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4th PUBLIC PROCUREMENT Ph.D. CONFERENCE
7-8 September 2009

PUBLIC PROCUREMENT RESEARCH GROUP
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Monday, 7th September

9.30am **Registration**, B55 University of Nottingham School of Law, Law and Social Sciences Building, University Park, Nottingham

9.45am **Welcome from** Professor Sue Arrowsmith

10.00 – 12.30 am **Group A: Issues Stemming from ECJ Case Law**

Kris Wauters, In-House Procurement: Principles and ECJ Case Law

Carina Risvig Hansen, Contracts Outside of the Directives: Services Concessions

- 11:00—11:30 am** **Coffee & Tea**
- 11:30—12:30 am** **(Cont)**
- Andrea Sundstrand**, Contracts Outside of the Directives: ECJ Case Law
- Miguel Raimundo**, Direct Award of Public Contracts in Portugal vs EC Law
- 12:30 – 1:00 pm** **Poster Presentations & Global Revolutions**
- 1:00 – 2:00 pm** **Lunch (Staff Club)**
- 2:15 -4:45 pm** **Group B: Public law and private law in public contracting**
- Erik Marschner**, Contract and adaptation of Contracts in the European Public Procurement Law – A comparative study on the German and English Law of Public Procurement
- Nicolas Gabayet**, Performance of Public Contracts in the UK and France
- 3:15-3:45 pm** **Coffee & Tea**
- 3:45 – 5:00 pm** **(Cont)**
- Felix Zigirinshuti**, The Balance Between Public/Private Law: Public Procurement Contracts in Rwanda
- Pierre Bourdon**, The Ineffectiveness of Public Contracts in the UK and France
- 2.00pm-5.00 pm** **Group C: Special Purchasing Arrangements & Contracts**
- Serban Filipon**, Non-Traditional Regular Purchasing Agreements
- Alexandre Motta**, Electronic Reverse Auctions in Brazil
- Maura Mattalia**, Public Sponsorship Contracts under EU vs. National Law: The Italian Case

3:30—4:00 pm **Coffee & Tea**

4:00—5:00pm **(Cont)**

Baudouin Heuinckx, Applicable Law to the Procurement of International Organizations in the EU

Paul Heijnsbroek, Area Development and EC Public Procurement Law

Dinner at 7.00

Tuesday 8th September

9.00-11.15 am **Group A: Competitive Dialogue & PFI**

Pedro Telles, Competitive Dialogue in Portugal: Key Issues So Far

Sylvia de Mars, The Implementation of Competitive Dialogue: a Comparative Approach

10:00—10:15 am **Coffee & Tea**

10:15—11:15 am **(Cont)**

Angela Vodden, PPP/PFI in the EU/UK: freedom of movement, competition law and state aid

Richard Craven, Procurement Procedures under the Private Finance Initiative

11:15—11:30 am **Coffee & Tea**

11:30—1:00 pm **Group B: Procurement & Other Disciplines**

Albert Sanchez Graells, Competition and the Public Buyer

Wendy de Bondt, Exclusion for Criminal Offences and the Non-Discrimination Principle

Songul Mutluer, Improving Contracting Strategies under Public Tendering Procedures

09:00—11:00 am Group C: Remedies in Public Procurement

Vera Eiro, Damages in the EU & Portugal: Francovich vs. the Remedies Directive

Hanna Schebesta, Damages: Sources other than the Remedies Directive

Mari Ann Simovart, The New Remedies Directive and the Diligent Businessman

11:00—11:30 am Coffee & Tea

11:30—1:00 pm Group D: Social & Environmental Considerations in Procurement

Eleanor Aspey, CSR in the Utilities Sector

Ramona Apostol, Social Criteria in Public Procurement in the Netherlands

Rike Kraemer, Environmental Policies and Multi-Level Regulation of Procurement: Conflict of Laws

1-2pm Lunch and closure of the conference, Staff Club, sponsor: PPRG

20.00 Night out

(This will not be sponsored by the PPRG and delegates should thus pay for their meal.)