

ELS Lab Meetings - Overview

The Empirical Legal Studies Lab @Leiden is organizing a new series of sessions, for researchers interested in empirical legal research. Are you looking to learn more about empirical methods and/or engage in lively discussions on ELS? Join the upcoming ELS lab meetings!

Ranging from the informal Lunch & Learn to more in-depth paper discussions, the ELS lab meetings cover a wide range of empirical research methods and ELS-related topics. We offer a possibility to learn about each other's research and experience, test out ideas and receive feedback on work in progress. You're welcome to join, regardless of your degree of experience with ELS.

Our upcoming sessions are below. Sign up via the following link: <https://cutt.ly/gzedAG9>

Date	Session
7 May 2021 13:00 - 14:00	Lunch & Learn Topic: From Fact to Norm
28 May 2021 10:00 - 11:00	Journal Club Topic: The role of empirical data in different domains of law
18 June 2021 10:00 - 11:00	Paper Development Session Topic: Presentation by Kimia Heidary on online price discrimination and company perspectives

About ELS Lab @Leiden

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ELS Lab Meetings - Lunch & Learn

7 May 13:00 - 14:00 (Online)

Lunch & Learns are informal, interactive sessions where we discuss a controversial statement relating to an ELS-themed topic. It is an opportunity to share your opinion and experiences with regard to doing empirical legal research and to learn from peers.

Join us for this informal session; everyone is welcome to share their opinions, no matter your level of expertise.

Topic This Lunch & Learn will be on the topic of “From Fact to Norm”, with the following statement:

"Findings from empirical research can(not) be translated into legal norms."

Postdoc Lisa Ansems will tell us about her experiences with bridging the gap between empirical facts and legal norms in her research in Criminal Law, after which there will be room for an informal discussion on our own experiences and questions on how to bridge the gap.

Interested to join? Sign up via the form above and you will receive a link to the Lunch & Learn.

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ELS Lab Meetings - Journal Club

28 May 10:00-11:00 (Online)

Journal Clubs are sessions in which we discuss empirical legal articles, focusing on the methodology used in the paper and the lessons that can be learned.

Topic In this Journal Club, we will explore the role of empirical data in different domains of law. We will start with a short introduction based on a paper on integrating models of consumer decision-making and cognitive psychology in Trademark Law, after which there will be ample room for discussing the (potential) role of empirical data in different domains of law.

Paper Burrell, R. & Weatherall, K. (2018). Towards a New Relationship Between Trademark Law and Psychology, *Current Legal Problems*, 771, 87-118.

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ELS Lab Meetings - Paper Development Session

18 June 10:00 - 11:00 (Online)

Paper Development Sessions involve presentations of work in progress. This can be at any stage of the research process, from the design to writing the actual paper. It is in particular a nice opportunity to receive feedback on empirical ideas and get suggestions on how to improve the methodology.

- Topic** In this Paper Development Session, Kimia Heidary will present her work in progress on online price discrimination and company perspectives. Her paper presents the results of semi-structured interviews held with experts, bringing forward factors that determine company's engagement in online price discrimination. A draft will be provided to those attending the session.
- Presentation** To discriminate or not to discriminate? Company perspectives on online price discrimination.
- Interested to join?** Sign up via the form above and you will receive a link to the Paper Development Session.

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