



ALSA – HKCML Joint Conference Transplantation of Foreign Law and the Creation of Unique Legal Solutions in Asian Legal Systems

DATE

**13 January 2023
Friday**

TIME

1:00pm – 5:20pm

FORMAT

Online via Zoom

LANGUAGE

English

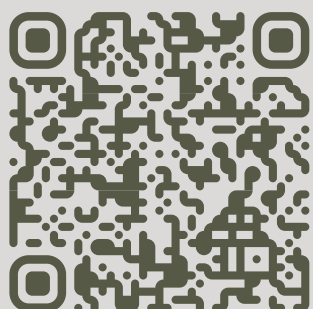
Organisers

**Hong Kong Commercial and Maritime Law Centre (HKCML)
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Legal systems develop, sometimes through the borrowing of foreign laws and institutions, sometimes through developing unique solutions. Even when foreign laws and institutions are borrowed and transplanted, there is invariably adaptation and transformation. Such transplantation and creation of unique legal initiatives may involve the macro norms such as those found in Civil Codes, or more particular norms and institutions, such as the regulatory requirement to assume prescribed information duties to certain class of consumers. This conference examines the theme of legal borrowings and the creation of legal solutions tailored to account for local circumstances and values preferences. The need for legal change may arise in a variety of ways. They may be prompted by technological developments which challenge the robustness of existing law and regulation, changing social expectations, or new policy imperatives revealed by the problems associated with working out existing norms.

This conference provide insights on the transplantation of laws and institutions generally; tensions between transplanted norms and local norms; interesting adaptations of transplantations and associated transformations; problems common to the global community, the legal solutions adopted and the value choices they reflect; unique legal solutions to new problems generated by current developments, whether in technology, public health, economic development or international relations and global legal norms and the stresses on the local legal system.

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in advance**



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PROGRAMME

13 January 2022, Friday	
Opening Address	
13:00 - 13:05 HKT	Prof Cheng Han TAN <i>President, The Asian Law Schools Association (ALSA)</i> <i>National University of Singapore, Faculty of Law</i>
Panel A	
13:05 - 13:25 HKT	Beyond Transplant: Transnational ESG Governance in East Asia Prof. Virginia HARPER HO <i>City University of Hong Kong, School of Law</i> (HKT +0hr)
13:25 - 13:45 HKT	Legal Transplants in Chinese Company Law: A Complex Reality Dr Wenjing CHEN <i>East China University of Political Science and Law, Centre for Rule of Law Strategy Studies</i> (HKT +0hr)
13:45 - 14:05 HKT	Something Borrowed and something Created: The Transplantation of Criminal Compliance in China Wanqiang WU <i>Shanghai Jiao Tong University, KoGuan School of Law</i> (HKT +0hr)

14:05 - 14:25 HKT	<p>Adapting Traditional Chinese Legal Culture to Westernised Property Law: A Comparative Study of Mainland China, Hong Kong, and Taiwan</p> <p>Alvin Hoi-Chun HUNG <i>Australian National University, ANU College of Law</i> local start time: 5:05PM (HKT +3hrs)</p>
14:25 - 14:55 HKT	Panel discussion
14:55 - 15:25 HKT	Break
Panel B	
15:25 - 15:45 HKT	<p>The Use and Adaptation of Foreign Laws for the Protection of World Heritage Sites in Selected Asian Countries</p> <p>Dr Elizabeth BRANDON <i>University of Stirling, Faculty of Arts and Humanities, Law and Philosophy</i> local start time: 8:25AM (HKT -7hrs)</p>
15:45 - 16:05 HKT	<p>Weak-form Judicial Review in An Implicit Way-How Chinese Courts Strategically Respond to Fintech Regulation</p> <p>Dr Pan SU <i>Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, Law School</i> (HKT +0hr)</p>
16:05 - 16:25 HKT	<p>Advancing the Indonesian Legal Framework on Action in Rem against Vessel: A Lesson Learned from the United Kingdom</p> <p>Setyawati FITRIANGGRAENI <i>World Maritime University, Maritime Law and Policy</i> local start time: 10:05AM (HKT -6hrs)</p>
16:25 - 16:45 HKT	<p>Innovating Administrative Law for the Data Era or Undermining Legal Principles? The Social Credit System Through the Lens of Chinese Legal Literature</p> <p>Marianne von BLOMBERG <i>University of Cologne, Institute of East Asian Studies - Chinese Studies, Faculty of Arts and Humanities, Chinese Legal Culture</i> local start time: 10:25AM (HKT -6hrs)</p>
16:45 - 17:15 HKT	Panel discussion
Closing Address	
17:15 - 17:20 HKT	<p>Prof Alexander LOKE <i>Director, Hong Kong Commercial and Maritime Law Centre</i> <i>City University of Hong Kong, School of Law</i></p>