trade Law and European Community Law in Brussels, Belgium. Dr. Kessie joined the WTO Secretariat in January 1995 and has worked in various divisions of the Secretariat including the Development Division, the Training Division and the legal unit of the Technical Cooperation Division, where he had the responsibility for assisting developing countries wishing to have recourse

to the dispute settlement procedures of the WTO. Dr. Kessie has participated in many international conferences on international trade and written a number of articles on international trade issues.

Cost: CHF 1'500

Dispute Settlement

January 25 - 29, 2010

Course number II/04

Lectures on the basic principles, institutions, and proceedings of the WTO dispute settlement system as well as on WTO dispute settlement practice to date. Case law relating to jurisdiction of and access to the system and rules of interpretation and burden of proof is extensively discussed. Also the rules of conduct, the remedies for breach of WTO law and the special rules and assistance for developing-country Members are dealt with in detail. The course concludes with a day-long simulation exercise.

Lecturers:

William Davey

William J. Davey retired as the Guy Raymond Jones Chair in Law at the University of Illinois College of Law in August 2008. He had taught at the College since 1984 and continues to teach a course on international trade law. From 1995 to 1999, he was the Director of the Legal Affairs Division of the World Trade Organization. Professor Davey is the author of *Legal Problems of International Economic Relations* (5th ed. 2008, with Jackson & Sykes); *Enforcing World Trade Rules* (2006); *European Community Law* (2d ed. 2002, with Bermann, Goebel & Fox); *Pine & Swine: Canada-United States Trade Dispute Settlement* (1996); and *Handbook of WTO/GATT Dispute Settlement (1991-2000, with Pescatore & Lowenfeld)*, and the editor (with Jackson) of *The Future of International Economic Law* (2008), as well as the author of many articles on various international trade law issues. He is Associate Editor of the [Oxford] *Journal of International Economic Law* and co-General Editor of the Cambridge University Press *International Trade and Economic Law* book series. In December 2007 the University of Bern awarded Professor Davey a JD h.c., inter alia, "for his fundamental work in the development and evolution of the World Trade Organization's dispute settlement system." After leaving the WTO he served on WTO arbitral panels in respect of international trade disputes between Canada and Brazil, the European Union and Korea, and the European Union and the United States. After his graduation from the University of Michigan Law School in 1974, he served as a law clerk to Judge J. Edward Lumbard and Justice Potter Stewart and worked in Brussels and New York for Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton.

Lothar Ehring

Lothar Ehring serves in the Unit of the European Commission's Directorate-General for Trade that is responsible for legal aspects of trade policy. He is the coordinator for legal issues of multilateral trade, handles a number of

current WTO disputes and also represents the European Community in the negotiations on the reform of the WTO Dispute Settlement Understanding. Mr. Ehring specializes in horizontal questions of dispute settlement, the law of non-discrimination, trade in agriculture and institutional questions of the WTO, topics on which he also lectures at universities and publishes in law reviews.

Prior to his present position, Lothar Ehring was Legal Affairs Officer in the Legal Affairs Division and the Appellate Body Secretariat of the World Trade Organization in Geneva, where he worked on dispute settlement cases and occasionally trained trade officials from member governments. He graduated in law from the University of Passau in Germany, holds the German qualification for the judicial office and a Master of Public Administration from Harvard University.

Cost: CHF 1'750.–

Trade Remedies I

February 1 - 4, 2010

Course number II/05

The first part of a two week course on international trade remedies, this course comprises lectures and studies that deal primarily with US and EC Anti-dumping / Safeguards law and practices and how they relate to WTO law (the Anti-dumping and Safeguards Agreements). The course covers both substantive and procedural aspects from a practical perspective. Of interest to government, industry, practicing lawyers and NGOs interested in development issues.

Lecturers:

Edwin Vermulst

Edwin Vermulst has practiced international trade law and policy in Washington DC and Brussels since 1985 and is a founding partner of Vermulst Verhaeghe Graafsma & Bronckers Advocaten. He is a member of the Brussels bar A-list. Mr. Vermulst graduated from the University of Utrecht in 1983 and obtained LL.M and SJD degrees from the University of Michigan Law School in 1984 and 1986. Mr. Vermulst specializes in the defence of multinationals, trade associations and interested parties (exporters, importers and producers) in EC commercial defence and customs proceedings, for example, in the on-going anti-dumping investigations involving Footwear, Steel, Silicon metal, Ironing boards, etc. Mr. Vermulst was a WTO Panelist in Mexico-HFCS and has been involved in various WTO dispute settlement proceedings, most recently in EC-ITA and EC-Certain customs matters. He has (co-)authored eight books, including landmark comparative analyses of the anti-dumping systems of Australia, Canada, the EC and the US with Professor John Jackson in 1989 and of rules of origin with Jacques Bourgeois and Paul Waer in 1994, and numerous articles. His last book on the WTO Anti-Dumping Agreement was published in 2006 by Oxford University Press. Mr. Vermulst is a Member of the Faculty of the

World Trade Institute in Bern. He is the Editor-in-Chief of the Journal of World Trade and the Global Trade and Customs Journal. Mr. Vermulst is invariably selected as a top trade practitioner by publications such as Who's Who Legal, Legal 500, Chambers Global and the Rushford report.

Jorge Miranda

Jorge Miranda is the Principal International Trade Advisor at King & Spalding LLP. Mr. Miranda is an economist with 15 years of experience in the area of trade remedies. He is co-author of A Handbook on Antidumping Investigations, jointly published by Cambridge University Press and the World Trade Organization in 2003, and has published a number of academic papers in this field. He served as a trade remedies expert in the WTO Secretariat from 1995 through 2002. In this capacity, he serviced several dispute settlement panels (including the landmark panels EC-Bed Linen and US-Lead and Bismuth II), and trained the trade remedy authorities of nearly 25 developing countries. Previously, he served as Deputy Director General for Dumping and Subsidy Investigations, and Director of Trade Policy, at the Mexican Ministry of Trade and Industry. Since joining King & Spalding, he has assisted parties involved in trade remedy proceedings conducted by China, Mexico, the EC, Peru, Australia, and Japan, and has been involved in four dispute settlement panels before the WTO. He also served as member of a bi-national panel under Chapter XIX of the NAFTA, and has conducted training courses on WTO trade remedy rules under the auspices of the WTO Secretariat, the Organization of American States, the Andean Community, and the International Development Law Institute. He has also consulted for UNCTAD. Mr. Miranda holds undergraduate and graduate degrees in economics from Georgetown University.

