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National & International Conferences, Lectures & Classes

On October 4, 2016, Prof. Olivier Moréteau presented on a panel on “The Professional Academies,” at [Moment or Movement? A National Dialogue on Identity, Empowerment, and Justice for All](#), the two-day Presidential Symposium at LSU, organized by LSU President F. King Alexander.

On November 10, 2016, Prof. Olivier Moréteau presented at the [Louisiane/French Antilles: A Shared Space/Time International Colloquium](#), organized at LSU by the Center of French and Francophone Studies. He discussed the life and work of Pierre Soulé (1801-1870): « Des Pyrénées à Cuba en passant par Le Nouvelle-Orléans, Pierre Soulé, avocat de la liberté. »

On November 17, 2016, Prof. Olivier Moréteau introduced keynote speaker Dr. Claudia Escobar, Reagan-Fascell Fellow of the National Endowment for Democracy; Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Studies, Harvard, at the [LSU International Research Fair](#), Diversity, Collaboration, Engagement (International Education Week), on the LSU Baton Rouge Campus.

On November 17, 2016, Prof. Olivier Moréteau presented by videoconference at a Symposium on [French Law of Contract and International Commercial Arbitration](#), at the Faculty of Law, University of Besançon, France, on “Remedies for Non-Performance” (Les remèdes à l’inexécution).



From November 21 to 24, Prof. Olivier Moréteau taught [Comparative Tort Law](#) to 38 international students in the LL.M. of International and European Business Law at

Université Jean Moulin, Lyon 3. A Visiting Professor at his Alma Mater, Prof. Moréteau also taught U.S. Contract Law in the American Law Program that he founded more than 20 years ago at the [Edouard Lambert Institute of Comparative Law](#) (November 28 to December 8).

On December 5, 2016, Prof. Olivier Moréteau presented on “Les études de droit aux Etats-Unis” (Legal Studies in the United States) to 70 students at the [Faculty of Law, Aix-Marseille University](#).

LL.M. Recruiting Season: Why LSU Is such a Good Idea!

A World Class Program in a Welcoming Environment

- One of the best value legal education, **with average tuition & fees below \$9,500 in 2016**
- A common law and civil law faculty with an international profile
- The possibility to study the civil law in English
- One of the best comparative law libraries in the world
- Affordable housing and living cost
- A unique and friendly environment for international students
- A personable, small-group learning environment maximizing direct contact with faculty and immersion with U.S. students
- No. 8 best value law school in the United States



The LSU Law Center is located in the capital city of Baton Rouge at the heart of the LSU campus. The Law Center is a national and international hub for teaching, research, and public service in all aspects of the law. Since our founding in 1906, LSU Law has been recognized for academic excellence, an outstanding faculty, and integrated programs in civil and common law. When combined with an international and comparative law focus, we

offer a truly global legal education.

Ranked among the top law schools in the United-States, LSU Law provides a rigorous yet personal legal education while providing students with the practical knowledge needed in today's competitive legal market. When you add the unique and distinct culture of Louisiana to the strong academic curriculum and personal attention of the Law Center, you get a program that can't be beat.



A Program Meeting Your High Expectations at a Lower Cost

- In the past seven years, **our LL.M. New York Bar passage rate has been 100 percent**, as compared to the national average of foreign educated candidates, which is less than 50 percent. **Our passage rate for the Louisiana Bar is also 100 percent.**
- In 2016-2017, the **average cost** of tuition & fees paid by our LL.M. candidates does not exceed **\$9,500 for the entire year**. This makes our LL.M. program one of the most affordable in the United States.

Curriculum

The LL.M. in Comparative Law requires two semesters in residence and a minimum of 26 credit hours of study. The academic year runs from early August until the end of May of the following year, starting with a two week *Orientation* program. Students take *Introduction to United States Law* and *Legal Research and Writing*.

