"A divorce couple that has to litigate the consequences of the marital breakdown is not blessed. The couple that first litigates where to litigate might be said to be cursed."

Thorpe LJ



Divorce and parental responsibility under the Brussels II bis Regulation

Rijeka, 29 April 2016





### Programme

- 9.00-9.15 Registration
- 9.15-11.00 Session I: Scope and structure
- 11.00-11.15 Coffee break
- 11.15-12.45 Session II: Divorce without minor children
- 12.45-14.00 Lunch break
- 14.00-15.30 Session III: Divorce and parental responsibility
- 15.30-15.45 Break
- 15.45-17.30 Session IV: Transfer of the proceedings
- 17.30-18.00 **Discussion**

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#### The project

The project "EU Judiciary Training on Brussels IIa Regulation: From South to East" is coordinated by the University of Milano-Bicocca and led by Costanza Honorati. The purpose of the project is to develop training materials and organise training events to facilitate uniformity in application of the EU legal instruments on civil judicial cooperation in family matters, in particular cross-border cases related to divorce and parental responsibility and to child abduction. A series of four practiceoriented events are focused on understanding basic concepts and developing legal and reasoning skills using real cases and hypothetical scenarios.

#### The training session

This training session is organised by the University of Rijeka Faculty of Law together with the project partners: the University of Barcelona, the Law Institute of Lithuania, the University of Milano-Bicocca, and the local institutions: the Judicial Academy of Croatia and the Croatian Bar Association.

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