

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE – CROATIAN COMPETITON DAY New trends in merger control and compliance with competition rules in the digital environment

Hotel Dubrovnik, (Ban Zrinski Conference Hall), Zagreb 7 November 2025 9.00 – 14.00

09.00 Registration

09.30 Welcoming addresses

- Mirta Kapural, PhD, President of the Competition Council, Croatian Competition Agency
- Irena Weber, Director General, Croatian Employers' Association
- Marina Rožić, Secretary General, Croatian Chamber of the Economy
- Damir Habijan, Minister of Justice, Public Administration and Digital Transformation (TBC)
- Ante Šušnjar, Minister of Economy and Sustainable Development (TBC)

10.00 Keynote speech

- Ori Schwartz, Head of the Competition Division, OECD

10.30 Panel I: New trends in merger control

Moderator: Prof. Siniša Petrović, PhD, University of Zagreb, Faculty of Law

- Daniele Calisti, Head of Unit for Merger Policy, European Commission, DG COMP
- Tarja Krehić, Managing Partner at Krehić Law Office
- Andrej Matvoz, President of Slovenian Competition Protection Agency
- Nikolina Moslavac, Head of Mergers Department, Croatian Competition Agency
- Dunja Šimunić Mehdin, Legal and Compliance Director, Spar Croatia Ltd. and President of the ICC Croatia Competition Commission

Discussion and conclusions

11.45 Coffee break & group photo

12.15 Panel II: Compliance with competition rules in the digital environment

Moderator: Prof. Vlatka Butorac Malnar, PhD, University of Rijeka, Faculty of Law

- Nuno Cunha Rodrigues, President of Portuguese Competition Authority
- Bogdan Marius Chiritoiu, President of Romanian Competition Council
- Johannes Giacomuzzi, Senior case handler, Austrian Federal Competition Authority
- Mario Krka, Partner- Divjak, Topić, Bahtijarević & Krka Law Firm
- Tonko Obuljen, President of the Council, Croatian Regulatory Authority for Network Industries

Discussion and conclusions

13.30 Final remarks

13.45 Lunch

The working languages will be Croatian and English, with simultaneous translation provided.