Programme Symposium EAEPE and PRESOM / EU on Privatisation and Regulation: On the co-evolution of Technology, Policy and Institutions

Parallel sessions

1. Thursday 12.00 – 13.00

1a. Regulation General

- Ernst ten Heuvelhof, Strategic Behaviour After Privatisation and Liberalisation

- Frans van Waarden and Youri Hildebrand, Freer Markets, More Lawyers?

1b. Privatisation and the European Social Model


- Bauke Steenhuisen, Marc. de Bruijne and Hans de Bruin, Regulating Infrastructure Performance?

1c. Sectors: Rail

- Karl Strang, Public-Private Partnerships (PPPs) in the Field of Rail Infrastructure - The First European Experiences

- Dario Peirone, The Challenge of Governance in Complex Infrastructures: Analysis of Financial, Technological and Regulatory Transactions in Privatised Railways

2. Thursday 14.00 – 16.00

4a. Electricity

- Albert Jolink and Eva Niesten, When Regulation Becomes Co-Adaptation: Lessons From the European Electricity Regulation

- Rodrigo López González and Jean-Michel Glachant, Electricity Distribution: Is Quality Really Regulated or Just Given?
- Alan Hutton, Shortcomings of the UK Regulation in the Energy Sector
- Rolf Künneke, Aligning Institutions and Technology in the Electricity Sector

2a. Regulation general

- Maarten Pieter Schinkel and Jan Tuinstra, Limits to Liberalization
- Jüri Sepp and Diana Eerma, Competition Creation in Exceptional Spheres - Regulation and Deregulation in Estonia
- Nikos Ebel and Yassine Lefouili, Yardstick Competition Under Cost-Plus Regulation: An Analysis of Investment Incentives

2b. Privatisation and the European Social Model

- Bernhard Wieland, Special Interest Groups and Transport Pricing
- C.V. Fiori, M. Florio, S. Salini and P. Ferrari, Consumers’ Attitude on Services of General Interest in the EU: Accessibility, Price and Quality 2000-2004
- H. van Maasakker, From General Agreement on Trade in Services to General Agreement on Public Services

2c. Institutional arrangements

- Ernst Mönnich, Public Private Partnership, Blessing or Plaque?
- Johannes Fuhr, The Role of Contract and Public Ownership - An Explorative Analysis on the Contractual Arrangements Between US Airports and Airlines
- Gilson Schwartz, Universal Web Access - Digitalization X Emancipation in Brazil

3. Thursday 16.30 – 17.00

3b. Telcom-1

- Joost Poort, Conditions for Government Investment in Broadband Infrastructure
- Jackie Krafft, Profiting in the Info-Coms Industry in the Age of Broadband: Lessons and New Considerations
- David Flacher, Liberalisation of the Telecommunications Sector: Stakes and Limits

- Jolien Ubacht, "ICT End Users From Passivity To Activity. Exploring The Implications For Governance".

3c. Water-1

- Dan V. Jackson, The U.S. Water Industry: A Study in the Limitations of Privatization

- Delphine François, Transactions in the Water Sector: When Water Supply Meets Sanitation

- K.-U. Rudolph, D. Gregarek and M. Harbach, Private Sector Participation in Europe and South East Asia: Past, Present and Future Developments in the Water Market

4. Friday 11.30 – 13.00

4a. Roads

- Marek Ratajczak, State and Market: Polish Motorway Construction Program

- Sonia Moldovan, Private Sector Participation and Challenges in Afghanistan’s Transport Sector

- Mark Lijesen, Sieds Halbesma, Joost Kolkman and Han van der Loop, Public Interest as Performance Indicator of Road Networks

4b. Telcom-2

- Kuno M.H. Buyze, Liberalisation and the Public Desire to Again Intervene in the Telcom Realm

- Wolter Lemstra, The Telecommunication Sector: A Performance Assessment Across the Period of Market Reform
- Richard A. Cawley, The New EU Approach to Sector Regulation in Network Infrastructure Industries

4c. Water-2

- Arjen Frentz, Performance of the Dutch Drinking Water Sector With Benchmarking. Governance In the Dutch Drinking Water Sector: Between Quality and Cost
- Alexandra Domanski, Regulation in a Liberalised Water Sector: How Institutional Weaknesses Can Lead to Dysfunctions
- Meine Pieter van Dijk and Klaas Schwartz, Regulation and Regulators, the African Experiences With the Drinking Water Sector

5. Friday 14.00 – 16.00

5a. Privatisation, Regulation and Finance

- Huffschmidt Privatisation, Regulation and Finance
- Marica Frangakis, tba
- John Groenewegen, Private Equity and Hedge Funds the Battle of Control Over Private Public Firms

5b. Differences and similarities between sectors

- Atle Midttun and Catherine B. Monsen, Deregulation and Innovation: Exploring Factors Behind Performance Differences in Electricity and Telecommunication
- Christine André, What Place of Privatisation in the Reform European Health Systems?