



Hellenic Competition Commission
Academy of Competition Law and Policy

Sustainable development and competition law

Towards a Green Growth regulatory osmosis

September 28th, 2020

11.55 Athens time (10:55 CEST)

11:55 (Athens time) Introduction

12.00 (Athens time) **Welcome and opening speeches**

Her Excellency the President of the Hellenic Republic Ms Katerina Sakellariopoulou

Adonis Georgiadis, Minister of Development and Investments

Olivier Guersant, Director General, European Commission

Aristotelis Panteliadis, CEO of METRO AEBE, Member of the Board of SEV Hellenic Federation of Enterprises and Head of SEV Competition working group

Ioannis Lianos, President of the Hellenic Competition Commission

A Brief Presentation of the HCC Staff Discussion Paper on Competition Law and Sustainability by the HCC team: main keypoints

13.00 (Athens time) **Panel 1: Is competition law a burden for sustainability agreements and business initiatives in favour of sustainability? Assessing the evidence and examining the options**

Moderator: Simon Holmes, UK Competition Appeal Tribunal

Jorge Conesa, Fair Trade

Nicole Kar, Linklaters

Giorgio Monti, University of Tilburg

Gianni De Stefano, AkzoNobel

Maarten Pieter Schinkel, Prof. dr. Maarten Pieter Schinkel, University of Amsterdam

Vanessa Turner, BEUC

14.00 (Athens time) *Stretching Break*

14.10 (Athens time) **Panel 2: Should competition law integrate environmental and social sustainability concerns in its analytical DNA and if yes how? The Legal & Policy Discussion**

Moderator: Ioannis Lianos, President, Hellenic Competition Commission
Inge Bernaerts, Director, Policy and Strategy, European Commission
Cani Fernandez, President of the Spanish Competition Authority
Sarunas Keserauskas, President, Lithuanian Competition Council
Stanislas Martin, Rapporteur General, Autorité de la Concurrence
Gabiella Muscolo, Commissioner, Italian Competition Authority
Martijn Snoep, President, Dutch ACM
Commentator: Maurits Dolmans, Cleary Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton LLP

15.30 (Athens time) *Stretching Break*

15.40 (Athens time) **Panel 3: Should competition law integrate environmental and social sustainability concerns in its analytical DNA and if yes how? The Economic and Business Discussion**

Moderator: Michael Jacobides, London Business School
Nicolas Brahy, Director Hydrogen Europe
Frederic Jenny, President, Competition Committee, OECD
Dirk Middelschulte, VP Global General Counsel Competition, Unilever
Marc Pittie, ClientEarth
Pierre Regibeau, Chief Economist, European Commission
Mike Walker, Chief Economic Advisor, UK Competition and Markets Authority

16.50 (Athens time) *Stretching break*

17.00 (Athens time) **Panel 4: What is the Green Growth Agenda and what are its implications for the organization of the economy and public policy in the field of economic regulation?**

Moderator: Nikos Vettas, IOBE and Athens University of Economics and Business
Zeta Cheimonidou, AB Vassilopoulos, VP Marketing & Strategy
George Dellis, Capodistrian University of Athens Law School
Panagiotis Fotis, Hellenic Competition Commission
Phoebe Koundouris, Professor, Athens University of Economics and Business, President-Elect
European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists, Director
EIT Climate KIC, Co-Chair UN SDSN

17.50 (Athens time) *Stretching break*

18.00 (Athens time) **Concluding Discussion: A Window to the Future: Competition Law and Sustainability in 2030**

Moderator: Julian Nowag, Lund University and University of Oxford
Simon Holmes, UK Competition Appeal Tribunal
Michelle Meagher & Jean-Benoit Maisin, Inclusive Competition Forum
Severine Picard, Trade Union Advisory Committee, OECD

18.45 (Athens time) End of the Conference