



Verfassung und Recht in Übersee/ World Comparative Law

Annual Conference 2024

4th -5th July 2024

Humboldt University, Law Faculty, Unter den Linden 9, 10117 Berlin

Balkonsaal (Room 208)

in cooperation with University of Erfurt

Thursday, 4th July 2024

9.30 **Welcome**

10.00 - 12.00 **Authoritarian Constitutionalism and Democratic Decline**

- **Vaishnavi Ranjana** (Independent Researcher), The Rise of far-right political movements in Europe
- **Evandro Sussekind** (Universität Erfurt), Military Constitutionalism
- **Douglas McDonald-Norman** (UNSW Sydney), The Canary: Administrative Tribunals and Democratic Decline in India

Moderation: Thilo Herbert

12.00 - 13.30 **Lunch break**

13.30 - 15.30 **Political Constitutionalism**

- **Surbhi Karwa** (UNSW Sydney), Feminist Constitutionalism beyond courts
- **Gauri Pillai** (EUI Florence), A Values-Driven Separation of Powers. Abortion litigation in the United States, Poland, South Korea and Colombia
- **Anmol Jain** (University of Melbourne), Absence of Due Process in Indian Law-making
- **Heinz Klug** (University of Wisconsin-Madison), The Constitution of Democracy in moments of political fluidity: autocratization or democratic revival in Southern Africa?

Moderation: Diego Werneck Arguelhes



15.30 - 16.00 **Coffee break**

16.00 - 17.30 **Krüger Lecture Academic Keynote**

Dinesha Samararatne (University of Colombo), Comparative Constitutional Law From and Within the Global South: Prospects, Challenges and Hopes

18.30 **Dinner** @Thu My Marie Concept Restaurant, Taubenstraße 20, 10117 Berlin

Friday, 5th July 2024

8.45 **Coffee and Tea**

9.00 - 11.00 **Strategic Legal Interventions**

- **Bruno Lima** (MPI Frankfurt), Black Reading of White Constitutions: Revisiting US and Brazilian Constitutional History from the Perspectives of Frederick Douglass and Luiz Gama
- **Tim Wihl** (Universität Erfurt), Strategic litigation, democratic legitimacy and popular constitutionalism
- **Mariana Llanos** (Universität Erfurt) and **Cordula Tibi Weber** (GIGA Hamburg), Courts and Public Participation in Latin America: A Comparative Assessment of the Use of Public Hearings and Amici Curiae
- **Elisabeth Perham** (UNSW Sydney), Modes of External Constitutional Advising

Moderation: Fabia Fernandes Carvalho Vecoso

11.00 - 11.30 **Coffee break**

11.30 - 13.00 **Towards a new Jurisprudence for the Post-Anthropocene**

- **Lise Tupiassu** (Universidade Federal de Pará, Belem), Climate finance and justice from an Amazonian perspective
- **Eklavya Vasudev** (FAU Erlangen), Beyond the Present: Climate Change Litigation and the Future of Transformative Constitutionalism
- **Andreas Buser** (FU Berlin), Towards Planetary Constitutionalism: The Case of Germany

Moderation: Michael Riegner



13.00 - 14.00 **Lunch break**

14.00 - 16.00 **(More-than-)Human Rights and Audiovisual Interventions**

- **Luis Eslava** (La Trobe University), **Cecilia Oliveira** (RIFS Potsdam) and **Jenny García Ruales** (Universität Marburg), Amazon of Rights – The Movie
- **Debora Diniz** (University of Brasilia/Yale Law School), The intertwinings of abortion law reform in Brazil and Argentina: Scarleth's story

Film Screening: "A Common Woman"

Moderation: Jessica Holl