Cost: CHF 1'500 (2'700 together with II/06 Trade Remedies II)

Trade Remedies II

February 8 - 11, 2010

Course number II/06

This course examines the provisions of the WTO Agreement on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures, their implementation and evolution. The course is divided into three main parts: 1) the Subsidies Disciplines (which include the definition of a subsidy, the types of subsidies, their adverse effects to trade, as well as the rules on special and differential treatment to developing countries), 2) the provisions on the application of Countervailing Measures, and 3) the current DDA negotiations and climate change as far as the SCM agreement is concerned. Legal and practical questions will be raised during the course, where appropriate with examples of dispute settlement cases.

Lecturers:

Gary Horlick

Gary Horlick is an international lawyer specializing in matters of international trade in goods or services. He is also a Lecturer at Yale Law School (1983-1986, 2001-present), Georgetown Law Center (1986-present), and the World Trade Institute since 2001. He is a US national, and was educated at Dartmouth College, Cambridge University and Yale Law School. He has previously held the positions of U.S. Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Import Administration, 1981-1983; International Trade Counsel, U.S. Senate Committee on Finance, 1981; Attorney with the Washington law firm of Steptoe & Johnson, 1976-1981 and Assistant Representative, Ford Foundation, Santiago, Chile and Bogota, Colombia (after starting as Assistant to the Representative), 1973-1976. He was the first Chairman for the WTO's Permanent Group of Experts on Subsidies.

Victor do Prado

Victor do Prado currently works as Deputy Chief of Staff to the Director-General of the WTO. He previously served as a Counsellor in the WTO Rules Division where he acted as a Secretary of the WTO Committee on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures. During his work at the WTO, he held the position of the Chairman of the Subsidies Committee and the Panellist in various cases, and he was a Member of the Brazilian Delegation to Dispute Settlement Proceedings several times. Victor do Prado holds a Degree in Law from the University of São Paulo and a Master in International Relations from the Brazilian Diplomatic Academy. He has lectured at the University of Paris, the Freie Universität Berlin and at Georgetown University Law School.

Cost: CHF 1'500 (2'700 together with II/05 Trade Remedies I)

Health, TBT, SPS, GMOs

February 15 - 18, 2010

Course number II/07

Lectures and studies on the implementation and application of general exceptions and of the Agreements on Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT Agreement) and Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures (SPS Agreement). The course addresses fundamental issues of the relationship between national or regional regulatory powers and disciplines of WTO law. Different approaches to regulating TBT and SPS measures and current issues, such as GMOs, are discussed in a transnational context. Of particular interest to government, industry, agriculture and academics.

Lecturers:

Arthur Appleton

Dr. Arthur E. Appleton is a Founding Partner of Appleton Luff – International Lawyers (www.appletonluff.com) a boutique international trade and arbitration firm with offices in Brussels, Geneva, Singapore, Warsaw and Washington, D.C. Dr. Appleton has more than 20 years of experience in the field of international trade (GATT/WTO) law dating back to the late 1980s when he advised a prominent Asian country during the Uruguay Round negotiations. He works with businesses, sovereign States, international organizations and non-governmental organizations on international trade and arbitration matters and has appeared as lead counsel before the Appellate Body of the World Trade Organization. He has published two books and more than 30 articles on trade and arbitration issues, and is a co-editor (with Patrick Macrory and Michael Plummer) of “The World Trade Organization: Legal, Economic and Political Analysis”, a multi-volume work that appeared in spring 2005. Dr. Appleton serves on the Board of Directors of the World Trade Institute, and on the Steering Committee of the International Trade Law Center of the International Law Institute (Washington, D.C.). He is also on the Board of the International Business Lawyers Association (Geneva), and the Editorial Board of Legal Issues of Economic Integration. Dr. Appleton has been recognized in the International Who’s Who of Trade and Customs Lawyers since the year 2000. Prior to forming Appleton Luff, Dr. Appleton was Counsel with White & Case and Of Counsel with Lalive & Partners.

Gretchen Stanton

Ms Gretchen Heimpel Stanton is a Senior Counsellor in the Agriculture and Commodities Division of the Secretariat of the World Trade Organization (WTO). She joined the Secretariat of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) in 1985. During the Uruguay Round negotiations, she served as the Chairman of the Working Group that negotiated the Agreement on the Application of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures (the “SPS Agreement”). She is now Secretary of the WTO Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures. Ms. Stanton previously also served as Secretary of the International Dairy Agreement of the WTO. She has been the Secretary of a number of GATT and WTO dispute settlement panels. Prior to joining the GATT, she worked for the U.S. Department of Agriculture’s Foreign Agriculture Service in Washington, D.C. and in Mexico City. Her work has taken her to numerous countries, in particular to provide training regarding the SPS Agreement.

Cost: CHF 1'500

Trade in Services

February 25 – March 4, 2010

Course number II/08/09

Lectures and studies regarding the liberalization of trade in services (GATS). The course involves an in-depth introduction into the scope and contents of the GATS and its key legal principles and obligations with a special focus on the relevant GATS case law and the function and structure of the schedules of specific commitments. Further emphasis will be placed on negotiations and adequate negotiating approaches (bilateral, plurilateral or multilateral, request & offer or formula-based), commitments (schedules, conditions) and specific areas, in particular public services such as health and education. This course also comprises discussions of the developmental implications of services trade, the need and scope for trade remedies in services (safeguards and countervailing duties), as well as the status of the MFN requirement and possible departures under the GATS (including MFN exemptions, preferential trade agreements, recognition measures) and, in this context, the role of bilateral labour market agreements and investment treaties.

