# VERONA Workshop

# COST Action 20131: Efficient Justice for All

## Introduction

The goal of the fourth workshop is to (1) understand the progress made so far in terms of data collection for efficiency analysis and in the preparation of the country reports; (2) continue to define the challenges – both methodological and policy-driven – to be addressed when measuring the efficiency of the judiciary and suggest meaningful comparisons across countries; and (3) start to structure the open source handbook on the comparative analysis of the efficiency of courts. As usual, we will exchange experiences, discuss progress and work performed, hear experts, compare notes and work in subgroups to perform preliminary analysis of available data, better define challenges, and ways to address identified challenges.

# Program

May 4<sup>th</sup>, Thursday (Data collection and country report preparation - Progress so far)

09:00-10:00 Jaap Bos & Maria Silva - The current state of the project.

**10.00- 11.00 Samantha Bielen, Angelo Zago and Osman Zaim -** Feedback on WG1 progress on data collection per country. Where do we stand?

#### 11:00-11:30 COFFEE BREAK

**11.30- 12.30 Samantha Bielen, Ana Lourenço and Umberto Nizza** – Feedback on the country report preparation. Where do we stand?

#### 12:30-14:30 LUNCH

**14:30-16:00 - Keynote by Peter Bogetoft –** The challenges of comparative assessment of efficiency: The experience of the electricity markets. **Moderator: Jaap Bos** 

#### 16:00-16:30 COFFEE BREAK

**16:30 – 18.00 – Roundtable:** Discussing the challenges of measuring the performance of justice systems across different countries using disaggregated data: where to focus, what are the priorities.

#### 20:00 - DINNER

May 5th, Friday (Challenges to address, where should we focus, technology definition and assessment in courts)

09:00-10:30 – Performance measurement in courts of justice: Where do we stand? – Miguel Pereira & Maria Silva. Moderator: Luiza Badin?

#### 10:30-11:00 COFFEE BREAK

**11:00-12:30** – Discussion on available data and possible technologies for assessing courts efficiency, with creation of smaller groups for group work.

#### 12:30-14:00 LUNCH

#### 14:00-15:30 - Keyote by Juan Fernando Armengot - Moderator: Pablo Arocena.

#### 15:30-16:00 COFFEE BREAK

16:00 – 17.30 – Roundtable: TBD

### Location

The workshop takes place at the University of Verona, Dipartimento di Scienze Economiche, Palazzina Santa Marta, Room SMS1 (basement), Via Cantarane 24, Verona 37129, Italy.

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