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# › Digital Revolution: Challenges for Contract Law in Practice

1st – 2nd October 2015

## Venue

Lecture Room JO 1, Johannisstraße 4, 48143 Münster

## Organisers

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# Thursday, 1st October

- 14:00      **Opening**  
**Gerd Billen, Staatssekretär im Bundesministerium für Justiz und Verbraucherschutz**  
'Herausforderung der Digitalisierung für Verbraucher'
- I. Overview**  
**Prof. Dr. Dirk Staudenmeyer (European Commission)**  
'Contract Law Challenges in the Context of the Digital Single Market Strategy'
- 15:00      **II. 3D-Printing and Contract Law**  
**Prof. Dr. Christian Twigg-Flesner (University of Hull)**  
'Conformity of 3D prints – Can current Sales Law cope?'
- 15:25      **Prof. Dr. Chris Willett (University of Essex) and**  
**Prof. Dr. Geraint Howells (City University of Hong Kong)**  
'3D prints – Relationship of Contract Law and Tort Law'
- 15:50      Discussion
- 16:20      Coffee break
- 17:00      **III. Share Economy**  
**Prof. Dr. Larry DiMatteo (University of Florida)**  
'Share Economy – The American Experience'
- 17:25      **Prof. Dr. Rafael Illescas Ortiz (University of Madrid)**  
'Share Economy and the Notion of Consumer'
- 17:50      **Prof. Dr. Caroline Meller-Hannich (University of Halle)**  
'Share Economy and Consumer Protection'
- 18:15      Discussion
- (19:30      Dinner at the 'Giverny')
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## Friday, 2nd October

- 09:00 IV. Internet of Things  
**Prof. Dr. Natali Helberger (University of Amsterdam)**  
'Profiling and Targeting Consumers in the Internet of Things – A New Challenge for Consumer Protection'
- 09:25 **Prof. Dr. Rolf H. Weber (University of Zurich)**  
'Contractual Duties and Allocation of Liability in Automated Digital Contracts'
- 09:50 **Prof. Dr. Christiane Wendehorst (University of Vienna)**  
'Contractual and Extra-Contractual Liability in the Internet of Things'
- 10:15 **Prof. Dr. Erica Palmerini and Dr. Andrea Bertolini (SSSA Pisa)**  
'Liability and Risk Management in Robotics'
- 10:40 Discussion
- 11:15 Coffee break
- 12:00 V. Panel Discussion on the Internet of Things  
Chaired by **Prof. Dr. Dirk Staudenmayer (European Commission)**  
**Ms. Mady Delvaux-Stehres, MEP and Vice-Chair of the Committee on Legal Affairs of the European Parliament**  
**Dr. Dirk Bornemann (Microsoft Germany, Switzerland, Austria , Head of Legal & Corporate Affairs)**  
**Mr. Robert MacDougall (Vodafone, Head of Enterprise Regulations)**  
**Prof. Dr. Rolf H. Weber (University of Zurich)**
- 13:40 VI. Concluding Remarks  
**Prof. Dr. Reiner Schulze (University of Münster)**
- 14:00 End  
  
(Light meal)