



**Younger Comparativists Committee
American Society of Comparative Law**

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October 7-8, 2022

Northeastern University School of Law
Dockser Hall, 65 Forsyth St. (entrance at the corner of Forsyth & Greenleaf)
Boston, MA

Conference Program
(all times are in EDT)

Friday, October 7, 2022

5:00 to 5:45pm **Welcome; Announcement of Awards (Dockser Room 042)**

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Dean James Hackney, Northeastern University School of Law

Professor Máximo Langer, President of the American Society of Comparative Law

Professor Margaret Woo, Member of the ASCL Executive Board

5:45 to 7:00pm **Reception (Dockser Commons)**

Saturday, October 8, 2022

8:30-9:00am **Continental breakfast** (Dockser Commons)

9:00 to 10:30am **Session 1**

Panel 1A. Comparative Constitutional, Judicial, and Appellate Review (Online; Dockser Room 046 for in-person attendees)

<https://northeastern.zoom.us/j/97855893401>

Moderator: Dr. Sara Ross, Dalhousie University (online)

Dr. Sakshi Parashar, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) & Setu Gupta, Indian Law Institute, “Reasonableness to Structured Proportionality: A South Asian Comparative Study of India, Bangladesh and Sri Lanka” (online)

Dr. Mauro Arturo Rivera León, University of Silesia in Katowice, “A Comparative Analysis on the Mexican Supermajority to Strike Down Legislation” (online)

Dr. Abdul Mahir Hazim, Arizona State University, “The Politics and Constitutionality of Law-Making in the Afghan Republic (2014-2021): An Authoritarian and Unrestrained Executive” (online)

Leigha Crout, King’s College London, “Present Trends of Authoritarian Legality in China: The Operational Constitution” (online)

Dr. Mao-hong Lin, National Taipei University, “Trial and Error: A Comparative Perspective on the Lay Participation in Criminal Trials and Appellate Review of Errors in Taiwan” (online)

Panel 1B. Human Rights in Comparative Law (Dockser Room 042)

<https://northeastern.zoom.us/j/91530748221?pwd=akN5d01SUnRHUUZYb080WjNyVktFUT09>

Moderator: Dr. Clare Ryan, The University of Alabama (in-person)

Guy Baldwin, University of Cambridge, “Same-Sex Marriage in Japan and the Role of Courts in a Dominant Party System” (online)

Dr. Clare Ryan, The University of Alabama, “Are Children’s Rights Enough?” (in-person)

Dr. Elkanah O. Babatunde, University of Cape Town, “Defining the Best Interest of a Child: A Comparative Analysis of Canadian and Nigerian Jurisprudence and How to Protect the Right to Education in Nigeria” (in-person)

Gaurav Mukherjee, Central European University, “The Law & Politics of the Right to Education: Social Movements, Backlash, and the Judicial Role” (in-person)

Saif Rasul Khan, Gauhati University, “Assisted Reproductive Technology & Same-Sex Relationships: A Comparative Socio-Legal Analysis with Reference to India” (online)

Panel 1C. Comparative Approaches to Economic and Trade Regulation (Dockser Room 044)

<https://northeastern.zoom.us/j/96800527732?pwd=RVhDeW1wa0ZDTlp4OXFWRU9ianRzd09>

Moderator: Dr. Vera Korzun, The University of Akron (in-person)

Douglas Sarro, University of Toronto, “Waiting for Cryptoasset Securities Regulation” (in-person)

Dr. Giulia Terranova, University of Milan “Are Stablecoins Good Money? Finding a Balance Between Innovation and Consumers’ Protection: The European and the United States’ Perspective” (online)

Dr. Felicia Caponigri, IMT School for Advanced Studies Lucca, “Digital Reproductions of Cultural Property in the U.S. and Italy: A Comparative Analysis of a Common “Problem” with Different Legal Solution(s)?” (in-person)

Dr. Francine Hug, National University of Singapore, “Rules Governing State-Owned Enterprises in US, EU, and Chinese Free Trade Agreements: Comparative Analysis Between Liberal Regimes and China’s Socialist Market Economy Model” (in-person)

10:30 to 11:00am **Coffee (Dockser Commons)**

11:00am to 12:30pm **Session 2**

Panel 2A. Comparative Constitutional Change (Dockser Room 042)

<https://northeastern.zoom.us/j/96910052959>

Moderator: Dr. Clare Ryan, The University of Alabama (in-person)

Azeem Marhendra Amedi, University of York, “A Comparative Approach to Indonesia’s Lambe Duck Problems” (online)

Fildza Nabila Avianti, Anggraeni & Partners Legal Lab, “Mixed Constitution: How the Shift in Sub-Constitutional Understanding in Indonesia Affects Democracy (or the Lack Thereof)” (in-person)

Sandra M.T. Magalang, Yale Law School & Ana Beatriz Robalinho, Yale Law School, “A Roadmap to Democratic Backsliding: Lessons from the Global South” (online)

Dr. Shamshad Pasarlay, University of Chicago, “Dialogic Incrementalism in Divided Societies” (online)

Dr. Bettina Steible, Open University of Catalonia, “The Independence of the Spanish and French Constitutional Courts in Light of European Standards” (online)

