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# **Corporate Criminal Liability in the EU – comparative perspective**

**March 30, 2026, Warsaw, Poland**

Venue: Institute of Law Studies (ILS), Polish Academy of Sciences (PAS)  
Address: Nowy Świat 72 (Staszic Palace)

## **Agenda**

10:00-10:30 *Registration and coffee*

10:30-11:00 Opening and general presentation of the project  
prof. Celina Nowak, (*Institute of Law Studies of the Polish Academy of  
Sciences, Poland*)

### **Session I. Criminal liability of legal persons**

11:00 – 11:20 Liability of legal persons for crimes in the Netherlands  
prof. Pim Geelhoed (*University of Groningen, Netherlands*)

11:20 – 11:40 Liability of legal persons for crimes in France  
Pierre-Louie Sutton (*Paris Nanterre University, France*)

11:40 – 12:00 Liability of legal persons for crimes in the Czech Republic  
dr David Čep (*Masaryk University, Czech Republic*)

12:00 – 12:20 Liability of legal persons for crimes in Lithuania  
prof. Gintaras Švedas (*Vilnius University, Lithuania*)

12:20 – 12:45 Q&A session

12:45 – 14.00 *Lunch break*

### **Session II. Non-criminal liability of legal persons**

14:00 – 14.20 Liability of legal persons for crimes in Italy  
dr Fabio Nicholicchia (*University of Ferrara, Italy*)

14:20 – 14:40 Liability of legal persons for crimes in Poland  
Anna Rybarczyk and Karol Bieńkowski (*Institute of Law Studies of the Polish  
Academy of Sciences, Poland*)

14:40 – 15:00 Liability of legal persons for crimes in Sweden  
prof. Christoffer Wong (*Lund University, Sweden*)

15:00 – 15:20 Liability of legal persons for crimes in Germany  
prof. Marc Engelhart (*Max Planck Institute for the Study of Crime, Security and Law, Freiburg, Germany*)

15:20 – 15:40 Q&A session

15:40 – 16:10 Presentation of the Model Rules  
prof. Celina Nowak (*Institute of Law Studies of the Polish Academy of Sciences, Poland*) and dr Fabio Nicolichia (*University of Ferrara, Italy*)

16:00 – 16:30 Key learnings and closing remarks  
prof. Celina Nowak (*Institute of Law Studies of the Polish Academy of Sciences, Poland*) and dr Fabio Nicolichia (*University of Ferrara, Italy*)

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**The conference summarises the research conducted as part of the Corporate Criminal Liability in EU project, co-financed by the European Union in framework of EU Anti-fraud Programme (EUAF). The conference is organised in cooperation with the Scientific Society of Penal Law.**

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**The conference will be held in English.**

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