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

**Eleni Karageorgiou** Lund University, **Meltem Ineli-Ciger** Suleyman Demirel University, and **Dr Nik Feith Tan**, Danish Institute for Human Rights *Duty of States to Cooperate in International Refugee Law and Practice*

16.45 – 17.15      **Concluding Remarks by Therese O’Donnell**

\*Programme is subject to change.