

Nordic Private Law Conference

Direct claims, forum and choice of law

Copenhagen, June 11-12, 2026

Organised by **CEPRI, Centre for Private Governance** (University of Copenhagen, Faculty of Law) and **UNIDROIT Nordic Law Centre**

THURSDAY JUNE 11

Welcome to the conference

09.30-09.45 **Vibe Ulfbeck**, Professor, University of Copenhagen (Head of CEPRI) and **Giuditta Cordero-Moss**, Professor, University of Oslo (coordinator of the UNIDROIT Nordic Law Centre)

PART I: General introduction to the concept of direct claims in sales law and insurance law (Chair: Ignacio Tirado, Professor, Secretary General, UNIDROIT)

09.45-09.55 **Ignacio Tirado**, Professor Secretary General, UNIDROIT:
Introduction

09.55-10.15 **Amund Bjøranger Tørum**, Partner, BAHR Law Firm

10.15-10.35 **Stina Bratt**, Associate Professor, Stockholm University

10.35-10.55 **Olli Norros**, Professor, University of Helsinki

10.55-11.15 Coffee break

11.15-11.35 **Vibe Ulfbeck**, Professor, University of Copenhagen

11.35-11.55 **Jean-Sebastian Borghetti**, Professor, Paris-Panthéon-Assas université

11.55-12.15 **Tom Hick**, Senior Research Fellow, Max Planck Institute for International and Comparative Law

12.15-13.00 Discussion

13.00-14.00 Lunch

**Part II: Direct claims and arbitration clauses (Chair: Clement Petersen,
Professor, CEPRI, University of Copenhagen)**

- 14.00-14.10 **Clement Petersen**, Professor, CEPRI, University of Copenhagen:
Introduction
- 14.10-14.30 **Johan Tufte-Kristensen**, Associate Professor, University of
Copenhagen
- 14.30-14.50 **Eva Storskrubb**, Associate Professor, Uppsala University
- 14.50-15.10 **Gilles Cuniberti**, Professor, University of Luxembourg
- 15.10- 16.00 Discussion
- 17.00-18.00 Boat trip on the canals (for speakers)
- 19.00 Dinner** (for speakers)

FRIDAY JUNE 12

**Part III: Direct claims, choice of law and jurisdiction (Chair: Theodora
Kostoula, Legal Council, UNIDROIT)**

- 09.00-09.10 **Theodora Kostoula**, Legal Council, UNIDROIT: Introduction
- 09.10-09.30 **Erik Sinander**, Docent, Associate professor, Stockholm University
- 09.30-09.50 **Sylvie Cavaleri**, Associate Professor, University of Copenhagen
- 09.50-10.10 **Giuditta Cordero-Moss**, Professor, Oslo University
- 10.10-10.30 Coffee break
- 10.30-10.50 **Jesper Windahl**, Lawyer, WSCO, Copenhagen
- 10.50-11.10 **Katarzyna Kryla-Cudna**, Bristol University
- 11.10-11.30 **Anatol Dutta**, Professor, Ludwig Maximilians University, Munich
- 11.30-12.00 Discussion
- 12.00 – 13.00 LUNCH**

Part IV: New types of direct claims in the green and digital transition (Chair: Vibe Ulfbeck, Professor, CEPRI, University of Copenhagen)

- 13.00-13.10 **Vibe Ulfbeck**, Professor, CEPRI, University of Copenhagen: Introduction
- 13.10-13.30 **Lena Sisula-Tulokas**, Professor emerita, University of Helsinki
- 13.30-13.50 **Evelyn Terryn**, Professor KU Leuven, Belgium
- 13.50-14.10 **Theodora Kostoula**, Legal Council, UNIDROIT
- 14.10-14.30 **Line Gjerstad Tjelflaat**, Bergen University
- 14.30-14.50 **Ignacio Tirado**, Professor, Secretary General, UNIDROIT
- 14.50-15.10 Discussion
- 15.10-15.15 Wrap Up: **Vibe Ulfbeck** (CEPRI) and **Giuditta Cordero-Moss** (UNIDROIT Nordic Law Centre)

Network and drinks on the terrasse



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