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Introduction

The LUISS Summer School on European and Comparative Company Law: Capital Markets (the "**School**") is designed as an add-on to the education of law students as well as graduates with an interest in company law and as an advanced course for practitioners. It will allow participants to prepare for or complement a graduate degree in business law by gaining an in-depth exposure to the theory and practice of company law in Europe and acquiring the tools for dealing with cross-border transactions involving listed companies.

LUISS "Guido Carli" and the Centre for European Company Law – an academic partnership between the universities of Leiden, LUISS "Guido Carli", Maastricht, Uppsala, Utrecht and the Allerhand Institute of Advanced Legal Studies – benefit from the co-operation of a group of Harvard Law School graduates and are putting together a set of top academics and practitioners from all over Europe that will offer to participants the invaluable chance to be intellectually challenged by the most cutting-edge issues knowledge in the corporate and capital markets law.

The top faculty, the intensive classes and the interactive mode of instruction make the School a unique opportunity to deepen students' knowledge in company and capital markets law, while enjoying culture and leisure activities in the beautiful setting that Rome offers in the summer.









Program

The School will run from July 15 to July 23, 2016 and includes 45 hours of classes divided into 8 sessions (from Monday to Friday, from 2:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., and Saturday, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.), including a Symposium at the end of the course. All lectures are given in English. Each session will be taught by leading scholars and practitioners who are partners with leading Italian and European law firms. Attendance of classes is compulsory. Each day of classes will encompass lectures, seminars and case studies around the following main thematic areas:

- **Day 1:** Introduction: Key Players and Structure of Financial Markets (Issuers, Investors, Intermediaries and Authorities)
- Day 2: From Private to Public: IPOs and Prospectuses Directive
- Day 3: Takeover Bids
- Day 4: Market Abuse Directive: Insider Trading and Market Manipulation
- **Day 5:** Market Abuse and Transparency Directives: Disclosure of Price-Sensitive Information, Internal Dealing, Buy-Back
- Day 6: Crowdfunding; Related-Party Transactions
- **Day 7:** Loyalty Shares and Multiple-Voting Shares for Listed Companies; Shareholders' Rights Directive: Executive Remuneration Report, Codes of Conduct, Minorities' Requests
- Day 8: Final Symposium: Capital Markets Union

Students are invited to take part to a welcome reception and a farewell cocktail on Day 1 and Day 8 respectively







Faculty

Avv. Gioacchino Amato – PricewaterhouseCoopers	Dr. Pavlos Masouros – Leiden University
Prof. Steef Bartman – Leiden University; DLA Piper	Dr. Valerio Novembre – European Securities and Markets Authority
Avv. Mauro Bellofiore – Consob	Prof. Antonio Nuzzo – LUISS "Guido Carli"; Bussoletti Nuzzo e Associati
Prof. Diego Corapi – "La Sapienza" University; Studio Legale	e Prof. Federico Pernazza – University of Molise; Studio Legale Pernazza
Corapi	Avv. Umberto Piattelli – Osborne Clarke
Prof. Barbara De Donno – LUISS "Guido Carli"	Prof. Rogier Raas – Leiden University; Stibbe
Prof. Adriaan Dorresteijn – Utrecht University	Dr. Arkadiusz Radwan - Allerhand Institute; Kubas Kos Gałkowski
Prof. Luca Enriques – Oxford University	Avv. Federico Raffaele – LUISS "Guido Carli"; Baker & McKenzie
Prof. Sergio Gilotta – University of Bologna	Avv. Silvia Romanelli – Bonelli Erede
Prof. Matthias Haentjens – Leiden University	Prof. Eugenio Ruggiero – LUISS "Guido Carli"; Visentini Marchetti e
Prof. Guy Horsmans – Université Catholique Louvain	Associati
Prof. Raffaele Lener – Tor Vergata University; Freshfields	s Prof. Daniel Stattin – Uppsala University
Bruckhaus Deringer	Prof. Marco Ventoruzzo – Bocconi University; Penn State Law School
Prof. Jan Lieder – University of Kiel	Avv. Federico Vermicelli – Lombardi Molinari Segni

N.B.: Some of the above lecturers may be replaced by others in the final program







Target Group

The School is open to candidates who hold a degree in Law, Political Sciences or Economics obtained in Italy or abroad as well as undergraduates. The School is designed for those candidates who intend to acquire an in-depth knowledge of the most up-to-date issues in EU corporate and capital markets law and aspire to develop an international career in this domain.

Online Application

Admission is based on the assessment of CVs/resumes of the candidates. A good command of written and spoken English is required. Early application is encouraged. Qualified candidates are admitted on a **rolling basis**. However, the absolute deadline for submission of the applications is **July 1, 2016.**

The number of participants is limited to 40. Applications received after the deadline has expired will be considered only in case additional seats remain available.

Applicants are required to:

- complete the online application form;
- upload their detailed academic and professional CV/resume;
- upload a motivation letter, explaining the reasons for attending the School.

Applicants can access the online application form at the following link: <u>http://summercompanylaw.luiss.it</u>









Logistic Details

The School is held at the LUISS "Guido Carli" campus, located at Viale Pola, 12, 00198 Rome (Italy).

During the course of the School, students will be provided with:

- School materials
- Full internet access
- Access to the Library electronic resources
- Access to the Cafeteria

A social program may be proposed to the students, in the evenings, on a voluntary basis, in order to take advantage of the cultural events scheduled in that period in Rome.

Students are responsible to make their own accommodation arrangements. However, for the period of the School, LUISS "Guido Carli" has made provisional bookings at <u>Hotel Fenix</u> at the discounted rate of EUR 45 per night. This includes: (i) a single room with private bathroom; (ii) breakfast.

The reservation of the comprehensive **10-night accommodation** (July 14 - 23, 2016) at EUR 450 must be confirmed by applicants in the online application form.







Certificates and Credits

Upon successful completion of the School – by attending at least 80% of the scheduled classes and submitting by August 31, 2016 a final paper of 4,000 words – participants will be awarded a Certificate of Attendance, which qualifies graduated participants for the accreditation of 8 ECTS points.

For Italian "avvocati" and "commercialisti", the participation to the School will also qualify for the accreditation of 24 formative credits.

Tuition Fees

The cost of the School is EUR 950 for students who graduated at LUISS "Guido Carli" or attended other courses at LUISS "Guido Carli", and EUR 1,150 for other applicants.

An "early-bird" discount of EUR 200 will be awarded to "non-LUISS applicants" (*i.e.*, those who neither graduated nor attended other courses at LUISS "Guido Carli") who will have completed the enrollment procedure – payment of tuition fees included – by **May 9, 2016**.

Within 7 days from their admission, applicants are required to complete the enrollment procedure by paying the tuition fees via wire transfer to the following bank account:

LUISS "Guido Carli" – Viale Pola, 12 – 00198 Roma LUISS Code ("codice ENTE"): **31449** IBAN Code no.: **IT17H 02008 05077 0004 0000 0917** and sending the receipt of the payment to the following email address: summercompanylaw@luiss.it







Contact us

More information may be requested by contacting the School Secretariat to the following e-mail address:

E-mail: summercompanylaw@luiss.it