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THURSDAY 23.11.2023					
12:30-13:15		Registration desk			
13:15-13:30	Federica Violi Piotr Wilinski	Introductory Remarks			
13:30-15:00	Ana Maria Daza Vargas	Panel 1 Regional and National Reflections on the System and its Prospects			
		Asli Gurbuz Usluel	Evolving trends in investment arbitration - a comparative analysis with focus on CSR		
		Stephanie Triefus	Gabriel Resources v Romania: justice, domestic courts and foreign investment		
		Filip Balcerzak	Looking into crystal ball - current and future legal protection of renewable energy investments		
		Olaniyi Felix Olayinka	Towards a post investor state dispute settlement in Africa: The right to self-determination and environmental sustainability in Nigeria		
15:00-15:15		Coffee Break			
15:15-17:00	Joshua Paine	Panel 2 2050: A Nature Odyssey - Alternatives for the Protection of the Environment			
		James McGlaughlin	The New Norm(al): Exploring the Normative Potential to Reshape International Investment Law for the Green Transition		
		Jose Gustavo Prieto Munoz	Sustainability as a meta-principle in international investment law: a legal standard for 'multi- faceted' disputes		
		Pranav Narang	Addressing the asymmetries in evolving international investment law regime		
		Zulker Nayeen	Environmental counterclaims in ICSID arbitration: options in addition to the report of Working Group III		
		Leonie Reins Endrius Cocciolo	The notion of 'justice' in the ECT - an analysis from the perspective of Earth System Law		



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FRIDAY 24.11.2023					
9:30-10:00	Registration Desk				
10:00-10:45	Leïla Choukroune	Keynote speech Disputed Justice: the Settlement of International Investment Cases in Question(s)			
10:45-11:00		Coffee Break			
11:00-12:30	Gerard Meijer	Panel 3 Justice Formula (and a theory behind it)			
		Thomas Schultz Simon Bezat	Arbitration paradigms and concepts of justice		
		Naimeh Masumy	The clash of conflicting narratives: what lies beneath the ISDS legitimacy crisis		
		Claiton Fyock	Justice in the epistemologies of the status quo: a critical realist examination of investment arbitration's reform		
		Harshad Pathak	Reimagining international investment law - or how to reform indeterminacy and identity in ISDS		
12:30-13:30		Lunch Break			
13:30-15:15	Gamze Erdem Türkelli	Panel 4 Communities in Focus - justice beyond the "usual suspects"			
		Charalampos Giannakopoulos	Justice in ISDS and the search for community		
		Stefano Porfido	Reforming the ISDS system. What about restorative justice?		
		Nevena Jevremovic	Reimaging international investment law: inclusive justice for investment affected parties		
		Romit Sarkar Karthik Subramanian	Room to manoeuvre? Exploring "cause lawyering" for justice in existing ISDS framework		
15:15-15:30		Coffee Break			
15:30-17:00	Julian Scheu	Panel 5 What if? New Paradigms in a post-ISDS World			
		Marcin Menkes	Revisiting the Impact of ISDS Dismantling: Cui Bono?		
		Szilard Gaspar-Szilagyi	Are the protections offered by EU law a suitable alternative to those offered by international investment law?		
		John Saidi Nyanje	Time for a Pan-African investment court?		
		Abdurrahman Erol	Investor accountability through yet another binding treaty? Analysis of the relationship between human rights and international investment in the negation of a binding treaty on business and human rights		
17:00-17:15		Coffee Break			
17:15-18:00	Discussants + Keynote + Organisers	Closing Roundtable			
18:00-19:00		Borrel/Drinks			