



**IAFL INTRODUCTION TO EUROPEAN FAMILY LAW CONFERENCE
EDUCATION PROGRAM**

Bucharest, Romania

Wednesday 15 November – Thursday 16 November 2023

[Hilton Garden Inn Bucharest Old Town](#)

Education Program Chairs

[Daniela Jezova](#), Slovakia

Wednesday 15 November

13:30-13:45 Welcome and Introduction to the Education Program

Opening remarks: [Sandra L.A. Verburgt](#), Netherlands, European Chapter President and Flavia Teodosiu, Counsellor, Bucharest Bar Association

13:45-14:45 Session 1: Who knew? Different Perspectives of Interim Measures – useful tips in different jurisdictions. Short presentations and contributions from the floor

Chair: [Daniela Jezova](#), Slovakia

Speakers:

- [Eniko Fulop](#), Romania
- [William Healing](#), UK
- [Julia Pasche](#), Germany

14:45-15:15 Coffee Break and Networking

15:15-15:45 What's new? The new EU Commission Proposals on the Recognition of Parenthood. Presentation.

Speaker: [Alice Meier-Bourdeau](#), France

15:45 – 16:00 Closing remarks: First Conference Day - [Rachael Kelsey](#), IAFL President

18:30-20:00 Welcome Drinks Reception at Linea Restaurant

20:00-22:00 Dinner at Linea Restaurant

Thursday 16 November

09:00-10:00 Session 1: What's new? Brussels II bis Recast Regulation

Chair: [Renato Labi](#), UK

Speakers:

- [Konstantinos Rokas](#), Greece
- [Brikena Kasmi](#), Albania
- [Alexandre Boiché](#), France

10:00-10:30 Coffee Break and Networking

10:30-11:30 **Session 2: Who knew? Important Fact of Family Law in Different Jurisdictions**

Chair: [Sandra L.A. Verburgt](#), Netherlands

Speakers:

- Calin Viorel Iuga, Romania
- Sandra Strahm, Switzerland
- Katrin Orav, Estonia
- Yordanka Berkirska, Bulgaria

11:30 – 12:00 **Presentation of IAFL European Chapter Young Lawyers' Award - international matrimonial regimes – case study**

Speaker: Michael Allum, UK

12:00-13:30 **Light Lunch**

13:30-14:30 **Session 4: Who knew? What others should know about the child maintenance in your country? Short presentations and contributions from the floor**

Chair: [Karen O'Leary](#), Ireland

Speakers:

- [Inmaculada Ruz](#), Spain
- [Soma Kölcseyi](#), Hungary
- [Arnaud Gillard](#), Belgium

14:30-15:00 **Coffee Break and Networking**

15:00-15:45 **The child in times of war from Ukrainian perspective**

Speaker: [Oksana Voynarovska](#), Ukraine

15:45 – 15:55 Our Family Wizard presentation

15:55-16:15 **Closing Remarks** - [Sandra L.A. Verburgt](#), Netherlands, European Chapter President