All sessions will take place in Room 003 (ground floor)
Every Presentation should last (approximately) 20 minutes, followed by 10 minutes of general discussion
MONDAY JUNE 27TH

9.00 – REGISTRATION

9.15 – WELCOMING ADDRESSES – Alain Marciano, Giovanni Ramello, Giuseppe Di Vita

9.30-11.00 – SESSION I – JUDICIAL DECISION MAKING

Chair: Scott Masten

Ozkan Eren & Naci Mocan – Emotional Judges and Unlucky Juveniles

Pierre Bentata, Romain Espinosa & Yolande Hiriart – Correction Activities by French Supreme Courts and Control over their Dockets

Luciana Yeung – How Brazilian Judges Think? Evidence from an Empirical Study

11.00–11.15 – COFFEE BREAK

11.15–12.45 – SESSION II – LITIGATION & GROWTH

Chair: Paige Marta Skiba

Paolo Campana & Ken Okamura – Lawyers vs. Zombies and Yakuza: How lawyers boost growth

Alessandro Melcarne & Giovanni Ramello – Justice Delayed, Growth Denied: Evidence from a Comparative Perspective

Alexandre Samy de Castro – Judicial indicators and business cycles

12.45–13.45 – LUNCH

13.45–15.45 – SESSION III – ACCESS TO JUSTICE

Chair: Giovanni B. Ramello

Paige Marta Skiba & Jean Xiao – The Economics of Consumer Litigation Funding

Claudine Desriex & Romain Espinosa – Litigants’ Strategies in Elected Courts: Evidence from French Labor Courts

Samantha Bielen & Wim Marneffe – Do lawyers induce demand for civil litigation in Europe?
Juan Mora-Sanguinetti & Marta Martínez-Matute- The impacts of court fees in the accessibility of justice: evidence for the new systems

15.45–16.00 – COFFEE BREAK

16.00 –17.00 – KEYNOTE LECTURE

Chair: Koji Domon

On the Evolution of Collective Enforcement Institutions: Communities and Courts

SCOTT MASTEN, University of Michigan

17.00–19.00 – SESSION IV – JUDGES & LEGAL FRAMEWORK

Chair: Andrea Cosnita-Langlais

Marek Endrich – The interdependence of independent judiciaries


Johannes Fedderke & Marco Ventoruzzo – Do conservative justices favor wall street? ideology and the supreme court’s securities regulation decisions

Giuseppe Di Vita & Fabio Di Vita – The Economic Impact of Legislation. An Historical Analysis of Italy from the creation of the Kingdom of Italy to the End of World War II

20.00– SOCIAL DINNER
TUESDAY JUNE 28TH

9.00-10.30 – SESSION V – ANTITRUST LITIGATION

Chair: Alessandro Melcarne

Willem Boshoff – Presumptions in merger control

Andreea Cosnita-Langlais & Jean-Philippe Tropeano – How procedures shape substance: Institutional Design and Antitrust Evidentiary Standards

Peter Grajzl & Andrzej Baniak – Private Enforcement, Corruption, and Antitrust Design

10.30-10.45 – COFFEE BREAK

10.45-12.45 – SESSION VI – JUDICIAL DECISION MAKING

Chair: Juan Mora Sanguinetti

Michael Berlemann & Robin Christmann – Determinants of In-Court Settlements Empirical Evidence from a German Trial Court

Jean-Christian Tisserand – The determinants of settlement in French labor courts

Jaka Cepec, Peter Grajzl & Katarina Zajc – Debt Recovery in Firm Liquidations: Do Liquidation Trustees Matter?

Mariusz Golecki – In search of the the “intuitive-override model of judicial decision. Emotions in Adjudication from the Perspective of Behavioural Law and Economics.

12.45-13.45 – LUNCH

13.45-15.15 – SESSION VII – JUDICIAL EFFICIENCY

Chair: Valentina Dimitrova-Grajzl

Jaroslaw Beldowski, Lukasz Dabroś & Wiktor Wojciechowski – Efficiency of commercial courts in Poland – stochastic frontier analysis approach

Finn Forsund, Sverre Kittlesen, Alessandro Melcarne & Giovanni Ramello – When Productivity Meets Justice: Evidence from Italian Courts
Thiago Fauvelle & Alessio Tony Almeida – Determinants of Judicial Efficiency Change: Evidence from Brazil

15.15–16.45 – SESSION VIII – LITIGATION IN TRANSITION COUNTRIES

Chair: Massimilano Vatiero

Randall Akee, Valentina Dimitrova-Grajzl, Peter Grajzl, Joseph Guse & Richard Todd – A Quantitative Perspective on Tribal Court Development in the Self-Determination Era

Svetlana Avdasheva, Svetlana Golovanova & Elena Sidorova – Judges in transition: how they decide on the claims to annul infringement decisions of administrative authorities (on the example of antitrust)

Luciana Yeung, Silvia Caleman & Guilherme Monteiro – A Property Rights Disputes between Native Brazilians and Rural Producers in the Midwest Region of Brazil: What is the Role of Justice?

16.45–17.00 – COFFEE BREAK

17.00–18.30 – SESSION IX – ECONOMIC ISSUES IN LITIGATION

Chair: Giuseppe Di Vita

Sylwia Morawska & Joanna Kuczewska – Court manager – leader of regulatory or voluntary networks?

Massimiliano Vatiero – Judicial efficiency and economic transactions

Joseph Garske – Anglophone and civilian legal cultures: Global governance by corporation and state

18.30 – CONCLUDING REMARKS