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 Judge Tim Eicke, ECHR
Chair: Kristin Hausler, BIICL

12.30-13.45  Panel 1: General Issues in Cooperation
Chair: Arman Sarvarian, University of Surrey and SLS

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  Panel 2: Law of the Sea
Chair: Danae Azaria, University College London

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** *Panel 3: Human Rights*

Chair: Jean-Pierre Gauci, BIICL

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

**4.45-5pm** *Concluding Remarks by Therese O’Donnell, University of Strathclyde*

Chair: Alexander Gilder, Royal Holloway University and SLS

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