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Contracts for the Supply of Digital Content: Regulatory Challenges and Gaps

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Prof. Dr. Sebastian Lohsse (University of Münster)

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Prof. Dr. Dirk Staudenmayer (European Commission)

Thursday, 27th October 2016

13:45 **Registration**

14:00 **Introduction**

Welcome

Prof. Dr. Reiner Schulze (University of Münster) &
Prof. Dr. Dirk Staudenmayer (European Commission)

The Digital Directive – The Perspective from the European Law Institute

Diana Wallis (President of the European Law Institute)

The Digital Directive – An Academic Perspective

Prof. Dr. Thomas Hoeren (University of Münster)

14:30 **I. Conclusion and Execution of Contracts**

Overview

Prof. Hugh Beale (University of Warwick)

Machine-to-machine contracting in the age of the Internet of Things

Prof. Dr. Marco Loos (University of Amsterdam)

The Potential of Blockchain Technology for the Conclusion of Contracts

Prof. Dr. Nikolas Guggenberger LL.M. (University of Münster)

Conformity

Prof. Dr. Aurelia Colombi Ciacchi (University of Groningen)

Execution of Contracts – The Role of Portability

Samuel Laurinkari (eBay)

16:00 Discussion

16:30 Coffee break

17:00 **II. Remedies**

Overview

Prof. Dr. Martine Behar Touchais (University of Paris I)

Regulation of Damages on National or European Level

Prof. Dr. Piotr Machnikowski (University of Wrocław)

Consequential Loss

Prof. Dr. Sebastian Martens (University of Passau)

18:00 Discussion

18:30 End

Friday, 28th October 2016

09:15 **Registration**

09:30 **III. Copyright**

Overview

Prof. Dr. Gerhard Spindler (University of Göttingen)

User-Generated Online Digital Content as a Test for the EU Legislation on Contracts for the Supply of Digital Content

Prof. Dr. Susana Navas Navarro (Autonomous University of Barcelona)

10:15 Discussion

10:45 Coffee break

11:00 **IV. Data Protection**

Overview

Prof. Dr. Rolf H. Weber (University of Zürich)

Data Protection in the Formation of Contract

Prof. Dr. Fryderyk Zoll (Jagiellonian University)

Data Protection in the Termination of Contract

Prof. Dr. Rolf H. Weber (University of Zürich)

Data Protection – A Practice Perspective

Prof. Dr. Ulrich Wuermeling (QMU London/Latham & Watkins LLP)

12:00 **Discussion**

12:30 **Concluding Remarks**

Prof. Dr. Sebastian Lohsse (University of Münster)

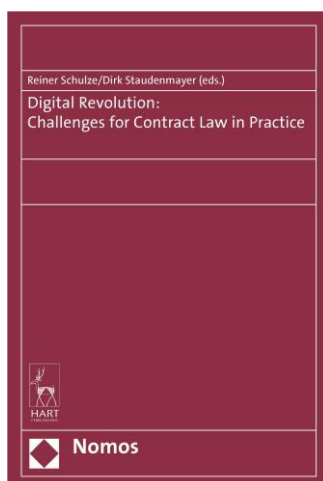
13:00 End

The Münster Colloquia

The objective of the **Münster Colloquia on EU Law and the Digital Economy** is to discuss how EU law should react to the challenges and needs of the digital economy.

The 2016 colloquium will focus on Contracts for the Supply of Digital Content: Regulatory Challenges and Gaps with respect to the "Commission proposal for a Directive on certain aspects concerning Contracts for the Supply of Digital Content" (COM(2015) 634 final). In line with the aim of the Münster Colloquia, the contributions will analyse whether and if so which changes and additions to the proposal are required in order to respond to the needs of the digital economy.

The volume from the first Münster colloquium on EU Law and the Digital Economy is now available from Nomos publishers:



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