

# DISSETTLE RESEARCH WORKSHOP

and Round Table on

## EU-US TRADE RELATIONS: THE DAWN OF A NEW ERA?

25th to 28th March 2015

*organised by*

University of Warsaw

*and*

Centre for Trade and Economic Integration (CTEI) at the Graduate Institute of International and  
Development Studies, Geneva

*to be held at*

University of Warsaw

### PROGRAMME

University of Warsaw  
Faculty of Economic Sciences, **Room 408**  
ul. Długa 44/50  
(close to Ratusz Arsenal metro station)

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## WEDNESDAY 25 MARCH 2015

REGISTRATION (AT HOTEL)	From 16:30
<b>Welcome, Reflections, Reporting and Action Points</b> <b>Jan Michalek, Theresa Carpenter, Emily Lydgate Louise Johannesson</b>	17:00 – 19:00
DINNER [INCLUDING INTRODUCTION TO MINI-MOOTS]	19:30

## THURSDAY 26 MARCH 2015

<b>Complementary Skills Training</b> (Discussion / Practice / Role-Play) With <b>Bruce Malashevich</b>	
BREAKFAST [INCLUDING PREPARATION FOR MINI-MOOTS]	8:00-10:00
Mini-Moot 1: Trade Dispute	10:30-11:30
Mini-Moot 2: Competition Dispute	11:40-12:40
LUNCH	12:45
<b>Workshop Session 1</b>	13:45
<b>Searching for a More Economic Approach to Less Favourable Treatment Analysis in Article III GATT: Can EU Antitrust Give the Answer?</b> <b>Nicolo Zingales</b> (Tilburg Law School)	
<b>The Quantification of Fines and Damages in EU Competition Law and of Countermeasures in WTO Law</b> <b>Marios Iacovides</b> (Bocconi)	
<b>How to determine degree of market likeness when products are not perfectly substitutable</b> <b>Emily Lydgate</b> (Sussex University) and <b>Louise Johannesson</b> Commentators: <b>Anna Marhold</b> (EUI) and <b>Geraldo Vidigal Neto</b>	
BREAK	16:00
<b>Workshop Session 2</b>	16:30 – 18:30
<b>Product Competitiveness and Regulatory Purpose under the WTO National Treatment Principle</b> <b>Emily Lydgate</b> (Sussex University)	
<b>EU Investment Treaty Practice in Light of EU-Singapore and EU-Canada</b> <b>Giuseppe-Matteo Vaccaro-Incisa</b> (Bocconi)	
<b>Corporate Nationality in International Investment Law in Light of the Relation between IIAs and Host States' Economic Development</b> <b>Carlo de Stefano</b> (Bocconi) Commentator: <b>Giorgio Sacerdoti</b> (Bocconi)	
CULTURAL ACTIVITY (OPTIONAL) OR FREE TIME	20:30

**FRIDAY 27 MARCH 2015**

### Workshop Session 3

8:45

**Cascading Trade Protection: Theory and Evidence from the U.S.**

**Aksel Erbahar** (Graduate Institute, Geneva). Joint work with Yuan Zi

**Foreign Lobbying, Barriers to FDI and Investment Agreements**

**Mathilde Lebrand** (EUI) Joint work with Matteo Fiorini

**Finding Opportunities for Cooperation in Removing Prohibitive Trade Barriers**

**David DeRemer** (Institute of Economics, Hungarian Academy of Sciences)

Commentator: **Paola Conconi** (Université Libre de Bruxelles)

BREAK

11:00

### Workshop Session 4

11:30

**Antitrust Cooperation Decisions with Endogenous Cartel Formation**

**Roberto Venturini** (Graduate Institute, Geneva)

**How 'Necessary'? A Comparison of Legal and Economic Assessments Under GATT  
Dispute Settlements, Article XX(b), TBT 2.2 and SPS 5.6**

**Eyal Ronen** (University of Warsaw) Joint work with **Kamala Dawar** (Sussex University)

Commentator: **Paola Conconi** (Université Libre de Bruxelles)

LUNCH

12:50

## EU-US TRADE RELATIONS: THE DAWN OF A NEW ERA?

14:00-16:00

**Aula B**

Keynote and Round Table Discussion (Open to the Public)

**The Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (TTIP): Political context and update on negotiation**

**Danuta HUEBNER**, Member of European Parliament for the Civic Platform

**Round Table and Discussion on the links between TTIP and the Multilateral Trading System *with***

- **Denis REDONNET**, Strategy Division, Directorate General for Trade, European Commission
- **Bruce MALASHEVICH**, President, Economic Consulting Services, Washington
- **Giorgio SACERDOTI**, Professor of International Law, Bocconi University, Milan, Italy
- **Paola CONCONI**, Professor of Economics, Université Libre de Bruxelles

Moderator: **Jan MICHAŁEK**, Professor of Economics, University of Warsaw

**Open discussion**

**Refreshments** KINDLY OFFERED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF WARSAW

REFRESHMENTS

16:00

## FRIDAY 27 MARCH 2015 (CONT)

<b>Workshop Session 5</b>	17:00
<b>Circumvention of anti-dumping: a law and economics analysis of proportionality in EU rules</b>	
Laura Puccio (European Parliament) Joint work with Aksel Erbahar (Graduate Institute)	
<b>Wrap-up, Reflections, Reporting and Action Points (recap for late arrivals)</b>	17:45
Louise Johannesson, Emily Lydgate, Theresa Carpenter and Josh Martin	
<b>Complementary Skills Training: Mediation – An Introduction</b>	18:00– 19:00
with Ranse Howell, CEDR	
CONFERENCE DINNER	19:30

## SATURDAY 28 MARCH 2015

<b>Complementary Skills Training: Mediation – Workshop</b>	9:30
Ranse Howell, Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution	
COFFEE AVAILABLE: 10:50	
<b>Workshop close</b>	12:30
DEPARTURE TO AIRPORT FROM HOTEL	From 13:30