

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE IN BUDAPEST



**„Constitutional EUdentity 2019 unity in
diversity – common and particular values“**



International Conference
of the Constitutional Court of Hungary

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PROGRAMME

Thursday, March 7, 2019

During the day Foreign delegations arrive at the Liszt Ferenc
International Airport's VIP lounge

Transfer from the airport to the Sofitel Budapest Chain
Bridge hotel

Location at the hotel

19: 00-21: 00 Buffet Dinner at Sofitel

March 8, 2019, Friday

Breakfast at the hotel

09:00 Meeting in the lobby, walking from Sofitel to the
Hungarian Academy of Sciences

09:30-10:00 Opening Ceremony

Opening Remarks

9:30-9:40 President of the Republic, **János Áder**

9:40-9:50 Minister of Justice, **László Trócsányi**

9:50-10:00 President of Constitutional Court, **Tamás Sulyok**



Keynote Speeches

- 10:00-10:25 **Koen Lenaerts**, President of the European Court of Justice
EU identity as a way of promoting national identity.
- 10:25-10:50 **Andreas Voßkuhle**, President of the Federal Constitutional Court of Germany
Werteorientierung in der EU: Gift oder Medizin?
- 10:50 Coffee Break
- 11:15 Session 1
Chair: Christoph Grabenwarter
- 11: 15-11:30 **László Trócsányi**, Minister of Justice
- 11: 30-11:45 **Peter M. Huber**, Judge of the Federal Constitutional Court of Germany
Art. 2 EUV als Grundlage des Staaten- und Verfassungsverbundes der EU
- 11: 45-12: 00 **János Martonyi**, Professor, Former Minister of Foreign Affairs
Law and Identity in the European Integration



- 12: 00-12: 15 **Brigitte Bierlein**, President of the Austrian Constitutional Court
Verfassungsstaat und Verfassungsgerichtsbarkeit in der Europäischen Union.
- 12: 15-12: 30 **István Stumpf**, Judge of Constitutional Court
Constitutional Identity and European Values - Challenges of the Hungarian Constitutional Court
- 12: 30-12: 45 **Maarten Feteris**, President of the Supreme Court of the Netherlands
Should national courts offer more extensive protection of fundamental rights than the European Court of Human Rights?
- 13: 00-14: 30 Lunch at the restaurant of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences
- 14:30 Session 2
Chair: Francis Delaporte
- 14: 30-14:45 **Tamás Sulyok**, President of Constitutional Court
The Hungarian and the European Identity in the Jurisdiction of the Hungarian Constitutional Court
- 14: 45-15:00 **Pavel Rychetsky**, President of the Constitutional Court of the Czech Republic



Some remarks on Constitutional Judiciary, European Union and their Points of Contact

- 15: 00-15: 15 **András Zs. Varga**, Judge of Constitutional Court
Respect of national identities as european value – European aspects of constitutional identity of Hungary
- 15: 15-15:30 **Marta Cartabia**, Vice President of the Italian Constitutional Court
Dialogue between the Courts and the “Taricco Case Law.”
- 15: 30-15:45 **Ineta Ziemele**, President of the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Latvia
Can Constitutional Courts delimit European identity?
- 15: 45-16:00 **Rajko Knez**, President of the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Slovenia
Constitutional courts in search for attention to be heard - also with the perspective of the Slovenian Constitutional Court
- 16:00-16:15 Closing Remarks
- 16:30 Depart on foot or by bus from the Academy to the hotel
- 18:00 Meeting in the hotel lobby



Departure by minivan to the dinner venue (Parliament)

18:30 Visiting the Parliament (Guided Tour)

19:30 Official Dinner

appr.21:30 Back to the hotel

March 9, 2019, Saturday

Breakfast at the hotel

during the day Departures

Transfer from Sofitel Budapest Chain Bridge to the airport