



CONFERENCES ON COMPARATIVE LAW IN ASIA

27 & 28 September 2017, Wednesday & Thursday
Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore

Programme Schedule

Conference 1 : The State of Comparative Law in Asia Wednesday, 27 September 2017

08.30 – 09.00 Registration & Coffee

09.00 – 09.20 Welcome Remarks

Associate Professor Gary F. Bell

Director of Asian Law Institute
Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore

Associate Professor Dan W. Puchniak

Director of Centre for Asian Legal Studies
Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore

Professor Diego P. Fernández Arroyo

Secretary General of the International Academy of Comparative Law

09.20 – 10.15 Session 1

Moderator: Associate Professor Dan W. Puchniak

National University of Singapore

Conducting Comparative Studies on Chinese Law – Some Methodological Issues

Associate Professor Qiao Liu

University of Queensland

Contextualizing Comparative Feminist Jurisprudence in Asia: An Insider's Proposal

Assistant Professor Suman Dash Bhattamishra

National Law University Odisha

Questions & Answers

10.15 – 10.35 Refreshment Break

10.35 – 11.30 Session 2

Moderator: Professor Topo Santoso

University of Indonesia

The Underdevelopment of Comparative Law in the Area of Private Law in Thailand

Dr Munin Pongsapan

Thammasat University

The Growth of English as a Second Language and of Graduate Studies in Common Law Jurisdictions – How the Common Law Creeps into Civil Law Jurisdictions.

Associate Professor Gary F. Bell

National University of Singapore

Questions & Answers

11.30 – 11.40 Break

11.40 – 12.35

Session 3

Moderator: Dr Herlambang P. Wiratraman
University of Airlangga

Comparative Law Studies in CMLV Countries – Where is the Square One?
Associate Professor Kuong Teilee
Nagoya University

The Law of China and Vietnam in Comparative Law
Dr Bui Ngoc Son
National University of Singapore

Questions & Answers

12.35 – 14.05

Lunch

14.05 – 15.00

Session 4

Moderator: Professor Diego P. Fernández Arroyo
Secretary General of the International Academy of Comparative Law

Comparative Constitutional Law in Asia: Conspectus and Prospectus
Adjunct Professor Kevin Y.L. Tan
National University of Singapore

The Next Frontier of Comparative Administrative Law: Pluralising the Definition of “Common Law” Administrative Law
Assistant Professor Swati Jhaveri
National University of Singapore

Questions & Answers

15.00 – 15.10

Break

15.10 – 16.05

Session 5

Moderator: Dean Suphawatchara Malanond
Prince of Songkla University

The Persian Reception of Western Law and its Subsequent Organic Development in Inner-Asian Comparison
Associate Professor Ebrahim Afsah
University of Copenhagen

Comparative Public Law Research in Israel: A Gaze Westwards
Professor Margit Cohn
Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Questions & Answers

16.05 – 16.25

Refreshment Break

16.25 – 17.45

Session 6

Moderator: Adjunct Professor Kevin Y.L. Tan
National University of Singapore

Newly Introduced Jury Systems in Asia: Comparison of Korea and Japan
Professor Jae-Hyup Lee and Professor Jisuk Woo
Seoul National University

Shaping and Re-shaping of the Duty of Loyalty in Japanese Law
Ms Eriko Taoka
National University of Singapore

Before Harmonization: Comparative Study on Contractual Default Rules between Japan and the Philippines
Ms Eriko Taoka and Assistant Professor Rommel Casis
National University of Singapore and University of the Philippines

Questions & Answers

18.00

End of Conference 1