



MPI-TAU Transnational Legal History Workshop

Fall Semester 2021-2022

Tuesdays 19.00–20.30 Frankfurt/20:00–21:30 Tel Aviv

Organizers and Moderators: Thomas Duve (MPI), David Schorr (TAU), Stefan Vogenauer (MPI)

Schedule (subject to change)

19 October James Whitman (Yale) From Masters of Slaves to Lords of Lands: Imagining Ownership in the Western World 26 October Jake Subryan Richards (LSE) The Warfare Origins of the Anti-Slave-Trade Legal Regime in the Atlantic World 2 November Elisabetta Fiocchi (Zurich) Transnational Entanglements in Land Law and Land Registration in the 19th Century Philip Bajon, Victoria Barnes & Emily Whewell (MPI) 9 November Global Legal Biography 16 November Manuel Bastias Saavedra (MPI) Global History and a Decentered History of Law 23 November **Tamara Morsel-Eisenberg (Harvard)** Rabbinic Responsa and Legal Communication 30 November Heikki Pihlajamäki (Helsinki) Transnational Elements in Colonial Laws: Spain, Portugal and the Netherlands 7 December Jessica Marglin (USC) Nationality Across the Mediterranean: Jews, Islamic Law, and Belonging in Tunisia 14 December David Schorr (TAU) The Society of Comparative Legislation and the Systemization of Legal Circulation Rabiat Akande (Osgoode) 4 January Decolonization by Codification: The Making of the 1958 Penal Code in Late Colonial Nigeria Paul du Plessis (Edinburgh) 11 January The Limits of Legal History

Sessions will be conducted on Zoom, and based on pre-circulated papers. To join or receive more information, please email mpitauwkshp@gmail.com.