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Relationships in/of Law and History: Retrospective on the Work of Hendrik Hartog

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Friday, May 26, 2017, 09:00-13:30
IDC Herzliya campus, Kanfei Nesharim Street, Herzliya
Room SL302, Law-Sustainability Building

For over three decades, Hendrik Hartog has been among the most influential writers in the fields of legal history, law and society, and the cultural study of law. In this symposium, we explore the contributions of Hartog's work to interdisciplinary legal scholarship in a set of discussions structured around four of his seminal texts: *Pigs and Positivism* (1985), *The Constitution of Aspiration* (1987), *Man and Wife in America* (2000), and *Someday All This Will be Yours* (2012), and his forthcoming book, *The Trouble with Minna: Care, Slavery and Emancipation in New Jersey*. Discussants will consider the significance of Hartog's scholarship in relation to a range of themes of contemporary interest in legal and historical scholarship. Special emphasis will be given to law's role in constituting and governing social relations, among them parenting, marriage, and slavery, and the relations of law itself to competing normative systems.

08:40 Gathering

09:00 Welcome: Prof. Amnon Lehavi, Dean, Radzyner Law School, Interdisciplinary Center Herzliya (IDC)

09:05-10:35

Chair and Opening Remarks: Justice Daphne Barak-Erez (Professor of Law & Justice of the Supreme Court of Israel)



Discussion:

Prof. Roy Kreitner (Tel-Aviv University, Law)

Pigs and Positivism: Between Jurisprudence and Politics

Dr. Ely Aaronson (University of Haifa, Law) and Dr. Arianne Renan Barzilay (University of Haifa, Law)

Rights-Consciousness as an Object of Historical Inquiry: Revisiting The Constitution of Aspiration

10:35 - 10:45 – Coffee & refreshments

10:45-12:15

Chair: Dr. Alexander (Sandy) Kedar (Haifa University, Law)

Discussion:

Dr. Galia Schneebaum (IDC Herzliya, Law)

Marital Consciousness and the Criminalization of Spousal Abuse: Man and Wife in America

Dr. Shelly Kreiczler-Levy (College of Law and Business, Ramat-Gan, Law)

Parents and Adult Children: The Elusive Boundaries of Family, following Someday All This Will be Yours by Hedrik Hartog

12:15-12:30 – Coffee & refreshments

12:30 – 13:30

Chair: Prof. Milette Shamir (Tel-Aviv University, English & American Studies)

Discussion:

Dr. Eli Cook (University of Haifa, History) and Dr. Anat Rosenberg (IDC Herzliya, Law)

Slavery, Contract and Capitalism: The Trouble with Minna

Prof. Hendrik Hartog (Princeton University, History)

Concluding Remarks