



CONFERENCE SUSTAINABILITY, FOOD SYSTEMS, AND THE LAW

Erasmus University Rotterdam

20-21 April 2023

Programme

Day 1, 20th of April 2023, Theil C2-1

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10.00-10.30	Registration and Coffee	
10.30-10.45	Welcome and Introduction	
	Prof. Martin de Jong, Prof. Alessandra Arcuri, and Dr. Lonneke Poort	
10.45-11.45	Invited lecture Reimaging Rights: Food Sovereignty Movements and the	
	Agroecological Transition Dr. Matthew Canfield	
11.45-12.00	Coffee/Tea break	
12.00-13.15	Panel 1 The Just Food System Transition	
	A Systems Perspective on Food, Farming & Fishery Law Dr. Hanna Schebesta	
	The Infiltration of Transnational Corporations in the UN Food Regulation and their	
	Impacts on International Law Drs. Zhonghua Du	
	Agroecology and the Law: Staying with the trouble? Drs. Daniela Garcia-Caro	
	Chair: Prof. Leonie Reins	
13.15-14.15	Lunch	
14.15-15.15	Invited Lecture Measurement is meaning? Normative and practical challenges for	
	a legislative framework for sustainable food systems Dr. Ruth Mampuys	
	Discussant: Dr. Michelle Habets; Chair: Dr. Lonneke Poort	
15.15-15.30	Coffee Break	
15.30-17.00	Panel 2 Legal reflections on a Sustainable Food System	
	Combating Food Waste: EU Waste Initiatives and Belgian Experience Prof. Bert	
	Keirsbilck and Drs. Elisa Paredis	
	Food justice: Solidarity through food waste Dr. Daniela Vicherat Mattar, Dr. Jyothi	
	Thrivikraman and Dr. Elena Burgos Martinez	
	Agritourism: building a sustainable food system and local development, the	
	Italian case for a common legislation reflection Ms. Sofia Mazzucato and Mr. Aref	
	Sepehr	
	The European struggle of regulating agricultural biotechnology: sustainability as	
	the holy grail? Dr. Lonneke Poort and Dr. Florin Coman Kund	
	Chair: Dr. Federica Violi	
17.00-17.30	Wrap-up Day 1	





Day 2, 21st April 2021, Theil C1-1

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8.30 -8.45	Coffee and Tea
8.45-9.00	Welcome and Introduction
	Dr. Johan Vannerom
	'Views from the practice' Dr. Dirk Carrez, Ariënne de Jong (Albert Hein (TBC)),
9.00-10.15	and Ingrid D'Haeyer (KBC Bank)
	Chair: Dr. Johan Vannerom
10.15-10.30	Coffee Break
10.30-12.30	Panel 3 Food Supply Chain and Food- & Eco-Labelling
	Short Food Supply Chains in the EU Dr. Mirta Alessandrini
	Food-washing: reorienting the consumer food habits? Dr. Christophe Verdure
	Carriage of Livestock – The Carrier's duty of care Prof. Frank Smeele
	Food Labelling in the EU Dr. Johan Vannerom and Ms. Lien Carrez
	The right to food in South Africa – A consumer protection perspective Dr. Tracy
	Muwanga
	Chair: Dr. Ioannis Kampourakis
12.30-13.30	Lunch
13.30-14.30	Interview with Prof. Michael Fakhri UN Special Rapporteur on the Right to Food
	With Matthew Canfield, Alessandra Arcuri, and Jolanda Andela
	Chair: Prof. Sanne Taekema
14.30-15.45	Panel 4 The (De-)Commodification of Food
	Urban food commons: Opportunities, challenges, and implications in Amsterdam,
	the Netherlands Dr. Ciska Ulug, Dr. Jannes Willems, and Drs. Ying-Tzu Lin
	Decommodifying food: experiences of food commoning in Europe Drs. Jean-Marc
	Louvin
	Food De-Commodification As Sustainability? The Case of 'Counter-Regulation' in
	Italian Alternative Food Networks Prof. Alessandra Arcuri
	Chair/Discussant: Dr. Enrique Santamaria Echeverria
15.45-16.00	Coffee/Tea Break
16.00-17.15	Round Table Food Sustainability: Legal Barriers and Opportunities
-	Prof. Michael Fakhri, Dr. Anne Saab, Dr. Maria Weimer, and Dr. Tomaso Ferrando Joint Publication Project discussion and Closing
17.15-17.45	

Notes