Students have great *flexibility* to tailor their coursework to match their individual interests and have the freedom to explore a wide variety of courses to suit their *professional plans*. LSU Law offers a full range of law courses, seminars, and skills development classes, especially in the business, transactional, corporate, and commercial law areas that are often important to international lawyers. Also, candidates must complete an academic writing project, either as an independent supervised research project or a seminar paper.

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The JCLS Continues the Publication of the Louisiana Civil Code Translation Conference



CONFERENCE PAPERS

The Louisiana Civil Code Translation Project:

Enhancing Visibility and Promoting the Civil Law in English

Le projet de traduction du Code civil louisianais :

Améliorer la visibilité et la promotion du droit civil en anglais

Louisiana State University, Paul M. Hébert Law Center, April 10–11, 2014

Volume 9, Number 1, published Papers by Vivian Grosswald Curran, Jean-Claude Gémard, François-Xavier Licari, Sylvie Monjean-Decaudin, Olivier Moréteau, Alexandru-Daniel On, Agustín Parise, and Anne Wagner. Papers by Enrica Bracchi, Dominique Garreau, Anne-Sophie Hulin, Alain Levasseur, Matthias Martin, Steven Pallot et Michel Séjean will be published in Number 2, completing the full collection of the conference proceedings.

Access Volume 9 Number 1 and all previous volumes: <http://digitalcommons.law.lsu.edu/jcls/>.

Juris Diversitas, 5th Annual Conference, Lyon, July 10-12, 2017

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JURIS DIVERSITAS
5th ANNUAL CONFERENCE

July 10-12, 2017
Lyon, France



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LAW & FOOD
LA CUISINE JURIDIQUE

The Theme:

For its 5th Annual Conference, *Juris Diversitas* revisits its culinary origins, expressed in the logo. The links between law and food are as old as the concept of law. Babylon, Egypt, Greece, and Rome cared about access to water resources and food, whether it came to trade or protection. Since times immemorial, Bhutan makes sure every citizen has access to a minimal acreage of land to secure food for the family. Whilst religions multiplied food prohibitions and prescriptions, customs redistributed land, shared its occupancy in creative ways, or favored communal property so that everyone had access to food. Laws have multiplied to facilitate food trade, security, safety, traceability, and also to promote and protect food and wine production, using trademarks and geographical denominations. In addition, the language of food and cooking offers legal thinkers and teachers mouth-watering metaphors, comparing rules to recipes, and their combination to culinary processes.

All law related food topics, whether liquid or solid, vegetal or animal, real or symbolic, tasty or toxic, old or new, homemade or industrial, fast or simmering, whether connected or not to the environment, sustainable development, climate change, literature, art, science, faith, beliefs, or any dimension of human experience may be revisited in an interdisciplinary perspective from the moment they intersect with rules, norms, or prescriptions of all kinds. You are invited to cook and share food for thought at every possible level, past, present, and future, local, regional, and global, topical and utopic, and feed at a two-day and a half worldwide intellectual banquet in a truly unique culinary capital of Europe.

Submissions:

Panel proposals and interdisciplinary presentations are strongly encouraged, as is the participation of doctoral students and scholars from outside of the discipline of law. While parallel sessions featuring three presentations of twenty-minute each will be the pattern, more creative arrangements are encouraged.

Proposals should be in *English* or in *French*. Proposals of circa 250 words (or 1000 words for panel proposals with three or more speakers) should be submitted to Professor Salvatore Mancuso at: jdlyon2017@yahoo.com by **January 31, 2017**, with a short biography paragraph listing major or relevant publications. Make this a single Word document with minimal formatting, so that proposal and biography can be copied easily into the conference program.

Registration Fees:

€200 or €125 for *Juris Diversitas* members paid up for 2017. Membership and fee payment information is available on the *Juris Diversitas* Blog (<http://jurisdiversitas.blogspot.com/>). Note that fees *do not* cover travel, accommodation, or the conference dinner (€50).

