



## **Twenty-Third Annual Conference 2017**

### **Global Alliances: Policy considerations, Brexit and Competition Law**

**Thursday 2 November – Harbour Cruise - Visit to Elbphilharmonie - Reception and Dinner**

[CARLS an der Elbphilharmonie](#)

**Am Kaiserkai 69  
20457 Hamburg**

**&**

**Friday 3 November – Annual Conference**

[The NRV Yacht Club](#)  
**Schöne Aussicht 37  
22085 Hamburg**



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**Thursday 2 November**

**18.00 - 20.00 Harbour Cruise - Visit to Elbphilharmonie, meet at Steinberger Hotel**

**20.00 - 23.00 Reception and Dinner - Carls - Am Kaiserkai 69 - 20457 Hamburg**

**Friday 3 November**

**The NRV Yacht Club - Schöne Aussicht 37 - 22085 Hamburg**

**08.30 - 09.00 Registration and refreshments**

**09.00 - 17.00 Conference**

**We ask that you stay until the end of the conference as early departures are disruptive to the speakers and audience. Thank you.**

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**09.00-09.05 Welcome Address**

The Rt Hon Lord Phillips of Worth Matravers, KG  
*Chairman of EMLO*

**09.05-09.35 The European Approach:  
The state of play at the end  
of The European Maritime  
Year 2017 (1)**

Keynote Speaker: Magda Kopczynska  
*Director for Sustainability and Innovative  
Mobility DG MOVE, European Commission*

**09.35-10.00 From the Shipowners'  
Perspective (2)**

Keynote Speaker: Panos Laskaridis  
*Vice President and President elect of ECSA*

**10.00-10.25 Is Competition Law fit for  
purpose to challenge new UK  
maritime policies in a post  
hard Brexit era?**

Keynote Speaker: Gus Braakman  
*Secretary General of EMLO*

**10.25-10.55 Coffee**

**10.55-11.45 Shipping Finance- BASEL IV,  
shipping loans and the ECSA  
experience**

*Chair:* Jens V. Mathiasen, *Gorrissen Federspiel,  
Copenhagen*

*Panel:* Thomas de la Motte,  
*CMS Hasche Sigle, Hamburg*  
Marco Lopez de Gonzalo,  
*University of Milan*  
Christos Gortsos,  
*University of Athens*

**11.45-12.45 Global Alliances: Between  
policy considerations, merger  
controls and competition law**

*Chair:* Matthew Levitt, *Hogan Lovells  
International, Brussels*

*Panel:* John Butler, *World Shipping Council,  
Washington DC*

Mark Clough QC, *Dentons, Brussels*

Lamia Kerdjoudj-Belkaid,  
*FEPORT, Brussels*

Edith Müller, *Federal Cartel Office, Bonn*

**12.45-13.45 Lunch**

**13.45-14.45 Brexit: Initial thoughts on  
Brexit and maritime  
competition law**

*Chair:* Rob Murray, *Mishcon de Reya, London*

Mario Riccomagno, *MR International  
Lawyers, Genoa*

Chris Welsh MBE, *Global Shippers Forum,  
London*

**14.45-15.15 Cyber Security and  
Digitalisation**

Joe Hancock, *Mishcon de Reya, London*

**15.15-15.45 Afternoon Tea**

**15.45-16.55 Panel Discussion: Discussion  
of Keynote speeches and hot  
topics**

*Chair:* Fergus Randolph, *QC Brick Court  
Chambers, London*

*Panel:* Martin Kröger, *German Shipowners  
Association, Hamburg*

Martin André Dittmer, *Gorrissen  
Federspiel, Copenhagen*

Markus Schöner, *CMS Hasche Sigle,  
Hamburg*

**16.55 Conclusion by Lord Phillips**

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Am Kaiserkai 69, 20457 Hamburg

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