

FINAL PROGRAM SUMMER SCHOOL 'INS- AND OUTS- OF MARKET COMPETITION IN THE EU'
AY 2024/2025. Duration: 1 week (14.07-18.07.2025)

Monday, 14.07: Introduction to EU Competition law. The workings of Article 101 TFEU	
11:30-11:45	Welcome and introduction to the summer school (by Zlatina Georgieva)
11:45 – 13:30 (with 15 min. break)	EU competition law as part of EU Internal Market Law (by Sybe de Vries, UU) <i>Prescribed literature:</i> - Chapter 1 of Rusu/Van der Gronden (2024), available via the UU repository here
13:30 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 15:45 (with 15 min. break)	Legal aspects in the enforcement of Article 101 TFEU (by Wessel Geursen, De Brauw) <i>Prescribed literature:</i> - Read Article 101 TFEU, available here - Chapter 2 and Chapter 3 of Rusu/Van der Gronden (2024), available via the UU repository here
16:00 – 17:45 (with 15 min. break)	Economic aspects in the enforcement of Article 101 TFEU (by Timo Klein, UU/Oxera) <i>Prescribed literature:</i> - Chapter 2 and Chapter 3 of Rusu/Van der Gronden (2024), same as in the entry above
CASE LAW FOR THE DAY (IMPORTANT FOR THE MOCK CASE)	Judgment of 21 December 2023, <i>European Superleague Company SL v Fédération internationale de football association (FIFA), Union of European Football Associations (UEFA)</i> , C- 333/21, ECLI:EU:C:2023:1011 - Read the following: par. 153-170 (Article 101(1) TFEU); par. 183-200 (exemption under Wouters-doctrine or justification under Article 101(3) TFEU) - Highly recommended: par. 23-47 (facts); par. 82-94 (sports and EU-law); par. 108-119 (introduction to competition law)
18:00	Welcome/get-to-know dinner at restaurant Karaf (Korte Jansstraat 13 /15, Utrecht)
Tuesday, 15.07: The workings of Article 102 TFEU	
09:00-10:00	Introduction to the mock case assignment students need to work on throughout the summer school (by Zlatina Georgieva)
10:00 – 11:45 (with 15 min. break)	Legal aspects in the enforcement of Article 102 TFEU (by Jasper Sluijs, UU)

	<p><i>Prescribed literature:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Read Article 102 TFEU, available here - Chapter 4 of Rusu/Van der Gronden (2024), available via the UU repository here
11:45 – 12:45	Lunch
12:45 – 14:30 (with 15 min. break)	<p>Economic aspects in the enforcement of Article 102 TFEU (by Anna den Boer, Oxera)</p> <p><i>Prescribed literature:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Massimo Motta and Chiara Fumagalli, 'Economic principles for the enforcement of abuse of dominance provisions' (2024) <i>Journal of Competition Law and Economics</i>, available here - Lindsey McLindsey McCallum et al., 'A dynamic and workable effects based approach to abuse of dominance' (2023) <i>Competition Policy Brief</i>, available here
14:30 – 17:00	<p>Time for students to make progress on the mock case assignment (with coaching by Zlatina Georgieva, UU)</p>
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Wednesday, 16.07: The EU Merger Control Regulation (MCR)	
10:00 – 11:45 (with 15 min. break)	<p>Lecture on procedure/ enforcement (by Mira Scholten, UU)</p> <p><i>Prescribed literature:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Scholten, M., Kingma, A., & Contreras Condezo, J., 'Putting dawn raids under control' (2020) 13(22) <i>Yearbook of Antitrust and Regulatory Studies</i>, 145-167, available here - Student Blog post, entitled 'Development of NCA's Fining Powers: in Search for Convergence', available here - Maciej Bernatt and Laura Zoboli, 'The Enforcement of competition law in the EU: a critical overview' (2022)

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	<i>Edward Elgar Research Handbook on the Enforcement of EU Law, available on SSRN here</i>
11:45 – 13:00	Lunch
13:00 – 14:45 (with 15 min. break)	Legal aspects in the enforcement of the Merger Control Regulation (by Berend Verweij, ACM) <i>Prescribed literature:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Chapter 8 of Rusu/Van der Gronden (2024), read pp. 364-441 only, available via the UU repository here
14:45 – 16:30 (with 15 min break)	Economic aspects in the enforcement of the Merger Control Regulation (by Freek van Gils, ACM) <i>Prescribed literature:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Refresh Chapter 2 and Chapter 8 (364-441) of Rusu/Van der Gronden (2024), available via the UU repository here
17:00	<i>Social activity (visit to the Dom Tower), with Laura Lalikova</i>
Thursday, 17.07: digital markets and competition principles	
10:00 – 12:00	Game 'Market Dominion' (developed and facilitated by Malgorzata Kozak, UU) <i>Prescribed literature:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Own reader, prepared by Dr. Kozak, available via Teams - Scan/read briefly Regulation 1/2003, available here
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch
13:00 – 14:45 (with 15 min. break)	Lecture on the Digital Markets Act (by Lisanne Hummel, ACM) <i>Prescribed literature:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Chapter 7 of Rusu/Van der Gronden (2024), available via the UU repository here
14:45 – 17:30	Time for students to make progress on the mock case assignment (with coaching by Manu Batra, alumnus LL.M 'Law and Economics' at UU) <i>Prescribed literature:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Manu Batra, 'Preparatory Reader for Mock Case Assignment – Ins and outs of market competition in the EU at Utrecht Summer School' (2025) - IRAC method 2 page guide, available here

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	- Christopher Kee, 'Chapter 6: Oral submissions' in 'The Art of Argument: A Guide to Mooting' (CUP, 2007), available here
Friday, 18.07: presentation of student solutions to the mock case assignment	
10:00 – 15:00	Solving the mock case and wrap-up
15:00	Closing (with drinks and bites)
<p>NB: the University will reimburse the speakers' transportation costs, upon submission of travel receipts to z.r.georgieva@uu.nl.</p> <p>NB: speakers who will be around in Utrecht on Monday, 14.07, are more than welcome to join the get-to-know dinner at restaurant Karaf. Please let Zlatina (z.r.georgieva@uu.nl) know if you will be joining, preferably before Monday, 07.07.</p>	