

# FLORENCE CONFERENCE ON THE REGULATION OF RAILWAYS

Villa Schifanoia, Via Boccaccio 121 - Florence

**16 - 17 NOVEMBER 2018**

## ■ PROGRAMME

### 16 NOVEMBER

08.45 - 09.00 *Welcome coffee*

09.00 - 09.15 Introduction to the Conference (Sala Europa)

#### **SESSION 1 - COMPETITION IN THE MARKET (SALA EUROPA)**

Discussant

**Patricia Perennes** | Regions de France

09.15 - 10.00 Regulatory Challenges for Open Access Passenger Rail Competition in the Czech Republic

**Tomeš Zdeněk** | Masaryk University

10.00 - 10.45 Main Causes of Success of Italian Open Access Competition on High Speed Railway Market and Its Comparison with the French Market

**Carlos Augusto Olarte Bacares** | SNCF Réseau

10.45 - 11.00 *Coffee break*

#### **SESSION 2 - COMPETITION IN THE MARKET (SALA EUROPA)**

Discussant

**Patricia Perennes** | Regions de France

11.00 - 11.40 Competition in Railway Passenger Services in Europe: the Experience of Small and Medium Size Newcomers in Long Distance Services

**Rodolfo Ramos** | CEDEU-King Juan Carlos University

**Juan Montero** | European University Institute / National University of Distance Education

- 11.40 - 12.20 Competition Law Challenges in Domestic Rail Passenger Services  
**Mariarosaria Ganino** | Martínez Lage, Allendesalazar & Brokelmann, SLP
- 12.20 - 13.00 Effects of Inter- and Intra-Modal Competition on Prices and Frequencies in the Railway Markets: Evidence from Europe  
**Florent Laroche** | University of Lyon 2
- 13.00 - 14.00 *Lunch*

### **SESSION 3 - OTHER MODELS OF COMPETITION (SALA EUROPA)**

Discussant

**Juan Montero** | European University Institute / National University of Distance Education

- 14.00 - 14.45 Towards Rail-related Multimodal Digital Freight Exchange Platforms: Exploring Regulatory Topics at EU Level  
**Anuradha Jain** | Institute of Management Research, Radboud University
- 14.45 - 15.30 Road to Competition in the Regional Railways Sector  
**Giannalberto Mazzei** | Macchi di Cellere Gangemi Law Firm
- 15.30 - 16.00 Coffee break

### **PARALLEL SESSION 4 - ROLE OF REGULATORY AGENCIES AND REGULATION (SALA EUROPA)**

Discussant

**Matthias Finger** | Florence School of Regulation, RSCAS, EUI / Chair MIR, EPFL

- 16.00 - 16.45 The Mismatch of National Governance Mechanisms in Cross-Border Passenger Rail Transport - Which Role for Regulation? Examples from German-Polish and German-Czech Border Regions  
**Anja Schmotz** | Technische Universität Dresden
- 16.45 - 17.30 The Institutional Design of Client Bodies in Short-distance Rail Services and Its Effects on Service Quality  
**Daniel Herfurth** | University of Constance

### **PARALLEL SESSION 5 - ROLE OF REGULATORY AGENCIES AND REGULATION (SALA TRIARIA)**

Discussant

**Juan Montero** | European University Institute / National University of Distance Education

- 16.00 - 16.45 Some Issues on the Access to the Lease Market of Railway Rolling Stock in Spain  
**Ciara Vicente Mampel** | Institute for Transport Law (IDT) at Jaume I-University of Castellón
- 16.45 - 17.30 On Which Grounds Could We Build a Regulation of Rail Maintenance Workshops?  
**Pierre Messulam** | French Railways Mass transit BU

**17 NOVEMBER      PARALLEL SESSION 6 - ROLE OF REGULATORY AGENCIES AND REGULATION (SALA EUROPA)**

Discussant

**Matthias Finger** | Florence School of Regulation, RSCAS, EUI / Chair MIR, EPFL

09.00 - 09.45      Bureaucratic Control Reversed. The Influence of Independent Regulators over the Liberalisation of the Railways

**Luca Bellodi** | University College London

09.45 - 10.30      Regulating Rail Investment and Social Preferences: Recent Trends Regarding Climate Change

**Alain Quinet** | SNCF Réseau

**PARALLEL SESSION 7 - ECONOMIC PERSPECTIVE (SALA TRIARIA)**

Discussant

**Chris Nash** | Institute for Transport Studies, University of Leeds

09.00 - 09.45      Potential Effects of Changes in Railway Access Charge Regimes: An Italian Case Study

**Luca Rizzetto** | University of Rome "La Sapienza"

09.45 - 10.30      Competition in the Railway Passenger Market. The Challenge of Liberalisation

**Carlos Gutiérrez-Hita** | Universitas Miguel Hernandez & Nebrija University

10.30 - 10.45      *Coffee break*

**SESSION 8 - FINAL SESSION (SALA EUROPA)**

Discussant

**Juan Montero** | European University Institute / National University of Distance Education

10.45 - 11.30      The Liberalization Process of European Railways. The Convergence between Normative Progress and Operational Developments

**Aurora Ruiz-Rua** | Universidad Nebrija de Madrid

11.30 - 12.15      Developments in Rail Regulation in Britain

**Chris Nash** | Institute for Transport Studies, University of Leeds

12.15 - 12.30      Concluding remarks

12.30 - 13.15      *Buffet lunch*