



VILNIUS UNIVERSITY
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International conference of PhD students and young researchers

THE INTERACTION OF NATIONAL LEGAL SYSTEMS: CONVERGENCE OR DIVERGENCE?

Nowadays, there are no doubts that social relations are more and more actively overstepping previously existed boundaries. Globalisation, development of regional markets, intensive migration, rapid technological breakthroughs and many other factors inherent to post-modern societies influence relations between states. In this context the research in interaction of national legal systems is especially important. How the disappearance of previously existed social boundaries determines the convergence of national legal systems in private and public law? Or contrarily, are we able to identify opposite impact of divergence in particular fields of law? These and other questions important to the contemporary legal science are the subject-matter of the conference intended for PhD students and young researchers.

The scope of the Conference is most impressive: from the paradigms of new science to the usage of the proportionality principle in national courts, from the comparative analysis of penal effect measures to the regulation of non-marital cohabitation of heterosexual couples, from the fiduciary duties of company directors in the UK, Delaware and Germany to the convergence of Polish and Austrian administrative procedure. Therefore, the PhD students and young scholars from Austria, Belgium, Estonia, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, the Netherlands, Poland, Russia, Ukraine and the United Kingdom came to discuss with each other, other students and legal scholars on various issues of law. The difference in the research fields is an undoubtable advantage of the Conference as all participating researchers consolidate their scientific inquiries under the same unifying grounds: the topic of interaction of national legal systems, the willingness to cooperate and the aim to raise critical questions and boldly quest for the answers.

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