

# HOW STRONG IS THE EUROPEAN UNION'S COMMITMENT TO INTERNATIONAL LAW?

14:00

## Welcome

Stefano SOLIMANO, Dean of the Faculty of Law, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore

Gian Battista ORIGONI, Founding Partner, Gianni & Origoni

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## Opening Address

Francesco BESTAGNO, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Legal Advisor to the Permanent Representation of Italy to the EU

## Chair

Fausto POCAR, Emeritus Professor, Università degli Studi di Milano

14:25

## Thematic Introduction: The EU and International Law

Jan WOUTERS, KU Leuven, Holder of the Giorgio Balladore Pallieri Chair, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore

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## The EU's Commitment to the Strict Observance and Development of International Law: A View from Practice

Frank HOFFMEISTER, Director General Affairs and Chief Legal Officer, European External Action Service

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## Ensuring Optimal Human Rights Protection: The Quest for Consistency between the EU and the European Convention on Human Rights

Johan CALLEWAERT, Deputy Grand Chamber Registrar, European Court of Human Rights

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## The EU Global Human Rights Sanctions Regime and Its Compatibility with International Law

Sara POLI, University of Pisa

16:15 break

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## The EU Approach to the Enforcement of International Economic Law: the MPIA and Bilateral Dispute Settlement Mechanisms of EU FTAs

Elisa BARONCINI, University of Bologna

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## The Approach of the CJEU to International Law: Beyond Simplistic Narratives

Graham BUTLER, University of Aarhus

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## General Discussion

18:30

## Concluding Remarks

Jan WOUTERS

18.40

## Farewell

Pietro FRANZINA, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Director of the Institute of International Studies

18:45 Cocktail

## Seminar

29 November 2022

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