

Finding the Law: Micro States and Small Jurisdictions ... freedoms and challenges of working in a small jurisdiction

Thursday 5 to Saturday 7 February 2009



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University of the Netherlands Antilles, Curacao



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Friday February 6, 2009

Topic Membership in international organizations and associations

9.30-11.00

Dr. Dimitry Kochenov, University of Groningen

The impact of the scope Ratione Personae of EC Law on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Community

Dr. Carlos Bollen, University of Aruba

De invloed van het Europees recht op het Arubaans vermogensrecht

Topic Specific aspects of microstates and juridically-independent small jurisdictions

11.30-12.15

Dr. Monique Veira, Anton de Kom University Paramaribo

(Erf)recht van de tribale volken, in dit geval de Marrons, binnen het Surinaams juridisch systeem

Lunch

Topic Legal Education

2.30 p.m. guided tour University of the Netherlands Antilles

3.00 p.m.

Britta Behrendt, MA, University of the Netherlands Antilles

One state – one University

Dr. Bastiaan van der Velden

Legal education at the Netherlands Antilles

Drs. Sharine Isabella, University of the Netherlands Antilles

Quality assurance in small-scale universities

Topic Legal transplants

4.30

Dr. Peter Klik, Rotterdam University

Why the Netherlands Antilles should

not adopt the Dutch rule on a cooling off period in the sale of residential property (art. 7:2 BW)

Topic The Legislative Draftsman in a Small Jurisdiction

5.15

Prof. Irene Kull, University of Tartu

Estonia and its new civil code

Lecture with Round Table Discussion 20.00 aula UNA

Prof. Britta Jud, University of Vienna

Consumer Protection: Problems of Codification – European Union versus Micro States

Saturday February 7, 2009

Topic Access to Justice in Small Jurisdictions and specific aspects of microstates

9.30 – 11.00

Dr. Viola Heutger, University of the Netherlands Antilles

La Città del Sole. Tommaso Campanella and his ideas on a microstate - a model for Curacao?

Dr. Bastiaan van der Velden, University of the Netherlands Antilles

Concordance in the Kingdom of the Netherlands

Anna van Duin, lawyer Curacao

Legal aid at Curacao

11.30-12.15

Ton van der Schans, Curacao

Small island – big cases