

Uniform interpretation of the CMR



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no later than on August 1.



Program

Thursday 19 September

Registration

12.00 Lunch

Opening

13.15 Key note address.

*Professor Frank Smeele, Erasmus University, Rotterdam, Netherlands
Chair of the CMR Advisory Council*

First session

Chair: Professor Frank Smeele, Erasmus University, Rotterdam, Netherlands

13.30 The autonomous interpretation method with regard to CMR.

John Kimbell KC, Quadrant Chambers, London, United Kingdom

13.50 Cargo bikes, H2-powered trucks and similar – are they covered by the CMR?

Professor Tobias Eckardt, Hochschule Bremerhaven, Germany

14.10 The interpretation of art. 2 CMR.

Professor Cécile Legros, University of Rouen, France

14.30 Discussion

15.00 Coffee and tea

Second session

Chair: Professor Johan Schelin, Stockholm University, Stockholm, Sweden

- 15.30 The limitation amount of article 23(3) CMR – its genesis and current problems.
Professor Frank Smeele, Erasmus University, Rotterdam, Netherlands
- 15.50 Are excise duties recoverable under article 23(4) CMR? – the JTI Polska decision.
Senior lecturer Dr. Simone Lamont-Black, University of Edinburgh, United Kingdom
- 16.10 Loss of limitation in cases where the carrier acts contrary to express instructions from the sender.
Professor Wouter Verbeyen, University of Antwerp, Belgium
- 16.30 Discussion
- 17.00 Closing drinks and refreshments**

Friday 20 September

Third session

Chair: Professor Cécile Legros, University of Rouen, France

- 09.00 The relation between CMR and the EU regulations.
Associate professor Erik Sinander and law student Joel Husberg, Stockholm University, Sweden
- 09.20 Contractual penalties in the CMR and the Act – Transport law
Professor Tomasz Szancilo, Akademia Kujawsko-Pomorska at Bydgoszcz, Poland
- 09.40 Successive carriage under CMR.
Professor Massimiliano Musi, University of Bologna, Italy
- 10.00 Discussion
- 10.30 Coffee and tea**

Fourth session

Chair: Professor Wouter Verbeyen, University of Antwerp, Belgium

- 11.00 Sharing economy in logistics: Towards a legal framework for co-operation, especially in the light of CMR.
Assistant Professor, Dr. Marta Kolacz, Maastricht University, Netherlands
- 11.20 e-CMR – The notion of reliability and other practical implications.
Dr. David Saive, Carl von Ossietzky University of Oldenburg
- 11.40 Discussion



Closing

12.10 Concluding remarks

*Professor Frank Smeele, Erasmus University, Rotterdam, Netherlands
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12.20 **Lunch**