



The Global South in Comparative Constitutional Law

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- Program -

Thursday, 13 July 2017

Welcome Address, 19:00

- *Philipp Dann* (Editor-in-chief, VRUe)
- *Martin Eifert* (Dean, Law Department, HU Berlin)

Keynote: A 'Globalisation' and 'Law' Scrapbook *William Twining* (London)

- Comment: *Christoph Möllers* (Berlin)

Reception

Friday, 14 July 2017

Block 1: Theorizing the Global South: Comparative Constitutional Law's Epistemic Framework (09:00-12:30)

- Knowledge Production in Comparative Constitutional Law, *Florian Hoffmann* (Rio)
- What Would a 'Third World Approach' to Comparative Constitutional Law Look Like? *Zoran Oklopčič* (Ottawa)
- Comparative Law and Development? *Jedidiah Kroncke* (Sao Paulo)

Moderator: Günter Frankenberg (Frankfurt a.M.)

Block 2: Constitutionalism in the Global South I (14:00 – 17:00)

Session 1: Transformative Constitutionalism

- Africa, *Heinz Klug* (Wisconsin)
- India, *Sujit Choudry* (Berkeley)
- Latin America, *Diego Werneck Arguelles* (Rio)

Moderator: James Fowkes (Münster)

Evening Lecture (18:15)

50 years of "Law and Politics in Asia, Africa and Latin America": History and Challenges, *Brun-Otto Bryde* (Gießen)

Moderator: Jürgen Bast (Gießen)

Saturday, 15 July 2017

Block 3: Constitutionalism in the Global South II

Session 1: Inequality and access to Justice (09:00 - 10:45)

- India, Anuj Bhunia (Delhi)
- Latin America, Roberto Gargarella (Buenos Aires)
- South Africa, David Bilchitz (Johannesburg)

Moderator: Philipp Dann (Berlin)

Session 2: Authoritarian Constitutionalism (11:15 - 13:00)

- Asia, Weitseng Chen (Singapore)
- Arab countries, Zaid Al-Ali (Tunis)
- Latin America, Roberto Niembro (Mexico)

Moderator: Michaela Hailbronner (Münster)

Block 4: Bringing the Global South Back in: Promises and Pitfalls (14:30 - 17:00)

- Constitutional Design and External Influences, Christina Murray (Cape Town)
- Global Constitutionalism and the Global South, Vidya Kumar (Birmingham)

Concluding discussion

Moderator: Michael Riegner (Berlin)

Venue

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