DRAFT CONFERENCE AGENDA

The contribution of HCCH, UNCITRAL and UNIDROIT to the harmonisation of the law of international sales

Rome/remote, Tuesday 22 September 2020

Pre-register here

13:00-13:15 Opening Addresses:
Maria Chiara Malaguti, President, UNIDROIT
Ignacio Tirado, Secretary-General, UNIDROIT
Christophe Bernasconi, Secretary-General, HCCH
Anna Joubin-Bret, Secretary, UNCITRAL

13:15-14:30 Chair: Ning Zhao
Stefan Vogenauer: “Choice of contract law and choice forum: new developments with regard to regulatory competition”
Discussion

14:30-14:45 Break

14:45-16:00 Chair: Henry D. Gabriel
José Angelo Estrella Faria: “From the Hague Conventions to CISG: UNIDROIT’s early legacy to the uniform law on international sales”
Lauro Gama: “The interaction between CISG and UPICC”
Hiroo Sono: "Limitation Periods in International Sales"
Discussion

16:00-16:15 Break

16:15-17:30 Chair: Ignacio Tirado
Pilar Perales Viscasillas: "Force Majeure and Hardship in the context of the regulation of long-term contracts”
Bénédicte Fauvarque-Cosson: "The CISG and the UNIDROIT Principles as a model for legislators: the case of France”
Discussion