

European Non-Discrimination Law
Seminar organised on the occasion of the publication of the
Handbook on European Non-discrimination Law

Strasbourg, 21 March 2011
European Court of Human Rights

AGENDA

- 9.00 – 9.30 Registration
- 9.30 – 9.45 Welcome and opening
- Jean-Paul Costa, President of the European Court of Human Rights
 - Morten Kjærum, Director of the European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights
- 9.45 – 11.00 Session I: *Principles of European non-discrimination law: achievements and challenges*
Moderator: Françoise Tulkens, Vice-President of the European Court of Human Rights
- Mark Butler, Lecturer in Law, Lancaster University, United Kingdom
 - Discussants: - Lech Garlicki, Judge of the European Court of Human Rights
- Egils Levits, Judge of the Court of Justice of the European Union
- 11.00 – 11.30 Coffee break
- 11.30 – 12.30 Discussion
- 12.30 – 13.45 Lunch
- 13.45 – 14.45 Session II: *Invoking and Applying the European non-discrimination principles at national level*
Moderator: Jean-Charles Sacotte, Member of the European Commission for Racism and Intolerance (ECRI)
- Xavier Prétot, Judge in extraordinary service with the Court of Cassation, associate professor, University of Paris-II, Panthéon-Assas, France
 - Discussants: - Victoria Vasey, Legal Director from the European Roma Rights Centre, Hungary
- Yannis Ktistakis, Lecturer of International Law, Lawyer-senior partner in Alivizatos & Associates Law Firm, Greece
- 14.45 – 15.00 Coffee break
- 15.00 – 16.00 Discussion
- 16.00 – 16.30 General Rapporteur: Paul Martens, President emeritus of the Belgian Constitutional Court