Lecturers:

Pierre Sauvé

Pierre Sauvé is Deputy Managing Director and Director of Studies at the World Trade Institute (WTI), in Berne, Switzerland, where he teaches in the WTI's MILE programme and directs a Swiss National Foundation research project on the evolving international regulatory framework in service industries (2005-9). He is a Visiting Lecturer and Research Associate in the International Trade Policy Unit at the London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), in London, U.K., and also holds a Visiting Professor appointments in the International Relations Department at the College of Europe, in Bruges, Belgium and at the University of Barcelona Law School, whose LLM programme in International Economic Law and Policy (IELPO) he advises. Since 1999, he has taught in the Academy of International Law's annual Summer Academy on the Law and Economics of the WTO, held in Macau. He is a Senior Fellow of the European Centre for International Political Economy (ECIPE), in Brussels, Belgium, since its launch in October 2006. He was a Visiting Professor at the Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences-Po), in Paris, France, in 2003–04 and has worked as a consultant for the World Bank since January 2003. From 1998–2000, he taught at Harvard University's John F. Kennedy School of Government, in Cambridge, Massachusetts, during which period he was also appointed Non-Resident Senior Fellow at the Brookings Institution, in Washington, D.C. He served as Canada's services negotiator in the North American Free Trade Agreement and was a staff member at the Bank for International Settlements, the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade and the OECD Trade Directorate. In 2007, he was a member of the Warwick Commission on the future of the multilateral trading system. Pierre Sauvé's research interests focus on the evolution of rule-making for services trade and investment and the impact that regional integration agreements exert on the design and operation of the multilateral trading system.

Markus Krajewski

Markus Krajewski is currently Guest Professor at the Collaborative Research Center (Sonderforschungsbereich) "Transformations of the State" of the University of Bremen (Germany) where he works on trade liberalisation and

social regulation in transnational structures. Since July 2009 he also directs a capacity building programme on WTO law for the Law Faculty of Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia. He is on leave from the University of Potsdam where he was Assistant Professor for European, international and German public law. He has been a visiting lecturer at the Postgraduate Programme in European Studies in Berlin, the World Trade Institute in Berne and the Academy of European Law in Florence. He is a frequent consultant on international trade law for governmental institutions and non-governmental organisations. He obtained his Ph.D. from the University of Hamburg (Germany) and is qualified to practice law in Germany. He also holds a Master of Science (M.S.) degree in international relations from Florida State University (USA). His research interests include constitutional and institutional issues of WTO law, GATS, external relations of the EC/EU, and the treatment of public services under European and international law. He is the author of three books on international economic law and of various articles in law journals and edited volumes.

Cost: CHF 2'000

Trade Policy Formulation

March 8 - 12, 2010

Course number II/10

The European Union (EU) is one of the world's main actors in international trade policy. The first part of this course provides an introduction to the EU's law and policies and its role in international trade relations. The first part is devoted to the EU's constitutional foundations: the evolution in membership and treaty-basis, the division of powers between the EU and its member states, the EU's institutional functioning and law-making process. Moreover, an overview of the EU's main economic policies is provided and the EU's external relations are discussed. In the second part special attention will be given to the actual operation of EC trade policy, and to analyzing how trade interests of this diverse group of countries are pursued within the WTO framework. It inquires how private parties can appeal to WTO law when challenging EU measures or, through the EU, third country measures.

Lecturers:

Youri Devuyst

Youri Devuyst teaches politics, institutions and law of the European Union at the Vrije Universiteit Brussel (VUB), Belgium. At the VUB, he is affiliated with the LLM Program on International Legal Cooperation (Faculty of Law) and the Department of Political Science. Mr. Devuyst has worked in the Cabinet of the European Commissioner for competition policy and in several other European Commission services. He also served in the Cabinet of three successive Belgian Ministers of Foreign Affairs.

Mr. Devuyst received his doctorate in political science, an LLM in international and comparative law and a postgraduate degree in international and European law at the Vrije Universiteit Brussel. He also holds an MA in

international relations from Johns Hopkins University's School of Advanced International Studies. Mr. Devuyst's articles have been published in such journals as World Competition, the Journal of World Trade, the Journal of Common Market Studies, the Journal of European Public Policy, the European Foreign Affairs Review, the Journal of European Integration, Global Governance, the Berkeley Journal of International Law. His latest book is entitled The European Union Transformed: Community Method and Institutional Evolution from the Schuman Plan to the Constitution for Europe.

Gary Horlick

Gary Horlick is an international lawyer specializing in matters of international trade in goods or services. He is also a Lecturer at Yale Law School (1983-1986, 2001-present), Georgetown Law Center (1986-present), and the World Trade Institute since 2001. He is a US national, and was educated at Dartmouth College, Cambridge University and Yale Law School. He has previously held the positions of U.S. Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Import Administration, 1981-1983; International Trade Counsel, U.S. Senate Committee on Finance, 1981; Attorney with the Washington law firm of Steptoe & Johnson, 1976-1981 and Assistant Representative, Ford Foundation, Santiago, Chile and Bogota, Colombia (after starting as Assistant to the Representative), 1973-1976. He was the first Chairman for the WTO's Permanent Group of Experts on Subsidies.

Marie-Gabrielle Ineichen-Fleisch

Ambassador Marie-Gabrielle Ineichen-Fleisch is Head of the World Trade, Delegate of the Federal Council for Trade Agreements, Member of the Executive Board, State Secretariat for Economic Affairs (SECO) in the Federal Department of Economic Affairs (FDEA) in Berne since April 2007. She is responsible for World Trade (WTO, Free Trade Agreements/EFTA and OECD).

From 1999 - 2007 she was Head of the Division WTO, OECD and public procurement at the State Secretariat for Economic Affairs (SECO) in the Federal Department of Economic Affairs (FDEA) in Berne. She was responsible for the preparation and coordination of the overall position of Switzerland in WTO negotiations and represents Switzerland in the Doha negotiations on market access for industrial products and the relationship between trade and environment.

