30th Annual SLS/BIICL Conference on Theory in International Law

The Duty of States to Cooperate in International Law

29 November 2021

12.00 - 12.30  Keynote Address by Tim Eicke European Court of Human Rights.
Chair: TBC

12.30-13.45  General issues

Rebecca Barber  TC Beirne School of Law, Cooperating through the General Assembly to end Serious Breaches of Peremptory Norms

Craig Eggett  Maastricht University, General Principles, Cooperation, and the Development of International Law

Rebecca Brown  University of Cambridge, Collaboration in Global Health: The Duty to Cooperate under the International Health Regulations 2005

13.45 – 14.00  Break

14.00 – 15.15  Law of the Sea

Otto Spijkers  Wuhan University and Yinying Qiu  Southwest Forestry University of China, Global Solidarity as General Principle Applicable to the Conservation and Sustainable Use of Marine Biological Diversity of Areas Beyond National Jurisdiction

Constantinos Yiallourides  BIICL, Environmental Cooperation in Disputed Maritime Areas

David Ong  Nottingham Trent University, Implementing the Obligation to Co-operate under International Law: The Utilization
of UNCLOS Dispute Settlement Mechanisms to Ensure Co-operation through Negotiations between States

Rafael Zelesco Barretto Brazilian Naval War College, Fishing a legal regime: The duty to cooperate and the living resources of the high seas

15.15 – 15.30 Break

15.30 – 16.45 Human Rights

Meghan Campbell University of Birmingham, The Duty to Cooperate to Realise Economic, Social and Cultural Rights

Katja Achermann University of Cambridge, Giving Content to the “Obligation to act jointly and cooperate” under Human Rights Regimes: Systemic integration and extracting human rights aspects from relevant rules of international law

Anika Havaldar Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, The Duty of States to Notify and Consult with Non-State Actors under International Water Law

Eleni Karageorgiou Lund University and Meltem Ineli-Ciger Suleyman Demirel University, Duty of States to Cooperate in International Refugee Law and Practice

16.45 – 17.15 Concluding Remarks by Therese O’Donnell

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