**The 'Acceptable' Cartel? Horizontal Agreements under Competition Law and Beyond**

Friday 22 March 2019, London School of Economics and Political Science

**A Workshop Reflecting *McEllistrim v Ballymacelligott Co-Operative Agricultural and Dairy Society Limited* [1919] AC 548**

Workshop Agenda

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|  | **First Session – 100 Years of Restraint of Trade: Quo Vadis? Chair: Dr. Niamh Dunne (LSE)** |
| **9.15-11AM** | [David Foxton QC](https://essexcourt.com/barrister/david-foxton-qc/) Essex Court Chambers |
|  | [Dr. Eoin McLaughlin](http://www.eoinmclaughlin.ie/research.html) (University College Cork) |
|  | * *A Higher Tribunal than the House of Lords* |
|  | [Prof. Morten Hviid](https://people.uea.ac.uk/en/persons/m-hviid) (University of East Anglia)   * *Cooperatives and competition rules: lessons from* McEllistrim v Ballymacelligott |
| **11 – 11:30AM** | **Coffee Break** |
|  | **Second Session – Theory in the Context of History**  **Chair: Prof. Pablo Ibanez Colomo (LSE)** |
| **11:30 – 1PM** | Prof. Alison Jones (King’s College London) |
|  | * *Charactering Horizontal Agreements under Competition Law* |
|  | [Prof. Andreas Stephan](https://people.uea.ac.uk/en/persons/a-stephan) (University of East Anglia) |
|  | * *The Long History of English Competition Law: The Treatment of Restrictive Horizontal Agreements before Restraint of Trade* |
|  | [Dr. Kelvin Kwok](https://www.law.hku.hk/faculty/staff/kwok_kelvin.php) (University of Hong Kong)   * *Proximate and ultimate objects of non-cartel agreements: reflections on EU competition law and beyond* |
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| **1 – 2PM** | **Lunch Break** |
|  | **Third Session – Marking the Boundaries of Acceptable Cartel (I)**  **Chair: TBC** |
| **2 – 3:30PM** |  |
|  | [Prof. Giorgio Monti](https://www.eui.eu/DepartmentsAndCentres/Law/People/Professors/Monti) (European University Institute)   * *Public interest legislation and private regulation in the public interest: a competition-compatibility checklist* |
|  | [Prof. Maarten Pieter Schinkel](http://fcp.eui.eu/team/maarten-pieter-schinkel/) (University of Amsterdam)   * *The Public Interest-Defence in Antitrust Offences: Sustainability and Collusion* |
|  | [Dr. Kati Cseres](http://www.uva.nl/profiel/c/s/k.j.cseres/k.j.cseres.html?1549983617218) (University of Amsterdam) |
|  | * *Acceptable” cartels at the crossroads of law and politics: A case-study of the Hungarian Watermelon case and its implications for EU law* |
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| **3:30 – 4PM** | **Coffee Break** |
|  | **Fourth Session – Marking the Boundaries of the Acceptable Cartel (II) Chair: Prof. Imelda Maher (University College Dublin)** |
| **4 – 5:30PM** | [Dr. Or Brook](https://essl.leeds.ac.uk/law/staff/1069/or-brook) (University of Leeds) |
|  | * *Struggling with Article 101(3): Diverging Approaches of the Commission, EU Courts and Five Competition Authorities* |
|  | [Prof. Pieter Van Cleynenbreugel](http://local.droit.ulg.ac.be/jcms/perso/index.php?idpers=3872) (University of Liege) |
|  | * *‘Associations of undertakings’ in Article 101 TFEU: a horizontal agreements’ gatekeeper gone rogue?*   [Dr. Angus McCulloch](https://www.lancaster.ac.uk/law/people/angus-macculloch) (University of Lancaster) |
|  | * *The ‘Public’ Wrong of Cartels and the Article 101 TFEU ‘Object Box’* |