



## [Conference] Public interests without borders: investigating the EU's transnational ambitions

### DAY 1 – MARCH 4

**13:15– 13:30** *Opening*

- Antoine Duval and Christophe Paulussen (Asser Institute)

**13:30 – 15:00** *Panel 1 - Exporting Human rights and sustainability: Rethinking EU trade policy* – Chaired by Narin Idriz (Asser Institute)

- Peter Van Elsuwege (Ghent University)
- Saide Esra Akdogan (Wageningen University)
- Geraldo Vidigal (University of Amsterdam)

**15:00 – 15:30** *Coffee break*

**15:30 – 17:00** *Panel 2 - Harnessing private corporations as transnational governors of public interests: The EU's due diligence turn in value chain governance* – Chaired by Antoine Duval (Asser Institute)

- Kunhao Yang (European University Institute)
- Lena Parzsch (Freie Universität Berlin) and Michael Mason (London School of Economics)
- Rebecca Ravelli (Maastricht University)

**18:00** *Conference Diner*

### DAY 2 – MARCH 5

**09:00 – 10:30** *Panel 3- Policing human rights violations worldwide through EU sanctions* - Chaired by Eva Kassoti (Asser Institute)

- Clara Portela (University of Valencia)
- Alexandra Hofer (Utrecht University)
- Nathanael Tilahun (University of Essex)

**10:30 – 11:00** *Coffee break*

**11:00 – 12:30** *Panel 4 - A new form of colonialism? Interrogating the legitimacy of the EU's transnational ambitions* - Chaired by Stephanie Triefus (Asser Institute)

- Caroline Omari Lichuma (University of Luxembourg)
- Aravind Ganesh (University of Sussex)

**12:30 – 13:00** *Closing and next steps*

**13:00 – 14:00** *Lunch*