# Law, society and business in Europe and the Middle East

## Summer School Program

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**July 11 to July 22, 2016**

**University of Treviso**

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### SYLLABUS & ACTIVITIES

#### Week I

**Legal Systems in Europe and the Middle East – Theory and Practice**

- **11 July, Monday**
  - The Origins and the Legacy of the Legal Systems
  - Chair: Prof. Gordon Walker
  - 9.15-9.30: Presentation of the Activities and of Participants
  - 9.30-11.15: Foundations of Western Law (Prof. Gordon Walker)
  - 11.30-13.15: Foundations of Middle Eastern Law (Prof. Andrew Dahdal)

- **12 July, Tuesday**
  - The Law of Crisis in Italy and Abroad
  - 9.15-11.00: Italian Constitutional Law (Prof. Andrea Pin)
  - 11.15-13.00: The political economy of EU restriction (Prof. Stefano Solari)
  - 14.30-16.15: The Proportionality Test: A Case-Study (Elena Ervas & Tania Pagotto)

- **13 July, Wednesday**
  - Knowing Qatar and Trading Transnationally
  - 9.15-11.00: Foundation of Qatari Legal System (Prof. Andrew Dahdal)
  - 11.15-13.00: Planning an Overseas Legal Transaction: General Issues (Prof. Gordon Walker)
  - 14.30-16.15: Planning an Overseas Legal Transaction: Jurisdiction Specific Issues (Prof. Gordon Walker)

- **14 July, Thursday**
  - Law & Business in Europe and the Middle East
  - 9.15-11.00: Life Cycle of the Deal: From Start-up to Exit (Prof. Gordon Walker)
  - 11.15-13.00: Qatar Commercial Law (Prof. Andrew Dahdal)
  - 14.30-16.15: A Talk on Law, Economy, and Politics in Europe (Prof. Luca Antonini & Prof. Mario Bertolissi)

- **15 July, Friday**
  - Legal Practice and International Trading
  - 9.15-12.00: A European-Middle Eastern Law Firm (Eugenio Bettella & Barbara Cavallin, Reed & Partners)
  - 15.00-17.00: Meeting Unindustria Treviso: An International Hub for Business (Pres. Maria Cristina Piovesana)

#### Week II

**Law, Business, and Trade in Europe and the Middle East**

- **18 July, Monday**
  - Business & Rights
  - 9:00-13.00: Familiarization with Italian Industries: A Visit to a Transnational Company (CAME Corp.)
  - 14.45-16.30: Economic & Social Rights in European Courts (Matteo De No)

- **19 July, Tuesday**
  - International Investments & International Courts
  - 9.15-11.00: Merger & Acquisition Law (Prof. Maurizio Bianchini)
  - 11.15-13.00: International Courts and Transnational Litigation (Prof. Christopher Grout)
  - 14.30-16.15: The Future of Energy: Sources & Exploitation (Prof. Arturo Lorenzoni)

- **20 July, Wednesday**
  - International Tax Law & Courts in the Middle East
  - 9.15-11.00: Italian Tax Law & Arbitration (Prof. Mauro Trivellin)
  - 11.15-13.00: International Tax Law (Prof. Marcello Poggioli)
  - 14.30-16.15: International Courts in the Middle East (Prof. Christopher Grout)

- **21 July, Thursday**
  - Energy Law & Development
  - 9.15-11.00: Energy Law (Prof. Elena Buoso)
  - 11.15-13.00: Construction Law (Prof. Elena Buoso)
  - 14.30-16.15: See EU Around: A Talk on Europe and Britain after Brexit (Prof. Mark Hill, QC)

- **22 July, Friday**
  - International Arbitration & Wrap-Up Session
  - 9.15-11.00: International Arbitration (Prof. Mark Hill, QC)
  - 11.30-13.00: Concluding Remarks – A Cool Company (Dr. Kata da Ros, Vice-President Inox SpA)
  - 14.30-16.15: Final Examination for Students Seeking ECTS

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**Faculty**

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- Prof. Mario Bertolissi, University of Padua
- Prof. Maurizio Bianchini, University of Padua
- Prof. Elena Buoso, University of Padua
- Prof. Andrea Pin, University of Padua
- Prof. Andrew Dahdal, Qatar University
- Prof. Christopher Grout, Qatar International Court and Dispute Resolution Centre
- Prof. Mark Hill, QC, Cardiff University
- Prof. Andrea Pin, University of Padua

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