CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Rewriting the Separation of Powers in the European States

Venue: National Library, Oslo

Monday 14th May 2018

Moderator: Dag Michalsen
Dean Faculty of Law, Professor University of Oslo

0830 – 0900 Registration and coffee/tea

0900 – 0920 Opening of the Conference
Åse Gornitzka, Vice Rector, Professor University of Oslo

0920 – 0930 Welcome!
Jan E. Helgesen

0930 – 1015 The Trias Politica in a Changing Political and Legal Environment.
Pieter van Dijk, Professor em. and former judge ECtHR

1015 – 1030 Pause

1030 – 1115 The Future of Human Rights: Populism, Dogmatism and Skepticism
Philip Alston, Professor New York University

1115 – 1215 The Case of Poland
Christoph Grabenwarter, Professor University of Vienna,
Judge at the Constitutional Court of Austria
1215 – 1330  
**Lunch**

1330 – 1400  
*The Case of Poland (continued)*

1400 – 1530  
*The Case of Hungary*

Kaarlo Tuori, Professor University of Helsinki

1530 – 1545  
*Pause*

1545 – 1715  
*Who has the Power to trigger Brexit or Missiles under the UK’s unwritten Constitution?*

Sir Jeffrey Jowell, Professor em. UCL, Director of Bingham Centre on the Rule of Law 2010 – 2015, practicing barrister

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**Tuesday 15th May 2018**

**Moderator:**

Ragnhild Hennum  
Director Norwegian Centre for Human Rights, Professor  
University of Oslo

0845 – 0915  
**Coffee/tea**

0915 – 1045  
*The Case of Turkey*

Sarah Cleveland, Professor Columbia University

1045 – 1100  
*Pause*

1100 – 1230  
*Human Rights according to the Constitutional Reform of 2014 in Norway*

Jan E. Helgesen, Professor University of Oslo

1230 – 1330  
**Lunch**
1330 – 1615  Focus on Democracy in Europe

The Re-Emergence of Nationalism in Europe.
Terje Knutsen, Professor University of Bergen

In the panel:
Elisabeth Bakke, Professor University of Oslo
Bernt Hagtvet, Professor University of Oslo
Øyvind Østerud, Professor University of Oslo

A short break in this session at approximately 1500

1615 – 1700  Summing up – general discussion

Note: Time allotted for questions and comments after each intervention.