

Crossed Views on the Digital Service Marketplace in Japan and in Europe



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Programme

Opening: 1.00 pm

Prof. Anne Weyembergh (ULB) - *Vice-Rector for International Affairs*

First session: 1.15 – 2.45 pm

Chair: Prof. Isabelle Rorive (ULB)

- **Consumer Affairs Agency in Japan:** Role of Consumer Agency in Japan and Comparative Research on Consumer Legislation in a Digital Society project (10')
- **Prof. Noriko Kawawa (Doshisha University):** Liability of Online Platforms in Japan - First Case Against Amazon Japan G.K. Is the Current Legal System Enough to Protect Consumers from Unsafe Products Sold on Digital Platforms? (30')
- **Prof. Keita Baba (Kansai University):** Une analyse comparative du contrat de fourniture de contenus et de services numériques en droit japonais et en droit européen (30')

Discussion (15') - Break (5')

Second session: 2.45 – 4.00 pm

Chair: Prof. Noriko Kawawa (Doshisha)

- **Dr. Louise Fromont (ULB):** Protecting EU Citizens and Consumers in the Digital Single Market: The Example of the AI Legislation (30')
- **Prof. Gregory Lewkowicz (ULB):** Technical Standards as a Tool to Protect Fundamental Rights in the EU Digital Single Market: from the Digital Service Act to the Artificial Intelligence Act (30')

Discussion (15')

Coffee & Tea time: 4.00 – 5.00 pm