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Conference on the Doha Round of the World Trade Organization (WTO)

If you want to be informed about

- how the German/EC trade policy will and should be facilitated internationally,
- how the WTO Members will tackle with poverty and capacity building of the Third World,
- how health, social standards and environment will be taken care of in the trade liberalization under the WTO, and
- how the dispute settlement of the WTO should be reformed,

you should come to the first and only German post-International Law Association-conference (following the ILA conference in Berlin, 16 – 22 August), taking place in the “global village” Büdingen (near Frankfurt/Main) on WTO-law with the subject:

Implementing the Doha Round of the World Trade Organization (WTO) In the Chateau of Büdingen on 23/24 August 2004

You will have the unique opportunity to share your own trade experience with leading

- practitioners (companies, attorneys, associations, and international organizations)
- and scholars
- both: coming from: Japan, Germany, Europe, and USA

Don't miss the chance to register very soon with the enclosed registration sheet, since only a very few places are available.

Programme

Monday 23 August 2004:

- 12.00 – 13.30: finger food snacks
13.30 – 14.00: **Opening speeches** by: Earl Wolfgang Ernst of Ysenburg and Büdingen; Mayor of Büdingen Erich Spamer, CEO of Gießen Chamber of Commerce Hans-Jürgen Pohl
14.00 – 15.00: **Development Policy of the WTO**, with presentations by: Prof. Thilo Marauhn (University of Gießen), Prof. Asif Qureshi (University of Manchester), and Maike Ushikawa (WTO Geneva, - not yet confirmed by WTO -)
15.00 – 15.30: Discussion
15.30 – 16.00: coffee break



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- 16.00 – 17.00: **Trade Facilitation, Competition and Trade Policy of Germany and EC**, with presentations by: Knut Brünjes (BMW, German Federal Ministry of Economy Berlin), Guido Glania (BDI, Federal German Association of Industry Brussels), Harald Hohmann (Hohmann & Partner and University Frankfurt) and Prof. Karl Meessen (University Jena)
- 17.00 – 17.30: Discussion
- 17.30 – 18.15: Chateau of Büdingen (guided tour with Jürgen Dzick)
- 18.15 – 19.00: Cocktail reception in the law firm Hohmann & Partner
- 19.15 – 22.30: Home entertainment with Barbecue
- 23.00 – 24.00: guided night tour through the old city of Büdingen

Tuesday 24 August 2004:

- 09.00 – 10.30: **Reform of the Dispute Settlement**, with presentations by: Marc Clough, QC (Ashurst, London), Hans-Joachim Prieß (Freshfields, Berlin/Brussels), Wolfgang Weiss (University of Bayreuth), Eric White (EC Commission Brussels)
- 10.30 – 10.45: Discussion
- 10.45 – 11.15: coffee break
- 11.15 – 12.45: **Health, Environment, and Social Standards**, with presentations by: Andreas Blüthner (BASF Ludwigshafen), Prof. Mitsuo Matsushita (former member of WTO Appellate Body, now: Nagashima Ohno & Tsunematsu, and Seikei University), Prof. Shinya Murase (Sophia University Tokyo), Prof. Satoru Taira (Osaka City University).
- 12.45 – 13.15: Discussion
- 13.15 – 14.30: Lunch (Restaurant of the Chateau)

Chairman of the first day: Prof. Eckard Pache (University of Würzburg) and Harald Hohmann
Chairman of the second day: Prof. Satoru Taira and Harald Hohmann

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