



4th Summer Academy on Global Food Law & Policy

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Following the success of its previous editions, Lexxion, publisher of the European Food and Feed Law Review (EFFL) as well as the European Journal of Risk Regulation (EJRR), organises the Summer Academy for the fourth time already. The 5-day course will offer scientific reflection and discourse on key legal and policy issues in European and world food law as well as information and updates on the latest developments. This will be achieved through a dynamic, informal and highly interactive programme, which includes

- lectures,
- presentations,
- debates and discussions as well as
- social activities (in the evenings) to encourage as much exchange as possible.

The faculty of the Academy consists of food experts coming from relevant authorities and institutions, academia, industry and legal practice. The academic director is Alberto Alemanno, Associate Professor of Law at HEC Paris and editor of EJRR.

Further information may soon be found on www.lexxion.eu/conferences.

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Statements from Summer Academy 2010 & 2011

This was a great, intense and pleasant week. If you wish to expand your knowledge on global food law and policy this is the Academy for you.

Magnus Friberg,
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The ... Academy was well-organized down to the very last detail. The seminar schedule was full without being overwhelming. Each seminar was engaging, and I walked away from every session having learned something new.

Patricia A. Stapleton,
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Call for Papers: Comparing Risk Regulation in China and Europe

The business worlds of China and Europe have come closer. As awareness about the interdependence of both economies arises, the need for a dialogue between both economies becomes evident. In this respect, the field of risk regulation is on the forefront of such a dialogue. Recent and old crises such as the dioxin scandal in Europe and hazardous toys in China as well as the transnationality of the financial crisis emphasize the intertwined character of risk perception and regulation in both economies, which still lacks adequate research. Local problems and regulatory challenges in China and Europe may furthermore be of interest for a mutual understanding of both regimes. Environmental challenges with emissions, drawing and enforcement of safety standards represent challenges to both economies.

The EU-China risk regulation special issue invites submissions that investigate specific Chinese and European topics within the areas covered by the EJRR from a comparative perspective. Additionally, we are looking for contributions from international scholars and practitioners which evaluate fields covered by the EJRR and especially case notes from the respective jurisdictions.

The EJRR is an international journal that provides an innovative forum for informed and scholarly discussion on how risks are regulated across policy domains. By focusing on institutional, procedural and substantive aspects of risk regulation, the EJRR strikes a balance between the interests of the practitioners, notably those increasingly engaged in regulatory drafting and advice to the industry, and a more theoretical focus, combining normative articles with timely contributions on legislative and judicial developments, new literature and relevant events. The EJRR understands itself as a truly multi-disciplinary journal.

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Today the most important and widespread form of EU regulation in the internal market is concerned with the government of risk to individuals' health and safety. The European Journal of Risk Regulation (EJRR) provides an innovative forum for informed discussion on how these risks are regulated across policy domains in Europe and beyond. The central focus of the journal is the European Law and Policy regulating *inter alia* product (chemicals, food, pharma), financial, insurance and lifestyle risks (nutrition, alcohol, tobacco) as well as risks emerging from technology and third-party threats such as terrorism. The journal adopts a wide definition of regulation, including also innovative forms such as self-, co-regulation and nudges. Its methods extend to disciplines such as law, sociology, political science, risk analysis, economics as well as psychology and cognitive studies.

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