EUFams II – Facilitating Cross-Border Family Life: Towards a Common European Understanding

International Exchange Seminar

Friday, 25 October 2019

09:00 - 09:15 Welcome remarks
Professor Burkhard Hess (MPI Luxembourg for Procedural Law)
Professor Thomas Pfeiffer (Heidelberg University)

09:15 - 12:45 Matrimonial matters and parental responsibility
(Brussels II-bis Regulation, Rome III Regulation, Brussels II-bis Recast, and relevant Hague instruments)
Chair: Professor Burkhard Hess (MPI Luxembourg for Procedural Law)

Mr. Quincy C. Lobach (Heidelberg University)
Short description of the problems
Professor Dagmar Coester-Waltjen (University of Göttingen)
Assessment of the Recast

11:00 - 12:30 Parental responsibility (including child abduction)
Chair: Professor Alegría Borrás (University of Barcelona)

Dr. Marlene Brosch (MPI Luxembourg for Procedural Law)
Short description of the problems
Professor Cristina González Beilfuss (University of Barcelona)
Assessment of the Recast

12:30 - 12:45 ‘Brexit’ ahead: Impacts on European Family Law

13:30 - 16:30 Property regimes, succession and the interrelation with public documents

13:30 - 15:00 Matrimonial property regimes and property regimes for registered partnerships
Chair: Professor Dimitrios Tsikrikas (University of Athens)
Dr. Cristina M. Mariottini (MPI Luxembourg for Procedural Law)
Short description of the problems
Professor Thalia Kruger (University of Antwerp)
Assessment

15:15 - 16:30 Succession Regulation
Chair: Professor Brigitta Lurger (University of Graz)
Mr. Philipp Siaiapouras (MPI Luxembourg for Procedural Law)
Short description of the problems
Mr. Richard Frimston (Russel Cooke Solicitors, London)
Assessment

16:30 - 16:50 Concluding remarks
Professor Thomas Pfeiffer (Heidelberg University)

This Seminar is conceived as a closed event.