Before joining the WTO Division she was member of the negotiating team for investment protection agreements and worked in the legal service of the former Federal Office for Foreign Economic Affairs. In 1992/1993, just after the accession of Switzerland to the Bretton Woods institutions, Marie-Gabrielle Ineichen-Fleisch worked as the Assistant to the Executive Director of the Swiss constituency in the World Bank.

Cost: CHF 1'750

Intellectual Property Rights I

March 15 - 18, 2010

Course number II/11

This course, the first of a two week module on the TRIPS agreement and intellectual property rights in the world trading system, explores the general rules of the TRIPS Agreement as well as its negotiating history and interpretation up to the present. It offers an introduction into the main economic principles surrounding the protection of intellectual property. This course also focuses on the international rules applicable to industrial property and the specifics of this sub-field of intellectual property rights. Finally it gives an introduction to the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), its relationship to the WTO and its rules on intellectual property, as well as the registration and enforcement of intellectual property rights. Of interest to lawyers and government officials working on TRIPS and intellectual property issues.

Lecturers:

Thomas Cottier

Thomas Cottier, Managing Director of the World Trade Institute, is Professor of European and International Economic Law at the University of Bern and Director of the Institute of European and International Economic Law. He directs the national research programme on trade law and policy (NCCR International Trade Regulation: From Fragmentation to Coherence) located at the WTI. He is an associate editor of several journals. He was a visiting professor at the Graduate Institute, Geneva, and also currently teaches at the Europa Institut Saarbrücken, Germany, and at Wuhan University, China. He was a member of the Swiss National Research Council from 1997-2004 and served on the board of the International Plant Genetic Resources Institute (IPGRI) Rome during the same period. He served the Baker & McKenzie law firm as Of Counsel from 1998 to 2005.

Prof. Cottier has a long-standing involvement in GATT / WTO activities. He served on the Swiss negotiating team of the Uruguay Round from 1986 to 1993, first as Chief negotiator on dispute settlement and subsidies for Switzerland and subsequently as Chief negotiator on TRIPs. He held several positions in the Swiss External Economic Affairs Department and was the Deputy-Director General of the Swiss Intellectual Property Office. In addition to his conceptual work in the fields of services and intellectual property and legal counselling, he has also served as a member or chair of several GATT and WTO panels.

Sacha Wunsch-Vincent

Sacha Wunsch-Vincent (French-German) is economist at the Science, Technology and Industry Directorate of the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) in Paris and a Visiting Fellow at the Institute for International Economics, in Washington, D.C. Previously, he was a Swiss National Science Fellow at the Berkeley Centre for Law & Technology (University of California). He has published and worked on newer generation trade and technology issues and has served as a consultant with a number of institutions such as the UN ICT Task Force, the World Bank, and the German Parliament. He teaches international trade at the Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris (Sciences-Po) and at the World Bank Institute. Sacha holds a Masters of International Economics (University of Maastricht) and completed a PhD on WTO issues (University of St. Gallen).

Cost: CHF 1'500 (2'700 together with II/12 Intellectual Property Rights II)

Intellectual Property Rights II

March 22 - 25, 2010

Course number II/12

Lectures and studies on the international intellectual property system, in particular the TRIPS agreement, and recent important developments of a legal and/or policy nature in the WTO, in other international fora, and in bilateral and plurilateral agreements. Discussions of prospects and future developments, such as patenting of life forms, patents and access to health, the disclosure of the source of traditional knowledge and genetic resources, the protection of test data, or the protection of geographical indications. Of special interest to all parties who work in or with intellectual property or competition law, as well as civil society groups who wish to deepen their understanding of intellectual property and its relation with health, development and environmental issues.

Lecturers:

Frederick Abbott

Frederick Abbott is Edward Ball Eminent Scholar Professor of International Law at the Florida State University College of Law. He is Rapporteur for the Committee on International Trade Law of the International Law Association, consultant to the UNCTAD/ICTSD Project on Intellectual Property Rights and Sustainable Development, to the World Health Organization, World Bank and the Quaker United Nations Office (Geneva). He is on the Panel of Experts of UNCTAD's Program on the Settlement of Disputes in International Trade, Investment and Intellectual Property. Professor Abbott serves as arbitrator for the World Intellectual Property Organization Arbitration and Mediation Center. He is on the editorial board of the Journal of International Economic Law (Oxford). He is former Chair of the American Society of Law Intellectual Property Interest Group and the International Law Section of the American Association of Law Schools, and former Director of the American Society of International Law Research Project on Human Rights and International Trade. He is Chair of the Intellectual Property Advisory Committee of the Foundation for Innovative New Diagnostics.

Professor Abbott is the author of numerous books and articles in the fields of international economic law, international intellectual property rights law, and public international law. His books include International Intellectual Property in an Integrated World Economy (with Thomas Cottier and Francis Gurry)(2007), UNCTAD-ICTSD Resource Book on TRIPS and Development (Principal Consultant with Carlos Correa)(2005), The International Intellectual Property System: Commentary and Materials (with Thomas Cottier and Francis Gurry) (1999), China in the World Trading System: Defining the Principles of Engagement (1998), Public Policy and Global Technological Integration (1997), and Law and Policy of Regional Integration (1995). His book on treaty-making, Parliamentary Participation in the Making and Operation of Treaties, edited with Stefan Riesenfeld, was awarded the American Society of International Law Certificate of Merit. He has served as Visiting Professor at University of California at Berkeley (Boalt Hall) School of Law, as Jean Monnet Professor at the University of Bonn, Visiting Professor and Weickert Fellow at the University of Berne, Visiting Professor at University of California, Hastings College of the Law and at Vanderbilt Law School, and was Professor at Chicago-Kent College of Law. Professor Abbott regularly teaches on the faculties of the World Trade Institute in Berne and the Central European University in Budapest. Professor Abbott holds BA and LLM degrees from UC Berkeley, and a JD from Yale Law School.

