Information Sharing and Data Protection in the Area of Freedom, Security and Justice
Towards Harmonised Data Protection Principles for Information Exchange at EU-level

Privacy and data protection in police work and law enforcement cooperation has always been a challenging issue.

Features
► First comprehensive overview of data exchange possibilities and data protection rights in the area of freedom, security and justice ► Evaluates for the first time data protection rights in this special area after the Lisbon Treaty entered into force ► Includes suggestions for improvements which would improve the respect of the right to data protection in the field of data exchange in the area of freedom, security and justice

Contents
Introduction.- Data Protection Standard in the AFSJ.- AFSJ Actors in the Light of the European Data Protection Standard.- Cooperation and Data Exchange of the AFSJ Actors and Their Compliance with the European Data Protection Standard.- Perspectives and Suggestions for Improvement.- Concluding Remarks.

Fields of interest
European Law/Public International Law; Criminal Law; Constitutional Law

Target groups
Research

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Outer Space
An Ever Growing Issue in Society and Politics

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**eHealth: Legal, Ethical and Governance Challenges**

**Contents**

**Fields of interest**
Medical Law; Health Informatics; Quality of Life Research

**Target groups**
Professional/practitioner

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R. Lee, Schweizer Kobras, Sydney, NSW, Australia

**Law and Regulation of Commercial Mining of Minerals in Outer Space**

This monograph addresses the legal and policy issues relating to the commercial exploitation of natural resources in outer space.

**Features**
► First multidisciplinary approach to the discussion on regulating commercial space mining
► Detailed analysis of the economic, technical and physical feasibility of commercial space mining
► Proposes a new regulatory regime based on balancing policy interests within existing treaty frameworks

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List of Figures.- List of Tables.- Glossary.- Table of Abbreviations.- Table of Reports, Series and Journal Titles.- Acknowledgements.- Chapter I Introduction and Overview.- Chapter II Economic and Technical Prospects of Mining on Celestial Bodies.- Chapter III State Responsibility and Liability for Compliance with International Space Law.- Chapter IV Rights and Duties in the Commercial Exploration and Extraction of Mineral Resources on Celestial Bodies.- Chapter V Exploitation Rights: Evolving from the "Province of Mankind" to the "Common Heritage of Mankind".- Chapter VI Meeting the Challenges and Balancing the Competing Interests in Creating a Legal and Regulatory Framework.- Chapter VII Concluding Observations.- References.- Index.

**Fields of interest**
Air and Space Law; Mineral Resources; International & Foreign Law/Comparative Law

**Target groups**
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P. Mäntysaari, Hanken School of Economics, Vasa, Finland

**Organising the Firm**

**Theories of Commercial Law, Corporate Governance and Corporate Law**

The theoretical basis of commercial law, corporate governance law, and corporate law is still unsatisfactory. There essentially is no theory of commercial law, and existing theories of corporate governance and corporate law cannot explain the behaviour of firms or the contents of existing regulation. This book proposes a coordinated solution for all three areas. The starting point is that all three areas deal with the organisation of firms.

**Features**
► Provides a theoretical basis for commercial law teaching and research
► Helps to explain a broad range of legal phenomena
► Challenges the shareholder primacy model
► Contains a special chapter on self-enforcing governance models as a way to increase sustainability
► Contains a special chapter on the effect of governance models on innovation

**Contents**

**Fields of interest**
Commercial Law; Industrial Organization; Law Theory/Law Philosophy

**Target groups**
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Insurers Systems in Times of Climate Change

Insurance of Buildings Against Natural Hazards

Natural disasters such as large-scale flooding are on the increase. Climate change directly affects our basis of existence. This includes residential buildings, and commercial and industrial properties. The author highlights the requirements that will have to be met by a protection system for buildings in the future. Insurance against natural hazards lies at the heart of such a system. The insurance systems of Germany, France, Spain, Switzerland and the USA are presented. The author explains what type of insurance system is best suited to meet the challenge of climate change. The starting point of the legal section is statutory insurance with a monopoly. The question of whether such insurance is compatible with Swiss and EU law is examined.

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Challenge: Climate Change as the Starting Situation.- Global Climate Change.- Climate Change in Switzerland.- Consequences for Insurance Against Natural Hazards.- Insurance Systems Today.- Types of Insurance Systems.- Germany.- France.- Spain.- Switzerland.- USA.- Interim Conclusion - Suitable Protection System Against Natural Hazards in Response to Climate Change.- Overview of Requirements.- The Appropriate Response to Climate Change.- Legitimacy of Statutory Insurance Against Natural Hazards.- Admissibility Under Swiss Law.- EU Compatibility of the KGV Statutory Insurance System.

Fields of interest

International & Foreign Law/Comparative Law; European Law/Public International Law

Target groups

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Cost and Fee Allocation in Civil Procedure

A Comparative Study

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- A unique insight representing more than 60% of the world population
- Invaluable guide to academics and practitioners on the implications of cost and fee allocation
- Explains the similarities and differences between the systems

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Fields of interest

International & Foreign Law/Comparative Law; Civil Procedure Law; Civil Law

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