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Rule of Law in Europe CONFERENCE

PROGRAM **9.Dec. 2021** / 14.30h-18.30h

14.30 Opening session

Isabel Capelo Gil / Rector, UCP
Paulo Pinto de Albuquerque / UCP Lisbon
Filipe Marques / President of MEDEL
Didier Reynders / European Commissioner of Justice

15.00 Structural problems of the independence of the Judiciary in Europe

Moderator: Manuel Soares / President of ASJP - Portuguese Judges Association
João Caupers / Lisbon Nova University / President of the Portuguese Constitutional Court
Laurent Pech / Middlesex University, London
Adam Bodnar / University of Social Sciences and Humanities, Warsaw
/ Polish Ombudsman (2015-2021)

16.30 Coffee break

17.00 The CJEU case law on judicial independence and the relationship between national judges and the CJEU

Moderator: Monika Frackowiak / Judge at Poznan Court, Poland
/ MEDEL board member
Marc de Werd / University of Amsterdam / Judge at the Amsterdam Court of Appeal
Paulo Mota Pinto / Coimbra University / Judge of the Portuguese Constitutional Court
(1998-2007)
Miguel Poiães Maduro / UCP Lisbon / Advocate General at the CJUE (2003-2009)

PROGRAM **10.Dec. 2021** / 9.30h-16.30h

9.30 The ECHR case law on judicial independence and the relationship between national judges and the ECHR

Moderator and speaker:

Paulo Pinto de Albuquerque / UCP Lisbon / Judge at the ECHR (2011-2020)
Francesco Viganò / Università Bocconi, Milano / Judge at the Italian Constitutional Court
András Sajó / Central European University / Judge at the ECHR (2009-2017)
Anke Eilers / Presiding Judge at the Cologne Court of Appeal, Germany
/ President-elect of the CCJE - Consultative Council of European Judges
Yves Haeck / Ghent University, Belgium

11.00 Coffee break

11.30 The future lines of action of the European institutions

Moderator: Filipe Marques / MEDEL
Paulo Rangel / UCP Porto / Member of the European Parliament
José Manuel Pureza / University of Coimbra / Member of the Portuguese Parliament
Patrícia Fragoso Martins / UCP Lisbon
John Morijn / University of Groningen

13.00 Lunch break

14.30 The position of the Public Prosecutor's Office / the need for European rules on internal/external independence

Moderator: Adão Carvalho / President of SMMP - Portuguese Prosecutors Union
Dolores Delgado / General Prosecutor of Spain
Antonio Vercher Noguera / President of the CCPE - Consultative Council of European
Prosecutors
Paulo Dá Mesquita / Judge at the Tribunal de Contas
/ Member of the Consultative Council of the Portuguese General Prosecutor (2011-2017)

16:00 Closing

Jorge Pereira da Silva / Dean of the Católica Lisbon Law School
Adão Carvalho / President of SMMP
Manuel Soares / President of ASJP
Mariasosaria Guglielmi / European Delegated Prosecutor in Rome
/ Vice-President of MEDEL
Francisca Van Dunem / Minister of Justice of Portugal