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International Scientific Conference

6th Polish-Hungarian Scientific Conference on Legal Studies
***‘Current Issues of Legal Research and Legal Training: Legal Capacity, AI,
Vulnerable Groups and Modernisation of the Methods of Legal Education’***

Maria Curie-Skłodowska University (Lublin), Faculty of Law and Administration, Poland
Eötvös Loránd University (Budapest), Faculty of Law, Hungary

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University Auditorium (1st floor), Faculty of Law and Administration

Abstract

The main topic of the conference will be the new and current issues of Hungarian and Polish legal research and legal training. Following the topic of the 4th and 5th conference, we would like to continue the analysis of the recent issues, challenges, and transformations on the concept of legal capacity in the Polish and Hungarian legal systems. The different issues and challenges on that concept will be examined by the presentations. First of all, the constitutional background and the concept of legal capacity in the constitutional law, including the interpretation of the constitutional courts (tribunals). The relation of the concept on legal capacity in the constitutional and in the private law, the recent issues and challenges on legal capacity related to the artificial intelligence, the restriction of the active legal capacity, of adult persons having regard to their (psychosocial and intellectual) disabilities, the concept of legal capacity in the administrative procedures. Another major issue of the conference will be the analysis of the regulation of AI. Part of the legal capacity topic, the conference will examine the regulatory issues and practice of the protection of vulnerable groups, especially the children (based on the planned joint research-based policy recommendation activity of the ELTE and the UMCS) and persons with disabilities. The rapid transformation of the ecosystem of the legal regulation impacts significantly the legal training, therefore, there will be discussions on the change and modernization of the legal training activities in Hungary and Poland – having regard on the application of ICT tools and the evolvement of new regulatory issues.



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PROGRAMME OF THE CONFERENCE

OPENING SPEECH

9:00–9:10

Assoc. Prof. dr. habil. Arkadiusz Bereza, PhD

Vice-Rector of Maria Curie-Skłodowska University

PANEL 1 – Legal Capacity: Legal capacity and public law

9:10–10:40

Chair of the Panel: **Prof. dr. habil. Anna Przyborowska-Klimczak, PhD**

Dean of the Faculty of Law and Administration, UMCS

9:10–9:25

Assoc. Prof. dr. habil. Radosław Pastuszko, PhD (UMCS)

Social media disinformation - legal issues

9:25-9:40

Assoc. Prof. dr. habil. Zoltán Pozsár-Szentmiklósy, PhD (ELTE) & Assist. Prof. dr. Bernadette Somody, PhD (ELTE)

Emerging voices demand recognition as fundamental rights holders: Exploring the concept of fundamental rights beyond humans and their organizations

9:40-9:55

Assist. prof. Flóra Kollarics, dr. iur. (ELTE)

Legal standing and legal capacity of the fundamental rights

9:55–10:10

Assist. Prof. Virág Balogh, dr. iur. (ELTE)

Effects and counter-effects - the relationship between the EU institutions and the Hungarian public administration

10:10–11:25

Assist. Prof. Bertold Baranyi, dr. iur. (ELTE)

Incompatibility of the attorneys at law in Hungary

10:25 – 10:40 **Discussion**

10:40 – 11:00 **Coffee Break**



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PANEL 2 – Recent issues of legal research in public law: a multilayer regulatory system

11:00–11:55

Chair of the Panel: **Assoc. prof. dr. habil. Jarosław Kostrubiec, PhD**

Vice Dean of Faculty of Law and Administration, UMCS

11:00–11:15

Prof. dr. habil. István Hoffman, PhD (ELTE & UMCS)

'Permanent centralisation' (?) – transformation of the local governance in Hungary in the last 15 years

11:15–11:30

Assoc. Prof. dr. habil. András Bencsik, PhD (ELTE)

New challenges for local government: limited financial autonomy, artificial intelligence, cybersecurity

11:30–11:45

Assist. Prof. dr. Agata Grudzińska, PhD (UMCS)

Threats to attorney at law's professional secrecy arising from new technologies - from instant messaging to AI

11:45-11:55 **Discussion**

PANEL 3 – Recent issues of legal training in Hungary and in Poland

12:00–12:40

Chair of the Panel: **Prof. dr. habil. István Hoffman, PhD**

Department of Administrative Law of the Faculty of Law of ELTE &

Department of Public International Law of the Faculty of Law and Administration of UMCS

12:00–12:15

Assist. Prof. dr. Bernadette Somody, PhD (ELTE) & Prof. dr. habil. István Hoffman, PhD (ELTE & UMCS)

How to Motivate, Support and Assess Students in Self-Directed Learning: Using Digital Badges to Recognize Transversal Skills

12.15-12:30

Assoc. Prof. dr. habil. Jaroslaw Kostrubiec, PhD (UMCS)

Recent issues and modernization of legal training – an example of the UMCS

12:30-12:40 **Discussion**

LUNCH BREAK

12:40 – 14:15



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PANEL 4 – Recent issues of private law

14:15–15:30

Chair of the Panel: **Assoc. Prof. dr. habil. András Bencsik, PhD**
Department of Administrative Law of the Faculty of Law of ELTE

14:15–14:30 **Assoc. prof. dr. habil. Balázs Tókey, PhD (ELTE)**

Shall we be afraid of the abolition of substitute decision making?

14:30–14:45

Assist. prof. dr. habil. Marzena Świstak, PhD (UMCS)

Academic autonomy in the sphere of education. Balancing needs at the interface between private and public law

14:45 – 15:00

Zsófia Balogi, dr. iur., PhD-Student, Attorney at Law

Guardianship cases in the Hungarian judicial practice

15:00–15:15

Assist. Prof. Orsolya Papik, dr. iur. (ELTE)

Special legal entities and land use in Hungary: Forests

15:15-15:30 **Discussion**

15:30-16:00 **Coffee break**

PANEL 5 – Legal regulation and society

16:00–17:30

Chair of the Panel: **Prof. dr. habil. Leszek Leszczyński, PhD**

Director of the Institute of Legal Sciences, UMCS

16:00 – 16:15

Prof. dr. habil. Marek Kulik, PhD

Criminal law as a tool of social control in an era of instability of criminal statutes. Notes against the background of recent amendments to the Polish Penal Code.

16:15 – 16:30

János Pribelszki, PhD Student (ELTE)

Wonder Weapon of the Hungarian Regional Development? Special Economic Zones and County Governments in Hungary – with an International Outlook

16:30 – 16:45

Assist. Prof. dr. Katarzyna Hanas, PhD (UMCS)

The individual facing greenwashing.

16:45 – 17:00

Lili Karácsony, Márton Maróth & Emese Hargita Vörös (MA Students) (ELTE)

Changes in the regional development policy with the appearance of EU sources in Hungary

17:00–17:15 **Discussion**

17.15.-17.30 **Summary & Closing of the Conference**

Prof. dr. habil. Leszek Leszczyński, PhD & Prof. dr. habil. István Hoffman, PhD



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