

# ascola swiss chapter

THIRD ANNUAL CONFERENCE

## CH-EU COMPETITION LAW '24

*High profile speakers from ComCo, the EU Commission and Member State competition authorities as well as legal practitioners and industry representatives will assess major developments in CH-EU competition law*

**Thursday 6 June 2024**

**8.30 – 17.00**

**Registration Fee**

Price for the Public: CHF 400

ASCOLA Members and Administration: CHF 250

PhD Students / Students: CHF 50

**University of Zurich**

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# PROGRAM

Organisation: Professors Damiano Canapa and Peter Georg Picht, and Dr Astrid Waser

8.30 Registration and Coffee

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9.00 Welcome Address

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9.15 Panel 1: Breakfast with the Competition Authorities

Dr Laura Melusine Baudenbacher, President of ComCo,  
Dr Lukas Cavada, Executive Coordinator for International Affairs at Bundeswettbewerbsbehörde  
Silke Hossenfelder, Head of General Policy Division at Bundeskartellamt, and  
Linsey McCallum, Deputy Director-General at European Commission

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10.30 Coffee Break

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11.00 Panel 2: Major developments in the EU

***Merger Control***

Thomas Janssens, Partner, Freshfields, and  
David Mamane, Partner, Schellenberg Wittmer

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Gustavo Olivieri, Professor at Libera Università Internazionale degli Studi Sociali (LUISS), Rome, and  
Dr Mani Reinert, Partner, Bär & Karrer

***Art. 101 TFEU***

Daniela Seeliger, Professor at Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg, Partner, Linklaters, and  
Dr Richard Stäuber, Partner, Homburger

**12.45**      **Lunch Break**

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**14.00**      **Panel 3: Effects and Causality in Abuse Control**

Dr Simon Bangerter, ComCo Secretariat, and  
Florian Bien, Professor at Julius-Maximilians-Universität Würzburg

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**15.00**      **Coffee Break**

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**15.30**      **Panel 4: Structure and Control of Competition Watchdogs**

Florence Aubry Girardin, President of the Second Division of public law at the Swiss Federal Supreme Court,  
Jürgen Breiler, Presiding Judge at the Oberlandesgericht Düsseldorf,  
Isabelle Chabloz, Professor at Université de Fribourg,  
Peter Freeman CBE, KC (hon), Senior Adviser to the UK Competition Appeal Tribunal, and  
Patrick L. Krauskopf, Professor at ZHAW School of Management and Law, Winterthur, Chairman, Agon Partners

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**17.00**      **Concluding Remarks**

