

Introduction to European Civil Procedure (Brussels Ia Regulation)

This lecture which will be held on November 20, 21 and 22, 2018 in English language, will give an overview on Regulation (EU) No 1215/2012 on jurisdiction and the recognition and enforcement of judgments in civil and commercial matters („Brussels Ia-Regulation“):

1. Legal nature and scope of application of Brussels Ia-Regulation.
2. Jurisdiction under Brussels Ia-Regulation
 - General Jurisdiction
 - Special Jurisdictions (Place of performance, tort etc.)
 - Jurisdiction agreements
 - Exclusive jurisdiction (Immovable property, tenancies etc.)
 - Jurisdiction in consumer contract cases
 - Jurisdiction in insurance cases
 - Jurisdiction concerning individual contracts of employment
3. Lis pendens in different Member States
4. Recognition of judgments
5. Enforcement of judgments

Students should bring a copy of Brussels Ia-Regulation which can be downloaded from eur-lex.europa.eu. Versions in all official languages of the EU are available, so it might be advisable to have a copy in your mother tongue with you in order to easily translate legal phrases.

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