



ESIL Interest Group on Migration and Refugee Law

Pre-conference ESIL Interest Group Event

“The Future of International Migration Law”

Naples (6 September 2017)

Call for Papers

The ESIL Interest Group (IG) on Migration and Refugee Law is organizing a **pre-conference event** on the **6th of September 2017** in Naples (Italy) entitled **“The Future of International Migration Law”**, in the framework of the 13th ESIL Annual Conference (7-9 September 2017). Our Interest Group will host two panels of speakers: one on the de-fragmentation of EU migration and asylum governance (confirmed speakers in provisional programme), and another panel on (ab)normalities of international migration and refugee law: challenges and innovations. For the latter we are launching a call for papers.

We are not aiming for fully-fledged papers but for contributions of up to 2000 to 2500 words (extended abstracts). The eventual short papers (extended abstracts) should be sent to the IG conveners by 15 August 2017 in order to circulate them amongst the panellists prior to the workshop.

The Interest Group invites submissions of abstracts of no more than **400 words**. Applications should be submitted to kristof.gombeer@vub.be by **20 June 2017**, with a short curriculum vitae containing the author’s name, institutional affiliation, and contact information. The selected presenters will be notified by 30 June 2017. Please note that the Interest Group also invites the submission of papers by non-ESIL members.

Please find the provisional programme of the IG event below.

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Side event at the 13th ESIL Annual Conference, Naples (Italy)

“The Future of International Migration Law”

6 September 2017

Provisional programme (Room: ...)

- 13.00 – 13.15 ***Introduction by IG conveners***
- 13.15 – 15.30 ***Panel 1: ‘De-Fragmenting Paradigms in EU Migration and Asylum Governance: New Pathways to International Protection or Rising Threats to Global Public Goods?’***
- Marion Panizzon (University of Bern; NCCR – On the Move)
‘Governance of Large Movements of Refugees and Migrants: UN New York Declaration and EU Agenda – Solidarity or Conditionality?’
 - Tamás Molnár (European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights; Corvinus University of Budapest)
‘The Place and Role of International Human Rights Law in the Return Directive and in the Related CJEU Case-Law: Approaches Worlds Apart?’
 - Daniela Vitiello (Roma Tre University; NCCR – On the Move)
‘Vulnerability Narratives as Legal Pathways to Attain the International Public Good of Protecting Forced Migrants? An Appraisal of Recent Trends in European Policy and Practice’
 - Violeta Moreno-Lax (Queen Mary University of London)
‘Death at Sea and Non-Access to Asylum: Distorting Governance Gaps through the Co-Option of Human Rights
- 15.30 – 16.00 ***Coffee break***
- 16.00 – 18.00 ***Panel 2: ‘(Ab)normalities of international migration and refugee law: challenges and innovations’***
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Abstracts to be submitted by 20 June 2017; presenters will be notified by June 30th.