

Balancing

the Protection of Foreign Investors
and States' Responses
in the Post-Pandemic World:
New Emergencies and Challenges

BOOK LAUNCH

7 October 2022
14:00–16:00 (CEST)

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Introduction by the editors 🕒 14:00–14:15

Dr. Yulia Levashova & Dr. Pascale Accaoui Lorfing

Mr. James Zhan (UNCTAD): Keynote address

Prof. Kiran Gore (George Washington University): Moderator



Prof. Kiran Gore



Mr. James Zhan

Panel I: State's perspective 🕒 14:15–14:45

Prof. Alessandra Asteriti (Leuphana University): State Covid-19 measures one year after: an appraisal

Dr. Pascale Accaoui Lorfing (CREDIMI): Force majeure & national security interest tools in times of crisis

Prof. Sara Pugliese (University of Naples "Parthenope"): FDI control between the EU and national procedures



Prof. Alessandra Asteriti



Dr. Pascale Accaoui Lorfing



Prof. Sara Pugliese

Panel 2: Investor's perspective 🕒 14:45–15:15

Dr. Yulia Levashova (Nyenrode Business University): Protection of the legitimate expectations of foreign investors in times of crisis

Ms. Gisele Stephens Chu (Stephens Chu Dispute Resolution): Discrimination claims in times of global crises

Dr. Ilya Rachkov (Nektorov, Saveliev & Partners): How can foreign investors navigate in the context of sanctions without going to the day?



Dr. Yulia Levashova



Ms. Gisele Stephens Chu



Dr. Ilya Rachkov

Panel 3: Global & regional perspectives 🕒 15:15–15:45

Mr. Hamed el Kady (UNCTAD): International investment agreements reform in a new era of global challenges

Mr. Martin Dietrich Brauch (Columbia Center on Sustainable Investment): Aligning international investment law with climate action

Ms. Munia El Harti Alonso (Xtrategy LLP): Latin America as a catalyst for Covid-19 related investment disputes: a focus on Mexico's energy reform



Mr. Hamed El Kady



Mr. Martin Dietrich Brauch



Ms. Munia El Harti Alonso

Q&A session 🕒 15:45–16:00