HOW DO COMPROMISE AND DEMOCRACY GET ALONG?

PROGRAMME

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9h00 Welcome
9h30-10h15 Alin Fumurescu (University of Houston): Compromise and the people’s two bodies
Discussant: Sandrine Baume
10h15-11h00 Patrick Overeem (University of Amsterdam): Compromise and virtue in democratic politics: A neo-Aristotelian view
Discussant: Christian Rostbøll
Break
11h15-12h00 Véronique Zanetti (University of Bielefeld): Proportionality and compromise
Discussant: Pierre-Yves Neron
Lunch
14h00-14h45 Sandrine Baume (University of Lausanne): Objections against political compromises: An attempt at a typology
Discussant: Manon Westphal
14h45-15h30 Christian Rostbøll (University of Copenhagen): Popular sovereignty between consensus and compromise
Discussant: Alin Fumurescu
Break
16h00-16h45 Manon Westphal (University of Münster): Democracy and agonistic compromise
Discussant: Véronique Zanetti
16h45-17h30 Pierre-Yves Neron (European School of Political and Social Sciences, Lille): Compromise and adversialism
Discussant: Stéphanie Novak

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9h00-9h45 Matthijs Bogaards (Central European University, Budapest): The price of compromise: Is consociational democracy always the answer?
Discussant: Nenad Stojanovic
9h45-10h30 Nenad Stojanovic (University of Lucerne): The role of compromise in a (non-populist) theory of direct democracy
Discussant: Stéphanie Novak
Break
10h45-11h15 Stéphanie Novak (University of Venice): Does the public eye impede compromise in democratic decision-making? (co-authored with Sandrine Baume)
Discussant: Patrick Overeem
11h15-12h00 John Brewer (Queen’s University Belfast): Towards a sociology of compromise: compromise amongst victims of conflict in Northern Ireland, South Africa and Sri Lanka
Discussant: Matthijs Bogaards
13h00 Conclusion

ORGANIZERS: Sandrine Baume (Centre of Public Law, University of Lausanne) and Stéphanie Novak (University Ca’ Foscari, Venice)
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