



**International Doctoral Workshop**  
**Law and Social Change**  
**Second Edition**  
**Rome, 3-4 October 2024**

The Doctoral Program of Law & Social Change and Roma Tre Law Review are pleased to announce that **registration is open** for the second edition of the International Doctoral Workshop, which will take place on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> and Friday 4<sup>th</sup> of October 2024. The event aims to foster the collective discussion and academic exchange of doctoral candidates' projects with their peers and academic staff. It allows participants to gain valuable feedback and promote their work within the extended academic community.

Upon evaluation, the papers presented may be published as contributions in the volume of the conference published by Rome TrE-Press or in Roma Tre Law Review as a stand-alone article. More information on the Roma TrE-Press Project on the following [link](#), while information on Roma Tre Law Review is available at the following [link](#).

**Who can attend?**

Applicants should be Ph.D. candidates, post-doctoral researchers or young researchers in the Law Department of Roma Tre University or in the Law Department of a partner University or Institution. Applicants from other Universities may be considered depending upon available places and relevance to the research themes of the program.

**Themes**

The Doctoral Workshop encourages innovative research that looks at law and legal culture - as well as the processes of law production and application - with cross-cutting perspectives with respect to different dimensions of law: national and supranational, public and private, substantive and procedural, formal and informal.

The Doctoral Workshop is open to any disciplinary field as long as they seek to understand the current social challenges for Law on the global stage. The **main themes**, and non-exhaustive **subtopics**, discussed within the Workshop will be:

- Digital Transformation of Law:

- AI and Algorithms in Law-Making and Decision-Making Procedures,
- Regulations of Digital Platforms and Data Sharing,
- Digital Consumer Protection and Digital Market Regulation.
- Online Dispute Resolution in Cross-Border Litigation.
- Transnational Legal Theory:
  - Legal Theory,
  - Transnational Perspectives in Criminal Law.
- Freedom of Speech, Media and Courts:
  - Intellectual Property Law,
  - Online Dispute Resolution in Cross-Border Litigation.
- Global Protection of Human Rights:
  - International and Transnational Regulations of Migrations,
  - Health Law in the Post-Pandemic era,
  - Gender Equality.
- Sustainability meets Law:
  - International and Transnational Protection of the Environment,
  - Energy Law in the Age of Climate Action,
  - Just Green Transition and Environmental Equity.
- € Contributions can consist of either a presentation of the candidate's research project in its most advanced stage or the discussion of a specific paper related to it.

### **Registration / Cost coverage**

The workshop is free of charge. Participants from partner Universities should bear their own costs of travel and accommodation. However, for a limited number of participants from abroad, the University of Roma Tre may be able to assist with accommodation in Rome. This option will be available on a first come first serve basis, and to participants only, further information on this may be obtained from the organizers.

### **Application**

In order to be selected, prospect participants should submit the attached **form** filled out with their **personal information** and an **abstract** of the paper they intend to present at the Workshop. All abstracts should be submitted in English as this will be the conference's official language. Abstracts should be no longer than 300 words, and sent before the **30<sup>th</sup> of June 2024** to the following e-mail address: [\*\*livia.siclari@uniroma3.it\*\*](mailto:livia.siclari@uniroma3.it)

Selected applicants will be notified no later than the 14<sup>th</sup> of July 2024.

The final draft of the paper should be uploaded on a specifically created Google Drive Folder - the link will be provided upon confirmation of participation - before 28<sup>th</sup> of September 2024. The length of the paper should be between 5.000 and 10.000 words (footnotes excluded).

## **Outline of the Workshop**

Papers will be presented as part of a thematic round table. Presentations should last a maximum of 15 minutes and will be followed by a general discussion chaired by a researcher or professor in the relevant field (about 20 minutes).

## **Contact details**

If you have any particular request concerning the Workshop, please contact the organization committee at: [walteralberto.abalonia@uniroma3.it](mailto:walteralberto.abalonia@uniroma3.it); [teresa.balduzzi@uniroma3.it](mailto:teresa.balduzzi@uniroma3.it); [guerino.biasucci@uniroma3.it](mailto:guerino.biasucci@uniroma3.it); [federico.bonito@uniroma3.it](mailto:federico.bonito@uniroma3.it); [beatrice.bichiruspolifortguerri@uniroma3.it](mailto:beatrice.bichiruspolifortguerri@uniroma3.it) ; [livia.siclari@uniroma3.it](mailto:livia.siclari@uniroma3.it)

Thank you for your interest in the Workshop. We look forward to receiving your contributions and to welcoming you to Rome.

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**Application Form**

<b>Name</b>	
<b>Family Name</b>	
<b>Date of Birth</b>	
<b>University/Institution</b>	
<b>Gender</b> (only if interested in accommodation with another participant)	
<b>Allergies/dietary restrictions</b>	
<b>Role</b> (PhD candidate, Post-doc; Researcher)	
<b>Working-title of the Paper</b>	
<b>Keywords (max 5)</b>	
<b>Abstract (max 300 words)</b>	