

## **Access to Law and Justice: European Bar Associations and Lawyers on the Front Line**

Friday, October 2nd, 2020, Auditorium of the *Maison du Barreau*  
2 rue de Harlay 75001 Paris

**09:00 am – 09:30 am** Welcome coffee in the hall of the *Maison du Barreau*

**09:30 am – 09:45 am** **Opening - Inaugural speeches**

Olivier Cousi, Dean of the Paris Bar

Silvia Giménez-Salinas, President of the European Bars Federation (FBE)

Christiane Féral-Schuhl, President of the French National Bar Council

**09:45 am – 11:00 am** **Legal Aid: the mission of bar associations and the lawyers' mainspring**

Moderator: Hélène Fontaine, President of the French *Conférence des Bâtonniers*, Former Dean of the Lille Bar

Speakers:

Maria Eugenia Gay, Dean of the Barcelona Bar

Peter Hanenberg, Dean of the Rotterdam Bar

Marianne Lagrue, Member of the Paris Bar Council

Michele Lucherini, President of the Access to Justice commission of the FBE, former President of the FBE

**11:00 am – 12:15 am** **Defence of victims of terrorists' attacks: cooperation between European criminal and civil lawyers**

Moderator: Dominique Attias, First Vice President of the FBE, former Vice Dean of the Paris Bar

Speakers:

Aude Rimailho and Frédéric Bibal, Lawyers at the Paris Bar

X. Lawyer at the Brussels Bar (tbc)

Carlos Villacorta Salís, Lawyer at the Madrid and Bordeaux Bars

Patrick Maguire, Solicitor at the Law Society of England and Wales (tbc)

12:15 am – 2:00 pm Standing lunch in the *Salons* of the *Maison du Barreau* (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)

**02:00 pm – 03:15 pm Public health crises: bar associations and lawyers at the heart of the new challenges**

Moderator: Nezhil Ülkekel, Member of the Rechtsanwaltskammer Berlin Bar Council

Speakers:

Charles Joseph-Oudin, Lawyer at the Paris Bar

Marian Fogarty, Solicitor at the Law Society of Ireland

Silina Pavlakis, Lawyer at the Athens Bar

Ugo Taddei, Lawyer, Clientearth

François Lafforgue, Lawyer at the Paris Bar

**03:15 pm – 04:30 pm The necessary commitment of bar associations and lawyers to the public: pro bono and solidarity**

Charles Bosvieux-Onyekwelu, Sociologist, Post-Doctoral Fellow at the *Laboratoire d'économie et de sociologie du travail* (Aix-Marseille Université - CNRS)

Ozgur Kahale, European Pro Bono Director, DLA Piper

Ruth de Miguel Sedano, Director CSR, Madrid Bar association

Filip Czernicki, Coordinator of the Warsaw Bar Association of Attorneys-at-Law pro bono programs

**04:30 pm Concluding remarks**

Silvia Giménez-Salinas, President of the European Bars Federation (tbc)