

Internal Market Law of the European Union

Cases and Materials Riga 2005

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Wednesday 26 October 2005

18.00 - 19.30 Session No. 1

The internal market and the economic mechanisms for achieving an ever closer union

• The introduction will cover the economic background for the internal market, as well as the relation between the individual rights of free movement, and the links to other parts of EU law.

Reading

Craig & de Búrca p. 3-10, 580-583, 936-938, 1170-1203

Cases

19.30 - 21.00 Session No. 2

Technical and fiscal barriers to trade

The lecture on technical and fiscal barriers to trade will cover the different
prohibitions on restrictions in relation to the free movement of goods. The rule of
reason and its relation to the treaty exemptions will be explained, together with the
principles of subsidiarity and proportionality.

Reading

• Craig & de Búrca p. 613-641, 659-680

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Cases

•	Case 120/78, Judgment of the Court of 20 February 1979,	
	Rewe-Zentral, ECR p. 649	p. 040
•	Case 178/84, Judgment of the Court of 12 March 1987,	
	Germany, ECR p. 1227	p. 047
•	Case C-189/95, Judgment of the Court of 23 October 1997,	
	Franzén, ECR p. i-5909	p. 062

Friday 28 October 2005

18.00 - 19.30 Session No. 3

Advertising and consumer protection

• The seminar will explore the development of and limits to the Keck principle, with special emphasis on the issues of advertising and consumer protection.

Reading

• Craig & de Búrca p. 641-658

Cases

19.30 - 21.00 Session No. 4

Protection of intellectual property rights

• The seminar will examine the conflict of interests between the realisation of the internal market and the national character of many intellectual property rights, as well as the balance that the ECJ has tries to establish between the conflicting interests.

Reading

• Craig & de Búrca p. 1088-1122

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•	Case C-316/95, Judgment of the Court of 9 July 1997,	
	Generics, ECR p. i-3929	p. 100
•	Case C-349/95, Judgment of the Court of 11 November 1997,	
	Loendersloot, ECR p. i-6227	p. 110
•	Case C-61/97, Judgment of the Court of 22 September 1998,	
	Videogramdistributører, ECR p. i-5171	p. 122

Monday 31 October 2005

18.00 - 19.30 Session No. 5

Fiscal measures and environmental regulation

• The seminar will conclude the section of the course that is dedicated to the free movement of goods by looking at the application of the rules against fiscal barriers, especially in the field on protection of the environment.

Reading

• Craig & de Búrca p. 583-612

Cases

•	Case C-129/96, Judgment of the Court of 18 December 1997,
	Inter-Environnement Wallonie, ECR p. i-7411
•	Case C-389/00, Judgment of the Court (Fifth Chamber)
	of 27 February 2003, Germany, ECR not yet publishedp. 140
•	Case C-213/96, Judgment of the Court of 2 April 1998,
	Outokumpu Oy, ECR p. i-1777

19.30 - 21.00 Session No. 6

Development of the professional right of free movement

 The lecture will present the special issues related to the free movement of services and the right of establishment as contrasted against the right of free movement for goods.
 The gradual development of common standards will be exemplified by case law.

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Reading

• Craig & de Búrca p. 765-825

Cases

Tuesday 1 November 2005

18.00 - 19.30 Session No. 7

Free movement of television services

• The seminar will concentrate on the free movement of television services as the example of a service that in itself is capable of free movement.

Cases

- of 5 June 1997, VT4, ECR p. i-3143 p. 209

19.30 - 21.00 Session No. 8

Taxes and the right of establishment

• The seminar will explore the links between the harmonisation of company law and the realisation of the right to both primary and secondary establishment.

Cases

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Case C-212/97, Judgment of the Court of 9 March 1999, Centros, ECR p. i-1459 p. 231 Case 63/86, Judgment of the Court of 14 January 1988,

Friday 4 November 2005

18.00 - 19.30 Session No. 9

Free movement of persons

The lecture will highlight important recent developments and discuss the practical consequences of an area without internal borders in which the physical free movement is constantly getting easier and what this means for the law in the area. In this context the Schengen agreement and border control issues will be discussed.

Reading

Craig & de Búrca p. 701-765

Cases

Case C-369/90, Judgment of the Court of 7 July 1992, Micheletti, ECR p. i-4239 p. 250 Case C-85/96, Judgment of the Court of 12 May 1998, Martínez, ECR p. i-2691 p. 255 Case C-60/00, Judgment of the Court of 11 July 2002, Carpenter, ECR 2002, p. i-6279 p. 267

19.30 - 21.00 Session No. 10

Free movement of capital

The lecture will focus on a critical presentation of the relevant treaty provisions and secondary legislation, as well as the contribution of case law in the field of free movement of capital. Also considered will be tax issues relating to the free movement of capital

Reading

Craig & de Búrca p. 680-701

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•	Case C-302/97, Judgment of the Court of 1 June 1999,	
	Klaus Konle, ECR p. i-3099	p. 278
•	Case C-35/98 Judgment of the Court of 6 June 2000,	
	Staatssecretaris van Financien v B.G.M., ECR p. i-4071	p. 291
•	Case C-423/98, Judgment of the Court of 13 July 2000,	
	Albore, ECR p. i -5965	p. 303

Thursday 8 November 2005

18.00-19.30

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