## **Economic Developments in European Competition Policy**

## Wednesday 7 December 2016 PROGRAMME



8 00-8 30

Registration and Coffee

8.30

Introduction and Welcome

08.30 - 9.00

**Chief Economist Keynote** 

Tommaso Valletti, Chief Economist, DG Competition

09.00 - 10.10

Big Data and the Search for a Competition Problem

Cristina Caffarra, CRA

Terrell McSweeny, Commissioner, US Federal Trade Commission Joshua Gans, University of Toronto

Glen Weyl, Yale Economics and Law School

Giovanni Buttarelli, European Data Protection Supervisor, EDPS

Tommaso Valletti, Chief Economist, DG Competition

10.10 - 11.00

State Aid Control When the Rest of the World Disagrees: Are the Tax Cases just the Tip of the Iceberg?

Gert-Jan Koopman, Deputy Director General - State Aid, DG Competition Rachel Griffith, Research Director, UK Institute for Fiscal Studies John Fingleton, CEO, Fingleton Associates

Chair: Kai-Uwe Kühn, University of East Anglia, DICE and CRA

11.00 - 11.20 Tea and Coffee Break

11.20 - 12.40

Are National Agencies Increasingly Shaping Antitrust Policy in Europe?

Andreas Mundt, President, Bundeskartellamt

Chris Fonteijn, Chairman, Authority for Consumers and Markets, The Netherlands

The Netherlands

Isabelle de Silva, President, Autorité de la concurrence Andrea Coscelli, Acting Chief Executive, UK Competition and Markets Authority

Is Europe a Good Model for the New Agencies Coming of Age?

Toh Han Li, Chief Executive, Competition Commission of Singapore

12.40 - 13.00

Enforcement and Policy Developments - A US Perspective

Renata B Hesse, Acting Assistant Attorney General, US Department of Justice

13.00 - 13.50 Lunch

13.50 - 15.00

Mergers and Common Ownership: Are we Allowing Markets to become Too Concentrated?

Carles Esteva Mosso, Deputy Director General - Mergers, DG Competition

John E Kwoka, Northeastern University

Martin C Schmalz, University of Michigan

**Howard Shelanski**, Director, White House Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs

Chair: Simon Chisholm, CRA

15.00 - 16.10

In an Effects Based World, what can Judges Safely Assume?

Nils Wahl, Advocate General, Court of Justice of the EU Frédéric Jenny, OECD and ESSEC Business School Savvas Papasavvas, Judge, General Court of the EU D Daniel Sokol, University of Florida Kai-Uwe Kühn, University of East Anglia, DICE and CRA

Chair. Lars Wiethaus, CRA

16.10 - 17.00

Exclusive Dealing (post Intel) and Verticals: Can Enforcement and Economics Meet Again in Europe?

Massimo Motta, ICREA-Universitat Pompeu Fabra and Barcelona GSE

Ralph Winter, Sauder School of Business, University of British Columbia

Chair. Matthew Bennett, CRA

Coffee and Tea to be available throughout the afternoon

The Telecoms panel has been cancelled due to last minute speakers' schedule changes

17.00 Close of Conference & Cocktails

