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Family Law:
A comparative Approach
SYMPOSIUM
THURSDAY 18 APRIL 2024
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM
Richelieu Amphitheatre, SUAD Campus



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Department of Law, Economics and Management / **Symposium - 18 April 2024**

Family Law: a comparative approach.

10:30 am Welcome by the Vice-Chancelor, Pr. Nathalie Martial-Braz

10:45 am **Diana Hamade**, Attorney at Law,

"UAE Family Laws, Comparing the Non-Muslims to the Muslims law".

11:10 am **Dr. Lena-Maria Möller, Max Planck Institute,**

"Recent developments in the application of foreign family law in German courts"

11:35 am **Pr. Luc Grynbaum, Sorbonne Abu Dhabi University,**

"Situation of the children in the separation of parents, French Lawand UAE Law"

12 pm **Networking Cocktail**

The "Family Law: A Comparative Approach" symposium presents a unique opportunity to delve into the convergence of legal systems. Our esteemed panelists will commence by analyzing recent advancements in the integration of foreign, particularly Arab/Islamic, family law into German jurisprudence.

Within the UAE domain, there is significant focus on family laws and family courts, particularly as emerging laws and courts have become a focal point of the legislature. A comparison between the Non-Muslims to the Muslims law will be undertaken.

Furthermore, the symposium will illuminate the paramount issue of children's welfare amidst parental separation. Through a comparative lens, we will scrutinize the approaches adopted by French Law and UAE Law in addressing the needs of children navigating familial transitions.

This symposium promises to offer invaluable insights into the latest developments in Family Law.