



**ECBA Spring Conference, 22 and 23 April 2022**  
**Riga, Latvia**

**Friday 22 April**

18h30 – 20h30

**Reception**

**Venue: Skyline Bar/Hotel Radisson Blu**

Address: Elizabetes iela 55, Centra rajons, Rīga, LV-1010

Welcome words

Vincent Asselineau, Chair of the ECBA

Aurélie Royet-Gounin, Ambassador of France in Latvia

Janis Rozenbergs, President of the Latvian Council of Sworn Advocates

**Saturday 23 April**

9h00

**Conference**

**Venue: Hotel Radisson Blu – Alfa Hall, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

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Registration and welcome coffee

9h30

**Rule of Law in Ukraine during the martial law. Overview of Criminal Procedure**

Valentyn Gvodziy, Vice President of the Ukrainian National Bar Association, Ukraine

10h00

**Keynote Speeches**

*Chair: Miroslav Krutina, Defence lawyer, Czechia*

- Aigars Strupišs, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Latvia
- Juris Jansons, Ombudsman of Latvia
- Aldis Laviņš, Chairman of the Constitutional Court of Latvia
- Jānis Rozenbergs, President of the Latvian Council of Sworn Advocates



10h45

*Coffee break*

11h15

**Panel 1 - Confiscation and seizure of assets in criminal proceedings**

- *Chair:* Arturas Gutauskas, Defence lawyer, Lithuania
  - Kristina Grunte, Prosecutor of the Anti-Money Laundering Coordination Unit  
General Prosecutor's Office, Latvia
  - Carla Reyes, Defence lawyer, Switzerland
  - Violeta Zeppa Priedite, Defence lawyer, Latvia
- Q&A

12h15

*Lunch Break*

13h45

**Human Rights and lawyers in the Russian Federation**

Sergei Golubok, Defence lawyer, Russian Federation (temporarily in EU)

14h00

**ECBA Activities**

*Chair: Neil Swift, Defence lawyer, UK*

- Human Rights Committee: Alexis Anagnostakis, Defence lawyer, Greece
- Anti-corruption in Europe (ACE) - Amedeo Barletta, Defence lawyer, Italy
- EPPO Working Group: Rosa van Zijl, Defence lawyer, The Netherlands
- European Arrest Warrant: Elise Martin-Vignerte, Defence lawyer, Ireland
- Extradition Forum: Hans van de Wal, Defence lawyer, Belgium
- Roadmap 2020/ Procedural Safeguards: Miroslav Krutina, Defence lawyer,  
Czechia
- Ukraine Justice Alliance (guest speaker): Ben Brandon, Defence lawyer, UK

14h30

**Panel 2 - EPPO activity**

*Chair: Vincent Asselineau, Defence lawyer, France*

- Frédéric Baab, European Prosecutor, France
  - Cécile Soriano, Delegated European Prosecutor, France
  - Giulia Guagliardi, Defence lawyer, Italy  
President of the European Young Bar Association
  - Rosa van Zijl, Defence lawyer, The Netherlands
- Q&A



15h30

*Coffee Break*

16h00

**Panel 3 - Attorney - Client privilege**

*Chair: James MacGuill, Defence lawyer, Ireland*

*President of the CCBE*

- Dian Brouwer, Defence lawyer, The Netherlands
- Jaime Campaner, Defence lawyer, Spain
- Rebecca Niblock, Defence lawyer, UK
- Jaanus Tehver, Defence lawyer, Estonia

Q&A

17h00

**General Assembly**

17h15

**End of Conference**

19h00

**Dinner (optional)**

**Venue: 3 Pavari**

Address: Jacobs Barrique 2 B, Torna street 4, Riga, LV-1050

Sunday 24 April

10h00 – 12h00

**Riga Walking Tour offered by MeetRiga**

**Meeting point: Radisson Blu Hotel**

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