Felix Addor

Felix Addor serves as the Deputy Director General and Chief Legal Counsel at the Swiss Federal Institute of Intellectual Property (Swiss Department of Justice), the federal agency in charge of all intellectual property matters in Switzerland (www.ige.ch). In his capacity as Director of the Division of Legal & International Affairs, he is responsible for legal and policy matters regarding all fields of intellectual property at the national and international level since 1999, and he heads Swiss negotiating delegations to the relevant international fora, such as the World Trade Organization and the World Intellectual Property Organization, and to bi- and plurilateral negotiations. Mr. Addor is also a part-time Professor of Law at the University of Bern, School of Law. He lectures on topics of international negotiations, global governance and international intellectual property law at the University of Bern, the World Trade Institute and on the LL.M. Program in Cross-Cultural Business Practice of the University of Fribourg. Besides, Mr. Addor is the Vice-President of STOP PIRACY - the Swiss Anti-Counterfeiting and Piracy Platform, a Member of the Boards of the Swiss Forum for Communication Law and of the Swiss Association for Competition Law, and a Member of the International Association for the Advancement of Teaching and Research in Intellectual Property. Mr. Addor has authored numerous articles and he is a regular lecturer on various issues of intellectual property, civil procedure and enforcement law, international arbitration and negotiation. He received an M Law (magna cum laude) and a Dr. iur. (summa cum laude - awarded by the Prof. Walther Hug Foundation Prize) from the University of Bern, and he has been admitted to the Canton Bern State Bar since 1990.

Cost: CHF 1'500 (2'700 together with II/11 Intellectual Property Rights I)

Weekly Courses MILE 10

Term III

Competition Law and Policy

April 12 - 15, 2010

Course number III/01

The course focuses on restrictive business practices of an international scope and how they may be addressed by trade and competition rules. It includes a detailed discussion of failures of the current multilateral trading system to address international competition law problems, options to regulate competition law in the WTO and through other means, and a review of international case law in the area.

Lecturers:

Robert Anderson

Robert Anderson is Counsellor, Intellectual Property Division, in the Secretariat of the World Trade Organization (WTO) where he leads the Secretariat team supporting the work of the WTO Committee on Government Procurement. He also has advisory and monitoring responsibilities in the Secretariat regarding international competition policy issues. He was previously the lead Secretariat staff member supporting the WTO Working Group on Trade and Competition Policy when that body was active from 1997 through 2003. Prior to joining the WTO in 1997, Mr. Anderson worked for a number of years in the Canadian Competition Bureau (Canada's national antitrust agency) where he held various senior positions and dealt with policy, legislative, enforcement and international cooperation issues. Mr. Anderson is the author/co-author of articles published in the Journal of International Economic Law, the Public Procurement Law Review, the Antitrust Law Journal, the Swiss Review of International Economic Relations ("Aussenwirtschaft"), the Review of Industrial Organization and the Canadian Competition Record in addition to chapters in various edited volumes. He is co-editor (with Prof. Nancy Gallini of the University of British Columbia) of Competition Policy and Intellectual Property Rights in the Knowledge-based Economy (Industry Canada Research Series, 1998). He is on the Editorial Board of the Public Procurement Law Review and is a member of the Academic Society for Competition Law. Mr. Anderson holds degrees in economics and law from the University of British Columbia and Osgoode Hall Law School (Canada), respectively, and has completed post-graduate courses in economics and international affairs at York and Carleton Universities also in Canada.

Luca Rubini

Dr. Luca Rubini is a lecturer in law at Birmingham Law School where he teaches WTO law, EU law and EC competition law at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels. Previously, he was lecturer at the University of Leicester (2005-2007) and legal secretary to Advocate General Francis Jacobs at the European Court of Justice in Luxembourg (2002-2003). He has been Visiting Researcher to the Georgetown University Law Center, Washington DC, and Visiting Professorial Fellow at the Institute of International Economic Law there (Fall 2007). He is visiting professor at ASERI, the Postgraduate School of Economics and International Relations, Milan, and Visiting Fellow to the Centre of European Law, King's College London. Dr Rubini has law degrees from the

Catholic University in Milan (JD) and King's College London (MA and PhD) and is admitted to the Bar in Italy and to the Law Society of England and Wales as solicitor (non-practising).

His most recent publications include the books *The Definition of Subsidy and State Aid – WTO Law and EC Law in Comparative Perspective* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2009), *Microsoft on Trial: Legal and Economic Analysis of a Transatlantic Antitrust Case* (edited, Cheltenham, Elgar, 2009), and the policy paper co-authored with Gary Hufbauer and Thomas Moll, *Investment Subsidies for Cross-Border Mergers & Acquisitions: Trends and Policy Implications* (New York: United States Council for International Business Foundation, 2008).

His current research interests include: the international control of public subsidies; energy, trade and climate change linkages, with a special focus on the trade regulation of measures to fight climate change; the connection between human rights protection and development; the interface between competition and IP law; and parallels between EC and WTO law.

Cost: CHF 1'500

Trade and Development

April 19 - 22, 2010

Course number III/02

This course will address the key policy linkage between trade and development. It will begin by exploring the key legal and economic issues arising from the enlarged role and voice of developing countries in trade governance. From there it will explore linkages between trade, growth and development, address issues of distributive fairness in trade rule-making, and highlight some of the concerns that developing countries have with the special and differential provisions in the WTO and the current status of the work programme in this regard. The negotiating priorities of developing countries in the WTO system and at the PTA level will be touched upon. The issue of aid for trade and its operational pursuit will also be taken up and its linkage with market access opportunities explained.

Lecturers:

Bernard Hoekman

Bernard Hoekman is Research Manager of the International Trade group in the Development Research Group of the World Bank. Before taking up his present position he managed the international trade and global integration activities of the World Bank Institute's Economic Policy division. He has worked extensively in countries in the Middle East and North Africa. Between 1988 and 1993 he was on the staff of the GATT Secretariat in Geneva. He is a graduate of the Erasmus University Rotterdam, holds a Ph.D. in economics from the University of Michigan and is a Research Fellow of the London-based Centre for Economic Policy Research. His current research focuses on the functioning of the multilateral trading system (WTO), international transactions in services, the

relationship between competition and trade policy, the economics of regional economic integration, and channels of international technology diffusion.

