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Workshop:

Modern technologies in teaching and EU legal practice – new approaches and challenges in the times of a war in Ukraine

November 3rd 2022

Venue: Faculty of Law, Palacky University, Olomouc Czech Republic 17. listopadu 8, Olomouc, Building A, Rotunda

An international workshop with the involvement of teachers and researchers from Partner universities and with participation of the leading experts from state institutions and national associations of European studies, will be held in English. This workshop is organised under the Jean Monnet Network "European Union and the Challenges of Modern Society (Legal Issues of Digitalization, Robotization, Cyber Security and Prevention of Hybrid Threats)", including Palacký University in Olomouc (Czech Republic) as the principal coordinator, the Heidelberg University (Germany), the Tallinn University of Technology (Estonia), the Comenius University in Bratislava (Slovakia), the Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv (Ukraine) and in cooperation with the Czech Association of European Studies.

Programme of the Workshop

The workshop will be focused on new methodological and pedagogical approaches in teaching in the light of modern technologies. The proposed workshop will concentrate mainly on opportunities for improving teaching and learning processes in higher education deriving from these factors.

Other very important directions of the workshop are dedicated to the issues of the effective usage of modern technologies in searching of adequate employment for graduates from universities and other relevant issues of digital labour platforms (including labour law questions concerning employees in the digital platforms). Some other issues connected with implementation of modern technologies in practice will be also discussed – for instance the implication of usage of modern technologies in consumer law including the consumer protection in the relations of digital platforms. The usage of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in judicial and legal practice of different European states creates a part of workshop as well.

Registration of participants: 9:30-10:00

Section I: Digitalization as one of the key priorites of the contemporary education process – welcomme addresses 10:00-10:40

Chair: Assoc. Prof. et Assoc. Prof. JUDr. Naděžda Šišková, PhD.

- Assoc. Prof. et Assoc. Prof. JUDr. Naděžda Šišková, PhD. Head of Jean-Monnet Centre of Excellence, Faculty of Law Palacy University, President of the Czech Association for the European Studies, coordinator of Jean-Monnet Network
- **Prof. JUDr. Vladimír Balaš, CSc.**, Minister of education, youth and sports of the Czech republic
- Prof. MUDr. Martin Procházka, Ph.D., Rector Palacky University
- Prof. Volodymyr Bugrov, Rector Taras Shevchenko University
- Representative of the Embassy of Ukraine in the Czech Republic (to be confirmed)

Section II: Teaching in Digital Age – New Approaches and Challenges for EU Studies

Chair: **Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. mult. Peter-Christian Müller-Graff**, PhD., Director of the Heidelberg University Institute for German and European Corporate and Economic Law, Faculty of Law University of Heidelberg

10:40-11:00 Keynote speaker – JUDr. Maxim Tomoszek, PhD. – Vice-Dean Faculty of Law Palacky University: "Blended Learning in Higher Education - Opportunities Deriving from COVID Experience"

11-11:20 Prof. Dr. Kseniia Smyrnova, PhD. — Vice-Rector for International Cooperation at the Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv: "New Forms of Teaching and Learning during a War-Time in Ukraine: Challenges and Perspectives. Educational Diplomacy during a War"

11:20-11:45 Coffee break

11:45-12:05 Doc. JUDr. David Sehnálek, PhD. – Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Law, Masaryk University in Brno: "Distance Learning of Legal Knowledge and Skills – Lessons Learned from COVID (and post-COVID)"

12:05-12:25 Alla Fedorova, PhD. – Senior lecture, Insitute of International Relations, Taras Schevchenko National University of Kyiv: "Human Rights Education for Legal Professionals"

12:25-13:00 Discussion

13:00-14:00 Lunch

Section III: Modern Technologies and Legal Practice – Recent Reflections from EU Law, National Law and International Law

Chair: JUDr. Maxim Tomoszek PhD., Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Law, Palacky University in Olomouc

14:00-14:20 JUDr. Petr Podrazil, PhD. - Senior lecturer, Faculty of Law, Palacky University in Olomouc: "Digital Labour Platforms, Their Peculiarities and Impact on Empolyees Rights"

14:20-14:40 Assoc. Prof. JUDr. Blanka Vítová, PhD., Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Law, Palacky University: "The Impact of Digital Technology on Consumer Protection"

14:40-15:00 Mgr. Aleksi Kajander LLM. – Doctoral candidate at the Department of Law, Tallinn University of Technology and Agnes Kasper, PhD. – Senior lecturer, at the Department of Law, Tallinn University of Technology: "EU Common Position on International Law and Cyberspace"

15:00-15:30 Discussion

15:30-16:00 Coffee Break

Section IV: Robotization and the Related Issues

Chair: Assoc. Prof. JUDr. **Blanka Vítová**, PhD., Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Law, Palacky University in Olomouc

16:00-16:20 JUDr. Soňa Matochová PhD. - Head of the Analysis Department, Czech Data Protection Office: "Artificial Intelligence from the Data Protection and Privacy Perspective"

16:20-16:40 Doc. JUDr. Jozef Andraško, PhD. – Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Law, Comenius University in Bratislava: "**Regulation of automated vehicles: lessons from Slovakia."**

16:40-17:00 Mgr. et Mgr. Ondřej Filipec, PhD. – Senior lecturer, member of Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence Faculty of Law Palacky University in Olomouc: "The Czech Republic and Artificial Intelligence: A New Tiger Emerging in Central Europe?"

17:00-18:00 Discussion and conclusions

Scientifical and Organization Committee

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