



# 10<sup>TH</sup> SUMMER SCHOOL ON EUROPEAN BUSINESS LAW 2014

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# BE A PART...

The 10<sup>th</sup> Summer School on European Business Law at the Center for Business and Corporate Law at Heinrich-Heine-University Düsseldorf will take place from July 14 to 25, 2014.

With our joint partners, the *Interdisciplinary Center Herzliya* (Israel), *University of Tilburg* (The Netherlands) and *University of Liechtenstein* (Principality of Liechtenstein), you will be a part of a two weeks intensive program on European and international business law with renowned experts from academia and practice.

The diversity of European business law leads to a multi-angled curriculum which will optimize your professional skills on European (constitutional) law, corporate and securities law, antitrust, mediation and arbitration, intellectual property, capital markets and financial regulation as well as mergers, acquisitions and takeover law.

Beside the academic experience, you have the unique opportunity to network with highly qualified participants from all over the world, law firm representatives and academics. The cultural and social side-events will also enrich your impression of the Summer School, Heinrich-Heine-University and Düsseldorf itself.

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Sincerely,

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## CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

The curriculum reflects the European and international portfolio of business related legal issues by its week- and day-specific structure:

Week 1				Fundamentals & Issues
<b>Current Issue: Financial Crisis</b>	<b>Antitrust Law</b>	<b>Corporate and Securities Law</b>	<b>Financial Market Regulation</b>	<b>IP Law</b>
Monday, July 14	Tuesday, July 15	Wednesday, July 16	Thursday, July 17	Friday, July 18
Week 2				Case Studies & Specials
<b>Litigation and Arbitration</b>	<b>Case Study: Venture Capital</b>	<b>Case Study: Private Equity</b>	<b>Current Issues in EU Business Law</b>	<b>Certificates</b>
Monday, July 21	Tuesday, July 22	Wednesday, July 23	Thursday, July 24	Friday, July 25

*(Curriculum is subject to change; the aforementioned table is a general example)*

## LECTURERS

The lecturers are nationally and internationally recognized experts from practice and academia. Please have a look on our speakers from previous years, e.g.:



**Dr. Carsten Jungmann, LL.M. (Yale), M.Sc. (Leicester)**, Bucerius Law School and Duvinage Lawyers (D)



**Prof. Dr. Erik P.M. Vermeulen**, Tilburg Law School and Philips International B.V. (NL)



**Dr. Maximilian Schiessl, LL.M. (Harvard)**, Hengeler Mueller (D)



**Prof. Dr. Ulrich Noack**, Heinrich-Heine-University of Düsseldorf (D)



**Prof. Dr. Hans Jürgen Meyer-Lindemann, M.C.J. (NYU)**, Dechert LLP (B)



**Prof. Dr. Mathias Siems, LL.M. (Edinburgh)**, Professor of Commercial Law, Durham Law School (GB)



**Prof. Dr. Uriel Procaccia, LL.M. (Hebrew University), S.J.D. (UPenn)**, Interdisciplinary Center Herzliya (IL)



**Prof. Dr. Christian Kersting, LL.M. (Yale)**, Heinrich-Heine-University of Düsseldorf (D)



**Dr. Winfried F. Schmitz, M.C.J. (NYU)**, Schmitz Law Offices New York (USA)



**Minister of Cultural Affairs Prof. Dr. R. Alexander Lorz, LL.M. (Harvard)**, Heinrich Heine University of Düsseldorf (D)



**Prof. Dr. Christopher Kummer, M.B.A., (HSG)**, Institute of Mergers, Acquisitions and Alliances (CH)



**Prof. Dr. Dirk A. Zetzsche, LL.M. (Toronto)**, University of Liechtenstein, Vaduz (FL)



**Prof. Dr. Siegfried H. Elsing, LL.M. (Yale)**, Orrick Hölters & Elsing (D)



**Prof. Dr. Paulo Câmara**, Sérvulo & Associados and Catholic Portuguese University (PT)



## PARTICIPANTS

The program primarily addresses highly qualified postgraduate students, young professionals and researchers with a keen interest in European Business Law. In individual cases, applicants with equivalent experiences may be admitted as well.

## DATES

July 14–25, 2014

## APPLICATION AND PROCEDURE

Applications must be received by **27 June 2014** (*please note the online registration form*). Students who wish to qualify for a **pro-rata tuition waiver** are required to submit a complete curriculum vitae (*table form*) as well as a letter of motivation detailing their particular interest in the subjects of the program. As the number of participants is limited to **60 students**, admission is subject to an evaluation that takes into account the academic achievements and expertise of the applicant.

## FURTHER INFORMATION AND USEFUL LINKS

You can find the registration form and further information on the CBC website. Visit: [www.duslaw.eu](http://www.duslaw.eu) or [www.summerschool-businesslaw.eu](http://www.summerschool-businesslaw.eu)

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“The Summer School on European Business Law was a unique opportunity to get in-depth insight into some of the particularities of European business law. As a North American law student, I was able to regularly exchange with European academics and professionals on current European legal developments. Alongside the academic experience, the historic but also modern city of Düsseldorf really offers a wide range of activities.”

*Daniel Litwin, McGill University (Canada)*  
– Participant of the 6<sup>th</sup> Summer School on European Business Law 2010

“The education I received from the Summer School in European Business Law helped to make me a more competitive candidate in the legal market place and continues to make me a valuable employee. I cannot wait for the day I call on one of my Dusseldorf program friends to gain additive insight into a non-US legal issue and share it with my colleagues. In addition to the career advantages, I am finding that the Dusseldorf program provides me with a unique perspective and context for my European Union law class in which I am currently enrolled. (I actually dropped American Legal History to take EU law!) Finally, the experience of being one of 65 law students from around the world was exciting, humbling and one of the best experiences I have ever had. We had classmates from Germany, Israel, Belarus, Estonia, India, China, Columbia, Netherlands... In addition to invigorating debates about common law vs. civil law system, we learned so much about each other’s education systems and cultures. The experience we shared this summer was an unforgettable once-in-a-lifetime opportunity.”

*Allison Kent, Suffolk University School of Law (USA)* – Participant of the 7<sup>th</sup> Summer School on European Business Law 2011



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