Shishir Priyadarshi

Shishir Priyadarshi is one of the Directors of the World Trade Organisation in Geneva. He heads the Development Division of the WTO, whose mandate is to facilitate work on all trade related developmental issues in the WTO. A significant part of Mr. Priyadarshi's responsibilities extends to taking care of the developmental aspects of the Doha negotiations, especially in so far as they relate to addressing the concerns of developing countries. In particular this also includes the responsibilities relating to the recently launched initiative on Aid for Trade. Having earlier worked for the Government of India for nearly twenty years, Mr Priyadarshi has had a long experience in examining various aspects of the WTO agreements, from a developing country perspective. Mr Priyadarshi has written a number of papers, primarily detailing the concerns that developing countries have on various WTO agreements. He has played a key role in WTO's efforts aimed at increasing the capacity of developing country trade officials in understanding the WTO Agreements.

Cost: CHF 1'500

Agriculture

April 26 - 30, 2010

Course number III/03

Lectures and studies on the WTO Agreement on Agriculture and its application and implementation since. The nature of agricultural policies in major countries and their impact on agricultural trade. Political economy aspects and the reasons for the difficulties to negotiate them in the WTO. An overview of the trade and income implications of liberalising agricultural trade in order to understand who might gain and who might lose from more open agricultural markets. A look at recent trends on global markets for agricultural products, including the 2008 'food crisis', as a factual background and to put the ongoing DDA negotiations on agriculture in perspective. The importance of agriculture to different developing countries and their attempts to achieve greater liberalisation in this sector. So-called 'non-trade concerns' as a case for protection. Other issues also affecting international agriculture policies such as sanitary and technical regulations and private standards, climate change, biofuels, water shortage, demography and the WTO impact on food security. Is agriculture really special?

Lecturers:

Bernard O'Connor

Bernard O'Connor is a practising lawyer and represents governments, traders, trade associations and companies. In full-time legal practice in Brussels since 1986, he has advised on, and litigated many aspects of EC law, and

has worked with key institutions of the European Community. He established 'O'Connor and Company' in 1996, a firm which specialises in trade and competition law. He has advised on and litigated a number of WTO disputes and has extensive litigation experience before EC courts in Luxembourg. He represents the Community industry in trade defence cases with a particular emphasis on subsidies. Books published and edited include 'The Law of Geographical Indications' (2004) and 'Agriculture in WTO Law' (2005). He received his MA from Trinity College, Dublin, and his LLM from the European University Institute in Italy. He is a member of the Brussels' Bar and the Law Society of Ireland.

Stefan Tangermann

Stefan Tangermann was until end-2008 Director for Trade and Agriculture at the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD), Paris. Before joining the OECD in 2002, he was a professor of economics and agricultural economics at the universities of Frankfurt/Main and Göttingen. His academic work has concentrated, among other topics, on the need and options for reforming agricultural policies in OECD countries, and on strengthening the rules for agricultural trade, with a particular emphasis on the WTO. Mr Tangermann is a Member of the Academy of Science at Göttingen. He was awarded the Order of Merit, First Class, by the President of the Federal Republic of Germany, and is Fellow of the European Association of Agricultural Economists. He has advised several governments and international organisations.

Christian Häberli

Christian Häberli works as a Senior Research Fellow in WTI / NCCR / WP4 on trade, agriculture and development issues. In 1977 he graduated with a Ph.D. on African Investment Law. He also completed studies in development sciences in Geneva (1973-75) and in theology at Bern University (2007-09). His professional career started in 1978 at the International Labour Organisation (ILO), with 2 years each in Madagascar and Thailand, followed by 3 years with the Swiss Development Cooperation in Nepal. From 1986 to 2007 he worked at the Swiss Federal Department (Ministry) for Economic Affairs. In the WTO, he chaired the Committee on Agriculture (Regular Session) and served in four dispute settlement panels, namely in EC – Bananas, Japan – Apples, EC – Biotech/GMO and China – Trading Rights.

Cost: CHF 1'750

Trade and Investment

May 3 - 6, 2010

Course number III/04

Lectures and studies on the economic principles behind international investment activities in the global economy and the role and implications of WTO law (TRIPs, GATS) for investment. Analysis of multilateral and bilateral rules on international investment, in particular with regard to investment protection and promotion in bilateral investment treaties (BITs) and at the multilateral level. A particular emphasis lies on problems related to investment arbitration and its implications for the development of rules and procedures in this field. Discussion of prospects for existing (TRIMs) and future rules within and outside the WTO. Of interest to practitioners from NGOs interested in development, or from government institutions, international lawyers and academics.

Lecturers:

Pierre Sauvé

Pierre Sauvé is Deputy Managing Director and Director of Studies at the World Trade Institute (WTI), in Berne, Switzerland, where he teaches in the WTI's MILE programme and directs a Swiss National Foundation research project on the evolving international regulatory framework in service industries (2005-9). He is a Visiting Lecturer and Research Associate in the International Trade Policy Unit at the London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), in London, U.K., and also holds a Visiting Professor appointments in the International Relations Department at the College of Europe, in Bruges, Belgium and at the University of Barcelona Law School, whose LLM programme in International Economic Law and Policy (IELPO) he advises. Since 1999, he has taught in the Academy of International Law's annual Summer Academy on the Law and Economics of the WTO, held in Macau. He is a Senior Fellow of the European Centre for International Political Economy (ECIPE), in Brussels, Belgium, since its launch in October 2006. He was a Visiting Professor at the Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences-Po), in Paris, France, in 2003-04 and has worked as a consultant for the World Bank since January 2003. From 1998-2000, he taught at Harvard University's John F. Kennedy School of Government, in Cambridge, Massachusetts, during which period he was also appointed Non-Resident Senior Fellow at the Brookings Institution, in Washington, D.C. He served as Canada's services negotiator in the North American Free Trade Agreement and was a staff member at the Bank for International Settlements, the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade and the OECD Trade Directorate. In 2007, he was a member of the Warwick Commission on the future of the multilateral trading system. Pierre Sauvé's research interests focus on the evolution of rule-making for services trade and investment and the impact that regional integration agreements exert on the design and operation of the multilateral trading system.

