Inaugural Roundtable Program
International Law Association - Swiss branch
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08:30-09:00 Registration

09:00-09:05 Opening Remarks – **Prof Andreas Ziegler, University of Lausanne**

09:05-09:30 Keynote Speech – **Prof Thomas Cottier, University of Berne**

09:30-11:00 Roundtable 1- The Law of Digital Realities

- *Rethinking Legal Authority in the Digital Age: International Law and the Fiction of Digital Sovereignty*, **Raffaela Kunz**, University of Zurich, Switzerland
- *Digital Trade and IP: Surveying the Ground in FTAs*, **Maria Vazquez**, University of Lucerne, Switzerland
- *Examining the potential impact of the WTO e-commerce agreement on Micro, Small and Medium-sized enterprises in developing countries*, **Martin Munu**, University of Maastricht, The Netherlands
- *Invisible Bias at the Border: Algorithmic Discrimination and the Erosion of Equality in Cross-Border Digital Trade*, **Juan Pablo Gomez Moreno**, Universidad de Los Andes, Colombia
- *Globalization of Technology: AI-Driven Changes and WTO Norms*, **Ravindra Pratap**, South Asian University New Dehli, India

Chair: **Prof Chris Riffel**, University of Canterbury NZ

11:00-11:30 Coffee break

11:30-12.30 Roundtable 2 – Life Sciences, Technology and the Law

- *When Science Meets Sovereignty: Regulating the Sharing of Genetic Sequence Data and Related Benefits*, **Adam Strobejko**, The Graduate Institute Geneva, Switzerland
- *Decolonizing the Future of Food: Breaking the Cycle of Market-Driven Exploitation in Cultivated Meat Regulation*, **Maria Trubetskaja**, University of California Los Angeles, US

- *Neurotechnologies and the Right to Mental Health*, **Giulia Bossi**, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Italy

Chair: **Dr Mariela de Amstalden**, University of Cambridge UK

12:30-13:30 Lunch break

13:30-15:00 Roundtable 3 - Omnipresent AI and the Law

- *Rethinking Intellectual Property Governance in the Age of AI and Access Claims*, **Rodrigo Corredor**, Universidad Externado, Colombia
- *AI and Human Dignity in Unequal Global Contexts: Challenges and Strategies for Inclusive Governance*, **Murtaza Mohiqi**, University of Agder, Norway
- *Ensuring Freedom of Expression in the Context of AI Regulation*, **Marina Garcez and Sthela Teofilo**, Federal University of Goiás, Brazil
- *AI, Women and Rights*, **Karin Sandoval**, University of Ottawa, Canada

Chair: **Prof Daniel Kraus**, University of Neuchatel

15:00-15:30 Coffee break

15:30-17:00 Roundtable 4 - The Law of Dual-Use Technologies in Armed Conflicts

- *Cyber Attacks in International Armed Conflicts: Challenges for International Humanitarian Law*, **Daryna Abbakumova**, The Graduate Institute Geneva, Switzerland
- *Watching from Above: Rethinking Satellite Imagery and the Limits of International Law*, **Madhav Madan**, Symbiosis Law School, India
- *Weaponisation in the Shadows: Regulating the Dual-Use Dilemma in Space*, **Fan Lydia Veronica** (Lilliana) and **Simisola Lyiola**, Space Generation Advisory Council Vienna, Austria
- *Ethical Algorithms and the 'Reasonable Military Commander' Standard in the Law of Armed Conflict*, **Aliki Semertzi**, The Graduate Institute Geneva, Switzerland
- *Challenges and possibilities for the EU-CAN trade relations: Intellectual Property, Technology Transfer and the EU Dual-use items Exports Control Regime*, **Juan David Vinas Comarin**, University of Turin, Italy

Chair: **Prof Andreas Ziegler**, University of Lausanne

17:00-17:10 Closing remarks