


# Introductory Level Seminar – Basic Concepts and Procedures for Young Authority Staff

 Budapest, Hungary

 15 – 18 May 2018

## Seminar objectives

This beginner level seminar will give young authority staff the chance to get more familiar with basic competition law concepts. We will highlight cartels, mergers and abuse of dominance and will address basic legal and economic theories as well as procedural requirements and interesting cases. The international component of competition law enforcement will also be presented. The participants will have a chance to apply and deepen their knowledge in practical exercises and to become more familiar with different areas of competition law. Experienced practitioners from OECD countries will share their knowledge and engage in a lively exchange with the participants.

## Agenda

### Tuesday – 15 May 2018

09.00-09.45	<b>OPENING REMARKS, GROUP PHOTO AND INTRODUCTION</b> Mr József Sárái (GVH, Budapest)
09.45-11.15	<b>INTRODUCTION TO COMPETITION LAW</b> William E. Kovacic (George Washington University/King's College London)
11.15-11.30	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
11.30-12.45	<b>THE FINE PRINT – BASIC PROCEDURAL RIGHTS AND RULES</b> Work in breakout groups and group discussion
12.45-14.00	<b>LUNCH</b>
14.00-15.15	<b>HYPOTHETICAL CASE EXERCISE – MARKET DEFINITION</b> Ms Sabine Zigelski (OECD, Paris)

<b>15.15-15.30</b>	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>15.30-16.45</b>	<b>MARKET DEFINITION AND MARKET POWER</b> Ms Patricia Brink (US Department of Justice, Washington)
<b>19.00-21.00</b>	<b>DINNER</b>

## Wednesday, 16 May 2018

<b>09.30-10.45</b>	<b>MERGER CONTROL</b> Ms Zsofia Nagy (GVH, Budapest)
<b>10.45-11.00</b>	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>11.00-12.00</b>	<b>BEST OF ... EU CASES AND EU CASE LAW - MERGERS</b> Mr José-Maria Carpi-Badia (European Commission, Brussels)
<b>12.00-13.30</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>
<b>13.30-15.00</b>	<b>HYPOTHETICAL CASE EXERCISE – A MERGER INVESTIGATION</b> Ms Sabine Zigelski (OECD, Paris)
<b>15.00-15.15</b>	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>15.15-16.45</b>	<b>MERGER INVESTIGATIONS – QUICK &amp; DIRTY</b> Ms Eva-Maria Schulze (Bundeskartellamt, Bonn)
<b>18.00</b>	<b>SOCIAL EVENT</b>

## Thursday, 17 May 2018

<b>09.30-11.00</b>	<b>HYPOTHETICAL CASE EXERCISE – ABUSE OF DOMINANCE</b> Ms Sabine Zigelski (OECD, Paris)
<b>11.00-11.15</b>	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>11.15-12.15</b>	<b>ABUSE OF DOMINANCE</b> Ms Patricia Brink (US Department of Justice, Washington)
<b>12.15-13.30</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>
<b>13.30-14.30</b>	<b>BEST OF ... EU CASES AND EU CASE LAW – ABUSE CONTROL</b> Mr José-Maria Carpi-Badia (European Commission, Brussels)

**14.30-15.15**            **VERTICAL RESTRAINTS OF COMPETITION**

Ms Sabine Zigelski (OECD, Paris)

**15.15-15.30**            **COFFEE BREAK**

**15.30-16.45**            **BOOKING PLATFORMS AND SPORTS SHOES**

Ms Eva-Maria Schulze (Bundeskartellamt, Bonn)

**19.00-21.00**            **DINNER**

## **Friday, 18 May 2018**

**09.30-10.30**            **HORIZONTAL RESTRAINTS**

Mr José-Maria Carpi-Badia (European Commission, Brussels)

**10.30-10.45**            **COFFEE BREAK**

**10.45-11.45**            **HARD-CORE CARTELS**

Ms Patricia Brink (US Department of Justice, Washington)

**11.45-12.30**            **INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION IN COMPETITION CASES**

Ms Sabine Zigelski (OECD, Paris)

**12.30-13.00**            **DISCUSSION AND CLOSING REMARKS**

**13.00-14.00**            **LUNCH**

**19.00-21.00**            **DINNER**