INSOL International
Academics’ Colloquium

13-15 July 2016
Grange St. Paul's Hotel, London
Invitation

I would like to warmly invite academics and practitioners alike to attend the International Colloquium of the INSOL Academics’ Group.

Since 1997 this meeting has provided a truly exceptional platform for meeting, discussing and networking between those within academia and those from the general membership of INSOL International. Colleagues from Universities and research institutes world-wide are able to come together with lawyers, accountants and other practitioners in order to exchange theoretical insights and practical observations, and to bring these elements together as significant, useful and commercially valuable perspectives on the global insolvency market.

Ours is a complex and specialist field and this is reflected in a superb programme, covering a diverse range of timely issues currently impacting corporations, banks, regulators, legislators and those in the professions.

I very much look forward to meeting colleagues old and new in London for two days of highly stimulating sessions.

Professor Rosalind Mason
Queensland University of Technology
Chair of the INSOL International Academics’ Group
Programme

Wednesday 13 July 2016

1800 – 1900 Registration & Pre-Dinner Drinks Reception
1900 – 2200 Welcome dinner The Crypt, 14 Ely Pl, London EC1N 8SJ

Thursday 14 July 2016

0830 – 0900 Delegate registration & Welcome morning break

0900 – 0910 Welcome and opening remarks
Adam Harris, Vice-President of INSOL International, Professor Rosalind Mason, Queensland University of Technology, Chair of the INSOL International Academics’ Group

Insights from theory into restructuring and phoenixing activity

0910 – 0935 Notions of fairness in debt restructuring
Assistant Professor Sarah Paterson, London School of Economics

0935 – 1000 Economic theory informing approaches to phoenix activity in small business: a neo-schumpeterian analysis
Anne Matthew, Queensland University of Technology

1000 – 1025 Corporate reorganisations of Chinese listed companies: Winners and Losers
Dr Zinian Zhang, University of Leeds

Insolvency issues and small business

1025 – 1050 The treatment of SMEs in bankruptcy across various systems
Professor Bruce Markell, Northwestern University School of Law

1050 – 1115 Retail, franchising and collective redundancies: an American, European and Australian study of social costs in insolvency
Associate Professor Jenny Buchan, University of New South Wales and Jenny Gant, Nottingham Trent University

1115 – 1145 Coffee break

Regional developments

1145 – 1210 A new European approach to business failure and insolvency
Professor Gerard McCormack, University of Leeds

1210 – 1235 The European Law Institute (Vienna) project re business rescue in insolvency law in the EU
Emeritus Professor Bob Wessels, Leiden University, and Professor Stephan Madaus, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

Cross-border insolvency issues

1235 – 1300 Principles of cross-border insolvency law - and their value for judges and legislators
Professor Reinhard Bork, University of Hamburg

1300 – 1400 Lunch

1400 – 1425 The Nortel international insolvency case: similarities between the Canadian and U.S. insolvency regimes
Professor John Pottow, University of Michigan

1425 – 1450 Chapter 11 in relation to non-US companies and the US court’s abstention jurisdiction
Professor Adrian Walters, Chicago-Kent College of Law

Global initiative on MSME insolvency

1450 – 1600 The need for a new framework for micro small and medium (MSME) enterprise insolvency – policy objectives and rationale
Dr Janis Sarra, University of British Columbia

The procedural framework for the treatment of MSME
Professor Stephan Madaus, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

The debtor’s obligations under the new framework
Dr Irit Mevorach, University of Nottingham

The treatment of employees in MSME Insolvency
Dr Ronald Davis, University of British Columbia

1600 – 1630 Coffee break

Doctoral students research forum

1630 – 1730 Asset sales and secured creditor control in restructuring: a comparison of the UK, US and Canadian models
Alfonso Nocilla, PhD Candidate, University College London

The enforcement of the movable mortgage within the insolvency proceedings
Andreea Hlihor, PhD Candidate, Buchareste University

Protection of small businesses facing debtors’ insolvency: the Italian way
Eugenio Vaccari, PhD Candidate, City University London

1730 Conclusion of day one
1900 – 2230 Dinner, Grange St Paul’s Hotel
Friday 15 July 2016

0830 – 08.50 Welcome morning break
The Milton Room, Floor -1 Grange St. Pauls Hotel

0850 – 0900 Welcome back
Professor Rosalind Mason, Queensland University of Technology, Chairman of the INSOL International Academics’ Group

Personal insolvency and social costs in insolvency

0900 – 0925
Personal insolvency law and the financial crisis: bankruptcy abuse prevention and bank protection?
Dr Joseph Spooner, London School of Economics

0925 – 0950
Comparative legal aspects in consumer insolvency in Europe
Dr. Veronika Sajadova, University of Geneva

0950 – 1015
Australian debtors and their experience of the fresh start potential of bankruptcy
Nicola Howell, Queensland University of Technology

1015 – 1040
A human rights approach to consumer credit
Associate Professor Chrystin Ondersma, Rutgers School of Law - Newark

1040 – 1105
The German Period of Good Conduct as a Requirement for Debt Relief (TO BE CONFIRMED)
Dr Katharina Möser, Birmingham Law School

1105 – 1135 Coffee break

Insolvency of financial institutions

1135 – 1200
The role of the UK deposit guarantee scheme following the EU bank resolution and recovery directive
Samantha Bewick, Fellow, INSOL International, KPMG LLP

1200 – 1225
Insolvency set-off in the aftermath of the banking crisis
Simon Duncan, Moon Beever and Guest Lecturer Queen Mary University of London

1225 – 1250
Carinthian crooks, a bankrupt bank and an (almost) bankrupt province
Professor Georg Kodek, Vienna University of Economics and Business

Law reform developments

1250 – 1315
Insolvency law reform in India: potential risks and rewards
Associate Professor Anil Hargovan, University of New South Wales

1315 – 1415 Lunch

Insolvency hot topics

1415 – 1440
Taking control: who should control the insolvency process?
Dr Colin Anderson, Queensland University of Technology

1440 – 1505
An evaluation of the role of creditors in insolvency proceedings
Donna McKenzie-Skene, University of Aberdeen and Professor David Burdette, Nottingham Trent University

1505 – 1530
The role of ethics in the regulation of the Insolvency Profession: A comparative analysis between South Africa and the UK?
Dr Lezelle Jacobs, University of the Free State, and Dr Alex Kastrinou, Nottingham Trent University

1530 – 1600 Coffee break

1600 – 1625
Assignments of book debts – outright transfers of rights or unregistered securities?
Professor Peter Walton, University of Wolverhampton

1625 – 1650
The powers and role of the Australian Commissioner of taxation in face of corporate distress
Associate Professor David Brown, University of Adelaide

Business meeting of the Academics’ group

1650 – 1700
Business meeting will include:
• 2017 Colloquium, 18 & 19 March 2017, Sydney
• Recognition of the winner of the Ian Strang Award
• Recognition of the INSOL Scholar 2016
• INSOL Taskforce 2021

1700 Colloquium Close
Registration Form

INSOL Academics’ Colloquium

Deadline for early registration fee: 16 May 2016

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The delegate registration fee includes entry to the technical sessions on Thursday 15, Friday 16 July, Meeting lunches on 15 and 16, the Welcome Dinner on Wednesday 13 July and the dinner on Thursday 14 July.

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24 Fleet St, London EC4Y 1AA
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Japanese Federation of Insolvency Professionals
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Russian Union of Self-Regulated Organizations of Arbitration Managers
Society of Insolvency Practitioners of India
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