Andreas Ziegler

Andreas R. Ziegler studied international economics, international relations and law at the University of St. Gallen (Switzerland), the Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris (France), the European University Institute (Florence, Italy) and the University of London (SOAS, UK). After undertaking post-doctoral research at Georgetown University (Washington DC, USA) and the Max-Planck-Institute in Heidelberg (Germany) he taught European Union Law, international trade law and environmental law at the Chicago Kent College of Law in Chicago (USA), the

University of Pittsburgh (USA) and the University of St. Gallen. For several years he worked in practice for the Swiss Government (Ministry of Foreign Affairs, State Secretariat for Economic Affairs), the European Commission (DG Internal Market), in the Secretariat of the European Free Trade Association (EFTA) and in a law firm in Zurich on trade and investment issues. In this function he negotiated many multilateral and bilateral agreements and was also a delegate to the WTO, UNCTAD, the OECD, the Energy Charter and other international organizations. He is currently a professor of international law at the University of Lausanne (Switzerland) and a Counsel with the law firm of Froriep Rengli. He is on the WTO's roster of official panelists as well as on the list of conciliators of the International Centre for the Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID). He is the Academic Director of the LLM Program in International and European Economic and Commercial Law at the University of Lausanne and a Deputy Director of the NCCR Trade based at the World Trade Institute of the University of Berne (Switzerland). He is a visiting professor at the University of New South Wales (Sydney, Australia) since 1997, at the Swiss Federal Institute for Technology (ETH, Zurich) since 2004 and at the Europe Institute of the University of the Saarland (Saarbrücken, Germany) since 2008. He held similar positions at the Università commerciale Luigi Bocconi in Milan (Italy 2005-7), the University of Vilnius (Lithuania, 2007), the University of Munich (Germany, 2007) and the University of Lund (Sweden, 2008).

Cost: CHF 1'500

Selected Seminars

May 10 - 12, 2010

Course number III/05

The selected seminars will cover the following topics:

Simon Evenett: Government Procurement

Lectures and studies on the basis of the WTO Agreement on Government Procurement and its implementation in national and EC law. The seminar will deal in particular with the following topics: the Tokyo Round Code, the scope of application of the Government Procurement Agreement, the general principles and core disciplines of the Government Procurement Agreement and the revision of that agreement by the parties. Of interest to the construction industry, government, federal and local, and practicing lawyers.

Marc Auboin: WTO Coherence Activities

- The WTO Coherence Mandate and its component: Trade and Development, Trade and Finance
- Trade and Development: Integrated Framework and Aid for Trade

- Trade and Finance: the relationship between the WTO, IMF and WB
- Trade and Finance: role of the WTO Task Force on the Trade and the Financial Crisis
- Trade Finance: a WTO mandate with other organization to "ensure at least \$250 billion in support of trade finance over the next two years" – paragraph 22 of the G-20 Communiqué in London

Nicolas Imboden: The Cotton Case

- Genesis of the cotton case
- Trade and development: the coherence challenge
- The Negotiation Process
- The impossible conclusion of the Round
- Development dimension of trade: the cotton case litmus test

Lecturers:

Simon Evenett

Simon J. Evenett is Professor of International Trade and Economic Development at the University of St. Gallen, Switzerland. In addition to his research into the determinants of interational commercial flows, Professor Evenett is particularly interested in the relationships between international trade policy, national competition law and policy, and economic development. He obtained his Ph.D. in Economics from Yale University and a B.A. (Hons) from the University of Cambridge. Professor Evenett has been a (non-resident) Senior Fellow of the Economic Studies Programme in the Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C. Previously, he has taught at Oxford University and Rutgers University as well as serving twice as a World Bank official. His writings can be downloaded from www.evenett.com. Professor Evenett also coordinates the independent trade policy monitoring exercise, www.globaltradealert.org.

Marc Auboin

Marc Auboin is a Counsellor in the Economic Research and Statistics Division of the WTO, and a member of the WTO Task Force on the Finance Crisis and Trade. Previously he held several positions at the International Monetary Fund (IMF), was Deputy-Secretary General of the Monetary Committee of the European Union, worked for the French Treasury. Mr. Auboin holds a PhD in Economics from Sciences-po Paris, and was a research fellow at the London School of Economics, and Yale University. He now lectures at the World Trade Institute in Switzerland and at CERDI in France, and used to lecture at the Universities of Paris-Sorbonne, Sciences-po Paris, Louvain-la-Neuve, and Oxford. He published pieces of research on trade and finance issues in the IMF's World Economic Outlook, and in WTO Discussion and Working Paper Series.

Nicolas Imboden

Nicolas Imboden, a Swiss national, holds a degree in law from the University of Geneva, a degree in development studies from the then African Development Institute, and an M.A.L.D. from the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy in Boston. He was also an AMP student at Harvard.

Mr. Imboden is a partner and cofounder of the IDEAS Centre in Geneva. Previously, he served as Senior Vice President of SGS (1999-2002), a Swiss Government trade and aid official with the rank of an ambassador (1992-1999), Governor of the regional development banks (ADB, AFDB, IDB) and Executive Director at the EBRD (1992). He was the Swiss negotiator for market access and agriculture during the Uruguay Round negotiations (1987-1992). He also worked in the World Bank as an agricultural economist (1978-1982), in the OECD as a researcher on aid monitoring (1974-1978), and at the UNDP as a Program Officer in Chad (1972-1974).

Mr. Imboden has been a member of various Expert Groups of the World Bank, Inter-American Development Bank and of the UNDP Human Development Report.

Cost: CHF 1'250

WTO Law in Public International Law and Domestic Legal Systems

May 17 - 20, 2010

Course number III/06

This course will focus on the issue of conflicts of laws in public international law, the analysis of the particular features of WTO law in this regard, and the issue of the relationship between WTO law and national law, in particular discussing direct applicability of WTO norms in national legislations. This course is of particular interest to practitioners who engage in dispute resolution matters, and trade policy officials.

