Justice & Finance

GLawFiN Workshop

10 January 2014

This workshop will explore questions of justice in relation to finance, or more broadly, in relation to complex social systems that are largely man made (legally constructed), yet generate harmful effects that are difficult to predict ex ante and account for ex post. We have four guest speakers drawn from Philosophy and Law with expertise in areas as diverse as international taxation, unemployment, property rights, and the corporate form. Their contributions present an opportunity to learn more about their specific field of inquiry, but also to connect their work to aspects of the Legal Theory of Finance and develop ideas for future research that connects LTF more explicitly to theories of justice.

The workshop is open to participants in the YSI Winter School on Law and Finance

9.30 am – 10.45 am
Lisa Herzog, Property Rights in the Financial System
Comments: Dan Awrey

10.45 am - 11.00 am coffee break

11.00 am – 12.15 pm
Alan Morrison, Meta-Contracting, Regulation, and Corporate Governance: A Liberal Theory of the Firm
Comments: Brigitte Haar

12.15 pm – 13.45 pm lunch break

13.45 pm – 15.00 pm
Mark Reiff, On Unemployment (esp. pp, 132-162)
Comments: Katharina Pistor

15.00 pm – 15.15 pm coffee break
15.15 pm – 4.30 pm
Peter Dietsch (with Thomas Rixen), Tax Competition and Global Background Justice
Comments: Katharina Pistor

4.30pm – 5.30 pm
Justice in the Legal Theory of Finance: Open Discussion
Chair: Katharina Pistor

7.30 pm Dinner for guest speakers and GLawFiN members