

Conference Schedule

Please note that this is a draft schedule and is subject to change. A final conference schedule and programme will be made available in due course.

Thursday 25 th June 2026		
Time	Location	Detail
10:00	JL Reception & JLG010	Registration & Welcome Refreshments
10:30	JL1005	Welcome & Opening Address
11:00	JL1005 and Courtroom	<p>Panel 1 (JL1005):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dr Darryn Nyatanga, University of Liverpool, 'Brexit and the Constitutional Absence of England: Revisiting the English Question' 2. Dr Gareth Evans, Swansea University, 'Still Uncooperative Devolution? The Impact of Political Congruence on Constitutional Dialogue after Brexit' 3. Simal Efsane Erdogan, PhD Candidate, King's College London, 'Divergence by Asymmetry: Post-Brexit Public Procurement Law and the Scottish Devolution Settlement' <p>Panel 2 (Courtroom):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Marco Sciarra, PhD Candidate, Law Department of "Roma Tre" University, 'All unhappy unions are alike: a modest attempt to reframe the debate about Scottish independence in the post-Brexit world' 2. Dr Catriona Mullay, Glasgow Caledonian University, 'The Sheltered Parliament: Brexit, the Scotland Act and the New Legal Constitutionalism' 3. Laura Panades-Estruch, Cayman Islands Law School and University of Liverpool 'Brexit from an offshore perspective: the British Overseas Territories'
12:15	JL1005	Keynote Speaker: Rt Hon. Baroness Stuart of Edgbaston, Crossbench Peer, former co-chair, 'Vote Leave' Campaign Committee, current Civil Service Commissioner.
13:00	JLG010	Lunch
14:00	JL1005 and Courtroom	<p>Panel 3 (JL1005)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Salinla Chiranunthakij, Thammasat University, 'Equality Protection in the Changing UK Constitutional Order: Disability Rights in Comparative Perspective' 2. Dr Eglé Dagilytė & Sohini Preet Alg, Anglia Ruskin University, 'Does 'Eastern European' qualify as a

		<p>protected 'race' category under section 9(1) of the Equality Act 2010 in the UK?' 3. Emma Rengers, PhD Candidate, Radboud University Nijmegen, 'Biometric Surveillance in Post-Brexit Artificial Intelligence Regulation: Diverging Interpretations of What a Private Life Requires'</p> <p>Panel 4 (Courtroom):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dr Avnish Bhatt, Indian Institute of Technology, 'Brexit and the Limits of Sovereignty: A Comparative Constitutional Inquiry into India–UK Legal Relations' 2. Dr Shalini Bahuguna Bachheti, The ICFAI University Dehradun, 'Brexit as a Stress Test for EU Constitutionalism: The CJEU and National Constitutional Courts' 3. Prof Eric Heinze, QMUL, 'Challenges to the universalist aspirations of constitutional democracy: The example of Brexit'
15:15	JL1005	Keynote Speaker: Dr Sylvia de Mars, Reader in Transnational Public Law, Newcastle University.
16:00	JLG010	Refreshments
16:30	JL1005	Keynote Speaker: Prof. Katja Ziegler, Sir Robert Jennings Professor of International Law, Co-Director of the Centre for European Law and Internationalisation, University of Leicester
17:15	Day End	

Friday 26th June 2026		
Time	Location	Detail
9:00	JL Reception & JLG010	Registration & Welcome Refreshments
9:30	JL1005	Book Discussion: Prof Gavin Phillipson, University of Bristol, Prof Tom Hickman KC, University College London and Blackstone Chambers and Discussants: <i>Constitutional Fracture: How Brexit Revealed Deep Fault-Lines in the British Constitution</i> (forthcoming BUP, 2027)
11:15	JL1005	Keynote Speaker: Prof. Rt Hon. Lord Blunkett of Brightside, Chair in Politics in Practice, University of Sheffield, Labour Peer.
12:00	JLG010	Lunch
13:00	JL1005 and Courtroom	Panel 5 (JL1005): <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dr Noel McGuirk, Ulster University, 'Brexit's Legacy on the Island of Ireland: Re-Opening the Irish Question and Planning for Reunification'

		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Emma Vincent Miller, Independent Monitoring Authority for the Citizens' Rights Agreements, 'The role the Court of Justice of the European Union plays in interpreting EU citizens' rights issues in the UK after Brexit' 3. Prof Richard Mullender, Newcastle University, 'Brexit and the European Union: From Broken Dreams to Political Jurisprudence' <p>Panel 6 (Courtroom):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Avni Bahri, O.P. Jindal Global University, 'From Referendum to Realignment: Brexit and the Rise of Populist Governance' 2. Prof John Hopkins, LEAD Institute of Law, Emergencies and Disasters, University of Canterbury, 'Brexit to the rescEU? Europe's Civil Protection Mechanism (ECPM) as a legacy of Brexit'
14:15	JL1005	<p>Panel 7</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dr Jake Hinks, Wolverhampton University, 'Beyond Elective Dictatorship: Excessive Executive Dominance in the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023' 2. Yifan Jia, PhD Candidate, King's College London, 'Post-Brexit Sanctions in the UK: Separation of Powers and Accountability' 3. Weizhi (Arnold) Lai, PhD Candidate, Liverpool Law School, University of Liverpool, 'The Function of the Opposition in Constitutional Change in the Westminster System: Brexit and Beyond'
15:30	JLG010	Refreshments
16:00	JL1005	Keynote Speaker: Prof. Aziz Z. Huq, Frank and Bernice J Greenberg Professor of Law, University of Chicago.
16:45	JL1005	Closing Remarks
17:00	Conference End	