

Workshop Programme

Monday 27 – Tuesday 28 March 2023



LUND UNIVERSITY

Venue: taking place physically at ZEW – Leibniz Centre for European Economic Research in Mannheim (Germany), with possible virtual presence

Chairs/ organisers: Anna Tzanaki (University of Lund), Florence Thépot (University of Strasbourg), and Jens-Uwe Franck (University of Mannheim and MaCCI)

Day 1 – Monday 27th March: 1 – 6pm

Opening/Welcome: Professor Achim Wambach (President of the ZeW, Mannheim)

1. Corporate ownership & governance trends and competition

Chairs: Anna Tzanaki and Florence Thépot

- Martin Schmalz (University of Oxford): *Common ownership*
- Yaron Nili (Wisconsin University): *Interlocking Directorates*
- Jo Seldeslachts (KU Leuven) and Albert Banal-Estanol (Barcelona School of Economics): *Common Ownership in the US versus the EU: A Comparative Network Analysis*
- Anna Christie (Edinburgh University): *Shareholder Collaboration on ESG Campaigns*
- Marco Corradi (ESSEC Business School) & Julian Nowag (Lund): *Competition/ corporate/ ESG*
Commentator: Marco Corradi

2. Interactions between competition & corporate law: normative & national perspectives

Chair: Anna Tzanaki

- Francesco Ducci (University of Toronto) and Alvaro Pereira (Leeds University): *Consumer Welfare and Shareholder Primacy*
- Mark Ramseyer (Harvard Law School): *Corporate Governance and Antitrust: Lessons from Japanese Occupation Policy*
- Anat Alon Beck (Case Western Reserve University) and Moran Ofir (Reichman University): *How changes to corporate law affect competition policy in Israel*
- Giuseppe Colangelo (Luiss, Rome) and Eliana Garces (Analysis Group), *Markets, Competition, and Fairness*
- Simone Sepe (Arizona) and Saura Masconale (Arizona): *Shareholder & Competition: Economic and Political Outcomes.*
Commentator: Yaron Nili

3. The boundaries of the firm in antitrust & corporate law

Chair: Florence Thépot

- **Mariana Pargendler** (NYU): *Family Ties and the Boundaries of the Firm in Antitrust Law*
- Alison Jones (King's College London) and Stephen Daly (King's College London): *The Concept of an Undertaking and the Single Economic Entity Doctrine (EU/ UK?) Substantive reach of Art.101 and attribution of liability*
- Marcos Araujo Boyd (University of Glasgow): *Attribution/imputation - roles of legal person and undertaking as addressees of competition rules*

- Carsten Koenig (Cologne): *Single economic entity and antitrust fine calculation*
- Rosa Abrantes-Metz (Berkeley Research Group): *Compliance*
Commentator: Mariana Pargendler

Day 2 – Tuesday 28th March 9 am-12pm

4. Inter-corporate links, political economy and digital competition

Chair: Anna Tzanaki

- Massimiliano Vatiere (Trento): *Competition, political economy and pro-social objectives*
- Valeria Falce (European University of Rome) and Nicola Faraone: (European University of Rome): *“Killer acquisitions” or “killing innovation”: antitrust implications of the new wave of tech acquisitions*
- Steven Van Uytsel (Kyushu): *Common ownership in Japan*
- **Giorgio Monti** (Tilburg): *Collective dominance*
Commentator: Giorgio Monti

5. Policing the corporation: Antitrust sanctions and compliance

Chair: Florence Thépot

- Catarina Marvão (TU Dublin): *CEO turnover and shareholder awareness in cartel cases*
- Florian Wagner-von Papp (Hamburg): *Corporate Governance Implications of Competition Remedies and Sanctions*
- Jens-Uwe Franck (Mannheim) and Till Seyer (Mannheim) *Antitrust Fines and Managerial Liability*
- Anne Riley (Ethics and Compliance Consultant, Ireland): *Compliance*
- Amber Sheepers (Erasmus University, Rotterdam): *Gender diversity on corporate boards and competition law compliance*
Commentators: Florian Wagner-von Papp and Etienne Farnoux (University of Strasbourg)