

PRIZES & AWARDS
2007-2012

The Mauro Cappelletti Prize for the Best Thesis in Comparative Law

2012: Michal Bobek

Comparative reasoning in European Supreme Courts - A Study in Foreign Persuasive Authority
Jacques ZILLER (Supervisor)

2011: Barbara Gabor

Institutional and Regulatory Competition in Europe: Connecting Some Pieces of the Puzzle on When, How and Why it Can Work
Fabrizio CAFAGGI (Supervisor)

2010: Joana Mendes

Rights of Participation in European Administrative Law - A Rights-Based Approach to Participation in Rulemaking
Jacques ZILLER (Supervisor)

2009: Kathrin Scherr

The principle of state liability for judicial breaches: The case Gerhard Köbler v. Republic of Austria under EC Law and from an International and National Law Perspective
Jacques ZILLER (Supervisor)

and Silvia D'Ascoli

Sentencing Practise in Internatioanl Criminal Law: approaches of the two UN ad hoc Tribunals and future perspectives for the International Criminal Court
Pierre-Marie DUPUY (Supervisor)

2008: Annelies Verstichel

Representation and Identity. The Right of Persons belonging to Minorities to Effective Participation in Public Affairs: Content, Justification and Limits
Bruno DE WITTE (Supervisor)

2007: Eva Storskrubb

Judicial Cooperation in Civil Matters – A Policy Area Uncovered
Jacques ZILLER (Supervisor)

The Jacqueline Suter Prize for the Best Doctoral Thesis in European Law

2012: Sacha Garben

Harmonisation by Stealth: The Bologna Process and European Higher Education Law
Bruno DE WITTE (Supervisor)

2009: Gracia Marin Duran

Development-Based Differentiation in the European Community's External Trade Policy: Selected Issues under Community and International Trade La
Bruno DE WITTE (Supervisor)

OTHER PRIZES AND AWARDS

2011

Bryant Garth (LAW 1973- 1976) and his co-author Yves Dezalay won the Herbert Jacob Prize from the Law and Society Association in May 2011 for the best book on law and social science published in 2010. The book is *Asian Legal Revivals: Lawyers in the Shadow of Empire* (Chicago, University of Chicago Press)

Johanna Engström (LAW 2001-2009) has been awarded the European Public Law Group's special distinction 2010 for her thesis *Europeanisation of remedies and procedures - can a Trojan horse achieve effectiveness?*

Pablo Ibáñez Colomo (LAW 2006-2010) was awarded the Jacques Lassier Prize by the International League of Competition Law. The Prize is awarded every two years for Ph.D. dissertations written in competition law and related fields (including intellectual property and unfair competition), and was established in memory of Jacques Lassier, a former President of the League and one of the first practitioners in continental Europe to understand the importance of EU competition rules. The ceremony took place at Christ Church College in Oxford during the annual congress of the League.

2010

Marie-Claire Ponthoreau (LAW 1987-1991) has been awarded the 'Prix du livre juridique 2010' during the Salon du Livre juridique for her recently published book *Droit(s) constitutionnel(s) comparé(s)* (Éditions Economica – Collection Corpus droit public, 2010). The prize is organized by the *Club des juristes et le Conseil Constitutionnel*.

Christoph Beat Graber (LAW 1989-1993), Professor of Law at the University of Lucerne, received the Swiss Academies of Arts and Sciences Award for Transdisciplinary Research, for the project he directed 'eDiversity - The Legal Protection of Cultural Diversity in a Digital Networked Environment'. The project was selected 'for its integrative, timely and path-breaking intervention in the field of media regulation concerning the protection and promotion of diversity of old indigenous as well as very new cultural expressions.' The award is the highest research prize of the Swiss Academies of Arts and Sciences.

Dorte Sindbjerg Martinsen (LAW 1999-2004) is currently associate professor of political science at the University of Copenhagen. In 2009 she won the Vincent Wright Prize for one of the two best articles published in *West European Politics* in 2009

2009

The Alexander von Humboldt Research Award (Forschungspreis) was awarded to Massimo La Torre (82 - 89). It is awarded to a scholar on the basis of a general assessment of his/ her career and academic achievements.

2008

In June 2008, Robert Schutze was awarded the annual rotary club award for best thesis, for his dissertation on: From dual to comparative federalism: the changing structure of the legislative function in the European Union.

2007

In June 2007 Charles-Henry Massa (2005) of the Law Department won the International Trademark Association ADR Online Competition for Best Mediator and Second Place Advocate.