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The Europa Instituut of the University of Leiden**

56th London-Leiden Meeting

**Courting Europa No Longer: The Jurisdiction of the
Court of Justice**

Saturday 24 June 2017

DRAFT PROGRAMME

Please arrive early for registration from 09:45	
10:00 – 10:10	Welcome Professor Robert McCorquodale, BIICL/Justine Stefanelli
10:10 – 11:30	MORNING SESSION: JURISDICTION BASICS Chair: Professor Sir Alan Dashwood QC, Henderson Chambers and University of Cambridge Speakers: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Judge Ian Forrester, General Court of the EU Dr Noreen O’Meara, University of Surrey Additional speakers TBC
11:30 – 11:45	Morning Tea Break
11:45 – 12:15	Discussion and Debate on Morning Session Chair: Professor Sir Francis Jacobs KCMG QC, King’s College London
12:15 – 13:30	Lunch at Marco Pierre White 130-134 Southampton Row WC1B 5AF
13:30 – 14:50	AFTERNOON SESSION: THE UNIFIED PATENT COURT AND THE UK Chair: Sponsor Speakers: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Dr Luke McDonagh, City University of London Christopher Rennie-Smith, Former Board of Appeal chairman, European Patent Office Dr James Boon, Bristows

14:50 – 15:10	Afternoon Tea Break
15:10 – 15:30	Discussion and Debate on Afternoon Session Chair: Alison McDonnell, Leiden University
15:30 – 17:00	Brexit Roundtable Chair: Professor Margot Horspool, BIICL Speakers: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Professor Laurence Gormley, University of Groningen 2. Jacqueline Minor, Former Head of UK Representation, European Commission 3. Professor Dr Christa Tobler, Leiden University 4. Dr Richard Lang, University of Brighton 5. Dr Eva Lein, BIICL
17:00 – 17:30	Drinks Reception