





Legal hermeneutics could be deemed a broader notion than just legal interpretation. When legal practitioners cope with the law, they often do much more than merely interpret it. Arguably, they engage in legal construction, apply the law to a case at hand, and exercise discretion. In this spirit, the workshop aims to take this more comprehensive perspective of legal hermeneutics seriously by inviting its participants to address these various hermeneutic activities in legal adjudication.

Program

Thursday, 20 July 2023

09:30 am-09:50 am	Welcome & Registration
09:50 am-10:00 am	Introduction Prof. Dr. Ralf Poscher, Max Planck Institute, Freiburg i. Br.
10:00 am-11:30 am	1st lecture: A hermeneutical approach to hard cases Prof. Dr. Marcin Matczak, University of Warsaw
11:30 am-01:00 pm	2nd lecture: Interpretation before interpretation Prof. Dr. Giorgio Pino, University of Roma Tre
01:00 pm-02:00 pm	Lunch break
02:00 pm-03:30 pm	3rd lecture: Unpacking the concept of law-application Prof. Dr. Paolo Sandro, University of Leeds
03:30 pm-04:00 pm	Coffee break
04:00 pm-05:30 pm	4th lecture: When does the law run out? Discre- tion, higher-order indeterminacy and authority Prof. Dr. Mathieu Carpentier, University of Toulouse
08:00 pm	Dinner

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Friday, 21 July 2023

10:00 am-11:30 am	5th lecture: Meaning and legal meaning Prof. Dr. Ralf Poscher, Max Planck Institute, Freiburg i. Br.												
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02:00 pm-03:30 pm	the	7th lecture: Experimental jurisprudence, the separability thesis and legal interpretation Prof. Dr. Izabela Skoczeń, Jagiellonian University											
03:30 pm-04:00 pm	Coff	Coffee break											
04:00 pm-06:00 pm	8th lecture: The limits of legal interpretation Prof. Dr. Kevin Toh, University College London Prof. Dr. Nicholas Allott, University of Oslo												
06:00 pm-07:00 pm	Dinr	Dinner break											
07:00 pm-08:30 pm	9th lecture: Dilemmas of discretion: Equity and mercy Prof. Dr. Gerald Postema, University of North Carolina												
08:30 pm-09:00 pm	Summary of the second-day discussion												
Saturday, 22 July 2023													
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12:00 pm-12:10 pm	Closing words & Summary of the third-day discussion Prof. Dr. Kevin Toh, University College London												
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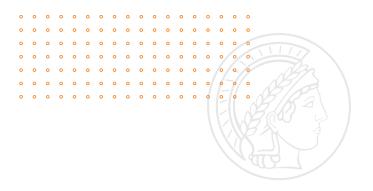
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Organization

Schedule:	Thursday, 20 July 2023
	09:30 am-open end

Friday, 21 July 2023 10:00 am-9:00 pm

Saturday, 22 July 2023 09:00 am-12:10 pm

Location: Max Planck Institute for the Study of Crime, Security and Law Fürstenbergstr. 19 79102 Freiburg Germany

Seminar room



Organizers: Prof

Prof. Dr. Ralf Poscher Director of the Department of Public Law of the Max-Planck-Institute for the Study of Crime, Security and Law

Prof. Dr. Kevin Toh Professor of Philosophy of Law at the University College London – UCL

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