

The Core Principles of Expropriation Law

THE HAGUE, 18–20 JUNE 2015

COLLOQUIUM PROGRAMME

THURSDAY 18 JUNE 2015

VENUE	THE COUNCIL OF STATE (Kneuterdijk)
12:00	LUNCH AND REGISTRATION AT THE COUNCIL OF STATE
13h00	OPENING SESSION
13h00-13h20	Welcome: Prof Jacques Sluysmans (Radboud University)
13h20-13h45	Opening speaker: Prof Niels Koeman (Member of the Council of State, University of Amsterdam) Topic: The expropriation of the SNS bank
Group 1	CORE PRINCIPLES OF EXPROPRIATION PROCEDURE Chair: Prof Hanri Mostert (University of Cape Town)
13h45 – 15h00	Speaker: Dr Emma Waring (University of York) Topic: Core principles of the European expropriation procedure Speaker: Prof Magdalena Haddas (University of Silesia) Topic: Restitution after expropriation Speaker: Dr Rachael Walsh (Trinity College, Dublin) Topic: The constitutive role of the right to be heard in expropriation law
15h00 – 15h30	TEA
Group 2	DEFENCE AGAINST A PROPOSED EXPROPRIATION Chair: Prof Leon Verstappen (University of Groningen)
15h30 – 17h30	Speaker: Dr Stijn Verbist (University of Hasselt) Topic: Defence against a proposed expropriation: the European view Speaker: Björn Hoops (University of Groningen) Topic: Shaping comparative terminology in expropriation law Speaker: Dr Lisanne Groen (VU University Amsterdam) Topic: ‘Self realisation’ as a defence against expropriation Speaker: Siegfried de Witt (De Witt, Berlin) Topic: The Boxberg and Garzweiler cases and the protection of property
17h30 – 19h30	FREE TIME

19h30 **Dinner: Garoeda
(Kneuterdijk)**

FRIDAY 19 JUNE 2015

VENUE **THE COUNCIL OF STATE
(Kneuterdijk)**

Group 3 **CORE PRINCIPLES OF COMPENSATION FOR
EXPROPRIATION I**
Chair: **Dr Ernst Marais** (University of Johannesburg)

09h30 – 11h00 Speaker: **Prof Jacques Sluysmans** (Radboud University)
Topic: **Compensation in Europe**

Speaker: **Dr Frankie McCarthy** (University of Glasgow)
Topic: **Constitutional property theory, compensation and Article 1
of the First Protocol**

Speaker: **Dr Ting Xu** (Queen's University, Belfast)
Topic: **Compensation under global guidelines**

Speaker: **Dr Anneke Smit** (University of Windsor)
Topic: **Compensation for loss of home**

11h00 – 11h30 **TEA**

Group 4 **CORE PRINCIPLES OF COMPENSATION FOR
EXPROPRIATION II**
Chair: **Dr Stijn Verbist** (University of Hasselt)

11h30 – 12h30 Speaker: **Prof Rachelle Alterman** (Technion University, Haifa)
Topic: **Compensation rights**

Speaker: **Dr Imre Andorko** (University of Debrecen)
Topic: **The Rules of compensation in the Hungarian expropriation
law**

Speaker: **Dr Sabrina Praduroux** (University of Torino)
Topic: **Compensation issues in Italy**

12h30 – 14h00 **LUNCH & GUIDED TOUR THE COUNCIL OF STATE**

14h00 – 15h00 **Keynote Speech**

Mr Jules van Oven (Supreme Court of The Netherlands)
Topic: **The role of the Supreme Court in expropriation law**

15h00 – 15h20 **TEA**

Group 5

CORE PRINCIPLES OF COMPENSATION FOR EXPROPRIATION III

Chair: **Dr Emma Waring** (University of York)

15h20 – 17h00

Speakers: **Drs Jenny Paulsson and Richard Hager** (KTH Stockholm)

Topic: **The Swedish compensation level model**

Speaker: **Dr Sjur Dyrkolbotn** (Durham University)

Topic: **Compensation as defence: efficient, naïve, or simply too expensive?**

Speaker: **Mr Tony Lamb** (United Nations/World Bank)

Topic: **The beauty of expropriation**

Speaker: **Prof Eran Kaplinsky** (University of Alberta)

Topic: **Rethinking the Canadian law of constructive expropriation**

Speaker: **Dr Ernst Marais** (University of Johannesburg)

Topic: **Compensation issues in South Africa**

17h00 – 18h30

Free Time

18h30

Colloquium Dinner: Jeneverstokerij Van Kleef
(Lange Beestenmarkt)

SATURDAY 20 JUNE 2015

VENUE:

MUSEUM BREDIUS

Group 6

NEW INITIATIVES IN EXPROPRIATION LAW

Chair: **Björn Hoops** (University of Groningen)

09h30 – 10h45

Speaker: **Prof Hanri Mostert** (University of Cape Town)

Topic: **New South African expropriation bill**

Speaker: **Nicholas Tagliarino** (World Resources Institute)

Topic: **Balancing property rights with national needs: a comparative analysis of land acquisition laws enacted in Asia, Africa and Latin America**

Speaker: **Prof Marc Boes** (Leuven University)

Topic: **New Flemish expropriation decree**

10h45 – 11h15

TEA

11h15

CLOSING SESSION

Chair: **Prof Magdalena Haddas** (University of Silesia)

11h15 – 11h45	Speakers: Prof Hanoch Dagan (Columbia University/Tel-Aviv University) and Prof Michael Heller (Columbia University) Topic: The property pact
11h45 – 12h15	Closing Speaker: Prof Leon Verstappen (University of Groningen) Topic: Concluding remarks
12h15 – 12h30	Final Words: Prof Hanri Mostert (University of Cape Town)
12h30	FAREWELL LUNCH