Ian R. Maddox, University of North Carolina School of Law, “South Africa’s Dormant Emergency Clause and the Value of an Emergency Constitution” (online)

Panel 2B: Litigation, with a Focus on Climate Issues (Dockser Room 044)

<https://northeastern.zoom.us/j/93824356450?pwd=a3hCWDZlekJHWWwvSHRmR3VyVHo4Zz09>

Moderator: Dr. Vera Korzun, The University of Akron (in-person)

Stefania Cirillo, Bocconi University, “In-court Settlement as a Global Outreach for *Appropriate* Dispute Resolution” (in-person)

Dr. Lorenzo Serafinelli, University of Rome, “A ‘Nascent Common Law’? A Comparative Tort Perspective on Climate Litigation in the Midst of Anthropocene Epoch and Globalization” (in-person)

Dr. Mingzhe Zhu, University of Antwerpen & Liyuan Fan, China University of Political Science and Law, “Same Climate Science but Not the Same: Construction of Credible Scientific Expertise in Climate Change Litigation from a Comparative Perspective” (in-person & online)

Sam Bookman, Harvard University, Constitutional Responses to Environmental Crises (Or, What We Talk About When We Talk About “Environmental Constitutionalism”) (in-person)

Panel 2C. Comparative Law of International Arbitration and Litigation (Online; Dockser Room 046 for in-person attendees)

<https://northeastern.zoom.us/j/98515521509?pwd=KzkrZU5nZ2JWSEMvSEsvQ3FEcmZtUT09>

Moderator: Dr. Alyssa King, Queen’s University (online)

Dr. Magdalena Łągiewska, University of Gdańsk, “Arbitration with Chinese Characteristics and Its Long Pathway Towards International Standards” (online)

Jonathan Brosseau-Rioux, McGill University and Université Paris 1, “A Jurisdictional Framework for Resolving ‘Ethical’ Issues Related to Party Representation: Distinguishing the Procedural from the Deontological” (online)

Dr. Giuseppe Naglieri, University of Bari, “Climate Change in Courts: Different Approaches to Government Actions on Cutting Greenhouse Emissions in Europe and the US. SCOTUS in *West Virginia v. EPA* and the BVerfG in *Klima-Urteil*” (online)

Hassan M. Ahmad, The University of British Columbia, “Judicial Activism in Transnational Business and Human Rights Litigation” (online)

12:30 to 1:30pm **Lunch**

1:30 to 3:00pm **Session 3**

Panel 3A. Private Comparative Law (Dockers Room 042)

<https://northeastern.zoom.us/j/95596823748>

Moderator: Dr. Vera Korzun, The University of Akron (in-person)

Dr. Frank S. Giaoui, Columbia University, “Damage to Reputation: A Comparative Analysis of Compensation for ‘Non-pecuniary Harm’” (in-person)

Ignacio Rios Erazo, Oxford University, “Shaking the Foundations of Chilean Tort Law: The Effect of an External Event on Legal Development and the Role of Comparative Law” (in-person)

Dr. Luigi Buonanno, Bocconi University, “Models of Joint and Several Liability: *Eadem causa obligandi* and Responsibility for Another’s Debt in Common Law and Civil Law Traditions” (in-person)

Dr. Payam Ahmadi Rouzbahani, Paris-Panthéon-Assas University, “Roman *commodatum* to Islamic *‘āriyah*: ‘Loan’ of a Reform Model in Contract Law” (online)

Panel 3B. History and Methods in Comparative Law (Dockers Room 044)

<https://northeastern.zoom.us/j/91083499265?pwd=enJiUHZGY2RwSVhtNThVc0E0YnFWQT09>

Moderator: Dr. Sara Ross, Dalhousie University (online)

Rama Hyeweon Kim, Harvard University, “Lee Tai-young and First-Wave Korean Legal Feminism (1953-1977): Socializing Family Law for Women and for the Nation” (in-person)

Harison Citrawan, The Pennsylvania State University, “Collective Responsibility and Juridical Temporalities” (in-person)

Dr. Philipp Renninger, Harvard University, “Theory-Based Comparative Law” (in-person)

Dr. Serkan Yolcu, Bilkent University, “Does Empirical Analysis of Courts Contribute to Comparative Law? A Study on Constitutional Adjudication” (in-person)

Panel 3C. Regulatory Tools in Comparative Perspective (Online; Dockser Room 046 for in-person attendees)

<https://northeastern.zoom.us/j/93025038014?pwd=cjRzaDc4eHN0K1hiTWNtNFdDOVEwZz09>

Moderator: Dr. Alyssa King, Queen's University (online)

Dr. Alvin Y.H. Cheung, Queen's University, "This Land is My Land: The Autocratic Potential of Government Land Disposals and Land Covenants" (online)

Dr. Federico Riganti, University of Turin, "The Key Role of Comparative Law and Economics in the Study of ESG" (online)

Dr. Noam Noked, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Viktoria Wöhrer, Fiscal Authority of Liechtenstein, and Pierce Lai, Harvard University, "Formal vs. Informal Voluntary Disclosure Policies" (online)

Bulelani Jili, Harvard University, "Chinese Digital Surveillance Products in Africa" (online)