

Settlements and Alternative Mechanisms in Collective Redress

12 February 2013, 14.00-19.00,

British Institute of International and Comparative Law, Charles Clore House, London WC1B 5JP

Organisers: Dr Duncan Fairgrieve & Dr Eva Lein, British Institute of International and Comparative Law

14.00 - 14.10 **Welcome and Introduction**

14.10 - 16.00 **Panel 1: Collective Settlement Mechanisms in National Legal Systems**

Chair: **Vincent Smith**, Sheppard & Smith; British Institute of International and Comparative Law

Nicholas Blaney, Department for Business, Innovation and Skills, London

John Brown, McCarthy Tétrault LLP, Toronto

Dr. Helene van Lith, Sciences Po, Paris

Comments: Paul Lomas, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer

Rob Murray, Crowell & Moring

Discussions

16.00 – 16.30 Coffee Break

16.30 – 17.30 **Panel 2: Private International Law and Collective Settlements**

Chair: **Professor Richard Fentiman**, University of Cambridge

Professor Astrid Stadler, University of Konstanz, University of Rotterdam

Commentator: **Alexander Layton QC**, 20 Essex Street

Discussions

17.30 - 19.00 **Lessons from Comparative and Public International Law**

Chair: **Professor Rachael Mulheron**, Queen Mary University of London

Conor McCarthy, Doughty Street Chambers, London

Nicolas Jansen Calamita, University of Birmingham; British Institute of International and Comparative Law

Sandrine Giroud, Lalive, Geneva

Discussions

19.00-19.45 Reception