Lecturers:

Matthias Oesch

Matthias Oesch is Assistant Professor of European and International Economic Law at the University of Berne and works, as attorney-at-law, at Homburger AG in Zurich. Furthermore, he is a Senior Research Fellow at the World Trade Institute (WTI) and a lecturer at the Universities of Lucerne and St. Gallen. Previously, he worked as legal counsel in the WTO Division of the Federal Department of Economics, Switzerland, having inter alia represented Switzerland before the Appellate Body in the *US – Steel* case and in the DSU Review (2003-2005). He is a member of the Berne and Zurich Bar (1999), received his LL.M. from the London School of Economics and Political Science (2000) and his Dr. as well as his PD from the University of Berne (2003 and 2008, respectively). He has written on WTO and EU trade matters and on Swiss law, including three books: *Standards of Review in WTO Dispute Resolution* (2003), *International Trade Regulation: Law and Policy in the WTO*, the

European Union and Switzerland (2005, co-authored with Thomas Cottier), and *Differenzierung und Typisierung: Zur Dogmatik der Rechtsgleichheit in der Rechtsetzung* (2008).

Marco Bronckers

Marco Bronckers (1956) received his legal education in the Netherlands (University of Amsterdam, J.D. 1979; Ph.D. 1985) and the United States (University of Michigan, LL.M. 1980). He practiced law in the United States and the Netherlands, following an internship with the European Commission's Legal Service. Since 1990 he is based in Brussels. Having been a partner in leading Dutch and American law firms, Mr. Bronckers created his own firm with Vermulst Verhaeghe Graafsma & Bronckers in the summer of 2009. His legal specialties are European law, international trade law, and competition law. During his career as a practicing lawyer, Mr Bronckers has published and lectured widely. He is a professor of law at the University of Leiden, where he holds the chair of WTO and EC external trade relations law. In addition, he is a regular lecturer at the World Trade Institute, University of Bern (MILE program), and the University of Barcelona (IELPO program). He is a member of the Scientific Advisory Board at the Max Planck Institute für ausländisches öffentliches Recht und Völkerrecht in Heidelberg. He is also an associate editor of the *Journal of International Economic Law* (published by Oxford University Press).

Cost: CHF 1'500

International Negotiation Workshop

May 27 - 28, 2010

Course number III/07

Second phase of course on International Negotiation Basics.

Not open to the public, no registration possible.

CSR, Human Rights, Labour Standards

May 31 – June 1, 2010

Course number III/08

The course will focus on one of the most controversial issues in the globalization debate: the interface between international trade and human rights which brings together not only different areas of law but also public and private actors. We will look at potential legal conflicts between trade law and human rights and discuss their impacts on international governance. Possible solutions to reconcile the two legal regimes will include principles of general international law as well as the concept of corporate social responsibility.

Lecturer:

Christine Kaufmann

Christine Kaufmann is a Professor of International, Constitutional and Administrative law at the University of Zurich in Switzerland. From 1991-2000, she first served in the legal department and then as a Director of Human Resources at the Swiss Central Bank. During that time she was a member of the EFTA expert groups on financial services and free movement of capital and services and represented the Swiss Central Bank in the negotiations on the European Economic Area. After a stay as a research scholar at the University of Michigan's Law School and before joining the law faculty in Zurich, she was Director of Legal Research at the World Trade Institute in Berne. She is a member of the Bar Association Examination Panel of the Canton of Zurich. Her main research interests include the linkages between international trade law and human rights, the relationship between the international trade and international financial systems and the implications of globalization on constitutional law.

Cost: CHF 1'000

Trade and Environment

June 7 - 8, 2010

Course number III/09

This course will tackle a range of issues of sustainable development and protection and preservation of the environment, including recent developments in international environmental law. The course explores domestic and international measures used to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and their interaction with the multilateral trading system. It also examines the ways in which the WTO contributes to environmental protection and preservation through its various bodies and DDA efforts, while also looking at the legal interaction between trade law and multilateral environmental agreements.

Lecturers:

Laurence Boisson de Chazournes

Laurence Boisson de Chazournes has gained a wide-ranging reputation in academic circles for her contribution to international law, in such fields as the law of international organizations, international economic law and international environmental law, while at the same time being recognized for her practical work as Senior Counsel to the World Bank and as advisor to many international organizations. In the field of dispute settlement she has served as chairperson of WTO arbitration panels on pre-shipment inspections and has pleaded before the ICJ and other dispute settlement procedures. She is a member of the WTO indicative list of governmental and non-governmental panelists and a member of the Permanent Court of Arbitration. Laurence Boisson de Chazournes has been professor in, and chair of the department of, international law at the Law Faculty of the University of Geneva since 1999. She is a visiting professor at the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies and at the University of Aix-Marseille III, and has been invited as guest lecturer in numerous universities in Europe, North America, Latin America, Africa and Asia. She holds a PhD in international law from the Graduate Institute (summa cum laude), the Bar exam (France), a JD and a master degree in private law from the University of Lyon III, a BA in sociology from the University of Lyon II and a Diploma in Political Science from the Institute of Political Sciences (Lyon).

Doaa Abdel Motaal

Doaa Abdel Motaal is Counsellor in the Office of the Director-General of the WTO, where she is responsible for a number of subjects, including Doha Round agricultural and environmental negotiations. Prior to joining the Director-General's Office, she was working in the WTO's Trade and Environment Division for 8 years. She was Secretary of the negotiating group on environment that was established in the Doha Round. Ms. Abdel Motaal has a PhD in Development Studies from the IUED at the University of Geneva, a Master of Philosophy degree in environment and development studies from the University of Cambridge and a Bachelor of Arts degree in economics from Swarthmore College in Pennsylvania. Her doctoral dissertation was the *The Role of Science and Risk Assessment in WTO Rules*.

Cost: CHF 1'000

Moot Court

June 21 - 22, 2010

Course number III/10

Please note that this event is not open for attendance by weekly students.