

Workshop Liability and Insurance

Ius Commune Conference 2010

Friday, 26 November (09.00 – 12.00)

Location: Tiensestraat 41

Room: 01.25

Participants

Thema: The power of punitive damages

Chair: Herman Cousy (Leuven University)

09.00 – 09.10 **Herman Cousy** (Leuven University)
Opening remarks

09.10 – 09.45 **Louis Visscher** (Erasmus University Rotterdam)
The law and economics of punitive damages in tort law

09.45 – 10.20 **Lodewijk Smeehuijzen** (Free University of Amsterdam)
"Bad faith"-insurers and punitive damages

10.20 – 10.30 Short discussion/questions

10.30 – 10.55 Break

10.55 – 11.30 **Daily Wuyts & Emily Nordin** (University of Antwerp)
The insurability of punitive damages under Belgian law

11.30 – 12.00 Group discussion on all previous lectures