

HATE CRIME INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM and CYBERCRIMES

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8.30-8.50 INAGURATION

Prof. Dr. Joxerramon Bengoetxea Caballero
Rector of the University of the Basque Country

Prof. Dr. Jon-M. Landa.

Full Professor of Criminal Law at the Faculty of Law. University of the Basque Country
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FIRST SESSION: CONTEMPORARY APPROACH TO HATE CRIMES

8.50-9.30 Hate crimes from the perspective of “Law as social justice Liberalism”

Prof. Dr. Mark Walters

Professor of Criminal Law and Criminology (Law). University of Sussex (UK)

9.30-10.00 Discussion

Moderator

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11.00-11.30 Coffe

SECOND SESSION: CYBERHATE AND LIABILITY OF LEGAL PERSONS IN SPAIN

10.30-11.10 Massification of inflammatory speeches and social media platforms

Prof. Dr. Jacobo Dopico

Professor of Criminal Law. Carlos III University (Madrid)

11:10-11:50 Hate crimes and legal persons: Compliance, cascading liability and other particularities

Prof. Dr. Victor Gómez

Professor of Criminal Law. University of Barcelona (Barcelona)

11:50-12:20 Discussion

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13:30-14:30 LUNCH

THIRD SESSION. CYBERCRIME AND HATE CRIMES: A COMPARATIVE LAW APPROACH

13.20- 14.30

Prof. Dr. Chara Bakalis

Reader in Criminal Law. Oxford Brookes University

Prof. Dr. Amane Gogorza

Professor of Private Law and Criminological Sciences. University of Toulouse 1 Capitole

Dr. Michael Kilchling

Senior Research Fellow at the Max Planck Institute for the Study of Crime, Security and Law

Prof. Dr. Lyane Sautner

Full Professor of Criminal Law. Johannes Kepler University Linz

Dr. Iñigo Gordon

Lecturer in Criminal Law at the Faculty of Law. University of the Basque Country

14.30-15.00 Discussion

Moderator:

Dr. Mikel Anderez. Lecturer in Criminal Law at the Faculty of Law. University of the Basque Country

15.00-15:30 Cyberhate a criminological perspective (on line)

Prof. Dr. Barbara Perry

Director of the Centre on Hate, Bias and Extremism. Faculty of Social Science and Humanities. Ontario Tech University (Canada).

15.30 Discussion and Closure

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