



## **Symposium « Local Autonomy in Europe »**

**Vilnius 9-10 May 2014**

**Workshop Programme**

**Friday, 09 May**

**09h30**

**Welcoming by Mr Chancellor PUMPUTIS  
(Mykolas Romeris University)**

**Speech by Mrs BERNIAUD,  
Ambassador of France in Lithuania**

**Program of the Symposium presented by  
Mr Algirdas ASTRAUSKAS and Mr Stéphane GUERARD**

**Symposium Opening by Mr Professor David CAPITANT  
Directeur de l'Ecole doctorale de droit comparé de Paris (Panthéon-Sorbonne)  
Directeur du Centre de droit allemand de l'UMR de droit comparé de Paris**



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**10h30**

**Workshop 1: *What kind of local administration system in 21st century Europe?***

Colavitti (R.), *The Council of Europe's role in the development of local government systems*

Delaneuville (F.), *The scope of the normative and sociological impact of rules related to local autonomy according to the Council of Europe typology*

Guérard (S.), *Local autonomy in Europe: Myth or reality? Is the ideal image of local autonomy, as described and promoted by the Council of Europe (The Congress of local and Regional Authorities), possible?*

Kopric (I.), *Local and Regional Governance in Europe: For a new comparative framework*

Marzo (C.) videoconferencing, *The place for local autonomy and local authorities in European integration by 2020*

Moritz (M.), *E-administration and local authorities in Europe*

**14h00**

**Workshop 2: *The impact of territorial reforms on the shape of European States***

Troanta (D.), *Specificities of local autonomy in Romania*

Condurache (G.), *Regionalization in Romania*

Desrumaux (N.), *Local authorities in Europe and the European institutions (European Union and Council of Europe)*



Orlov (M.), *The impact of territorial reforms on the shape of European States: The Moldavian example*

Protière (G.), *Distinction between “local government” and “public institution” in the structuring of local government models in Europe*

Qazbir (H.), *Analysis of organizational standards produced by the European convergence of regionalization*

**16h35**

**Workshop 3: Decentralisation at a crossroads -Territorial reforms in Europe in times of crisis: snapshot of recent developments**

Tonhauser (B.), Executive Officer - Statutory Affairs and Services to Members, CEMR

Noupadja (N.), PhD student, University of Montesquieu, Bordeaux, and Research and Studies Officer, CEMR

Guérard (S.), Associate Professor, University of Lille, France

Delaneuville (F.), PhD student, Comenius University - Bratislava and Jules Verne University of Amiens, Slovakia and France

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**17h15**

**Workshop 4: Relations between States and local authorities regarding competence distribution**

Bayraktar (U.), *Relations between States and local authorities in Turkey*

Benchendikh (F.), *The French Polynesia statute*

Carton (O.), *Competence distribution between the State and the local authorities in France*

Chernenko (O.), *The distribution of educational competences between State and the local authorities in Russia*

Perlo (N.), *Local public services management by the Italian local authorities*

**20h30**

**Gala Dinner**



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**Saturday, 10 May**

**9h30**

**Workshop 5: Relations between States and local authorities regarding resource distribution (human and financial)**

Boudet (J.-F.), *Les collectivités locales en Europe à l'aune du Pacte de stabilité et de croissance (PSC) renforcé et du Traité sur la stabilité, la coordination et la gouvernance (TSCG) au sein de l'Union économique et monétaire*

Gilles (W.) videoconferencing, *Digital revolution impact on local government models*

Le Saout (R.), *Distribution of power and competences at municipal and intermunicipal levels*

Pevcin (P.), *The cost of local public services management regarding the local government organization in Europe*

Volmerange (X.), *The modernization of local administrative structures in Germany*

**11h45**

**Workshop 6: The relations between States and local authorities regarding the control and evaluation of local public policies**

Laanes (L.), *Local autonomy and State control in the field of Education in Estonia*

Calleja (I.), *The relations between States and local authorities regarding control and evaluation of local public policies: The Case of Malta*

Avramov (K.), *Looking for « good governance » to reduce regional disparities in Bulgaria*

**14h00**

**(Workshop 6 - part 2)**

Lhomme (D.), *Modernization of local public services management*

O'Keefe (B.), *Cross-border cooperation in Ireland*

Staiculescu (A.) and Stan (A.), *Challenges related to regionalization of public policies. Looking for a model for Romania*

D'Angelosante (M.) et Tubertini (C.), *The impact of the economic crisis on the local administrative organization in Italy*

**15h45**

**Workshop 7: Evolution(s) of local government systems in Europe and European integration**

Astrauskas (A.), *Evolution of local self-government system in Lithuania from 1990 till nowadays*

Grudulis (M.) and Stücka (A.), *Local system in Latvia within the context of European integration: overview*

Hoffman (I.), *Local system in Hungary within the context of European integration: overview*

Malikova (L.), *Local system in Slovakia within the context of European integration: overview*

Noupadja (N.), *European Structural Funds and local authorities' development in Europe, with the reading grid of a concrete example: Romania*

Nguyen Duy (I.), *Local authorities' autonomy in Norway – An exception among European democracies*