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**Workshop (invitation only)**  
**Market Access: Legal Parameters in Europe and Beyond**

**26 October 2018, University of Bern, Hallerstrasse 6 (2<sup>nd</sup> floor)**  
**Hallerstrasse 6, 3012 Bern, Switzerland**

09.00 *Welcome*

Maria Slazak, Warsaw, President of the Association Européenne des Avocats  
Prof. Michael Hahn, University of Bern  
Prof. Philipp Zurkinden, Past President of the Association Européenne des Avocats

09.10 *Market access: From bespoke solutions to unilateral standard setting*

Prof. Michael Hahn, University of Bern, Institute for European and International Economic Law & World Trade Institute

09.30 *Market Access: (Defensive and offensive) interests of Switzerland*

Ambassador Erwin Bollinger, Ambassador, Swiss State Secretariat for Economic Affairs

09.50 *Market access: An Industry perspective on financial services*

Simon Tribelhorn, CEO, Liechtenstein Bankers Association

10.10 *Market Access and competitiveness of the Swiss financial center*

Ambassador René Weber, Head Policy Coordination, Swiss Federal Department of Finance

10.30 *Market access: An Industry perspective on electricity I*

Urs Meister, Berner Kraftwerke BKW, Head of Regulation & Market analysis.

10:50 *Coffee break*

11.20 *Market access: An Industry perspective on electricity II*

Jörg Spicker, Swissgrid, Senior Strategic Advisor, former Head of Market and member of the Executive Board

- 11:40 ***The Future Relationship Agreement UK - EU: State of play***  
Ambassador Jane Owen, British Embassy to Switzerland and Liechtenstein
- 12:00 ***Q&A***
- 12.30 ***Lunch***
- 14:00 ***Je t'aime - moi non plus: Swiss Access to the EU Single Market: state of play and possible solutions between economic needs and political constraints***  
Prof. Philipp Zurkinden, Prager Dreifuss, Partner; University of Basel, Adjunct Professor
- 14:20 ***Experiences with the European Economic Area***  
Thomas Bischof, EEA Coordination Unit, Government of the Principality of Liechtenstein
- 14:40 ***EFTA Court as anchors for third countries to get access to the EU?***  
Michael-James Clifton, Chef de Cabinet, EFTA Court
- 15:00 ***Coffee break***
- 15:15 ***Market access: From multilateral rules to bilateral deals***  
Ambassador Josef Renggli, Deputy Director, Directorate for European Affairs, Federal Department of Foreign Affairs of Switzerland  
Marco Düerkop, First Counsellor, Head of Sector Trade and Economic Affairs Delegation of the European Union to Switzerland and the Principality of Liechtenstein  
Ambassador Artem Rybchenko, Ukrainian Ambassador to Switzerland  
Ambassador Adrianus Koetsenruijter, EEAS — European External Action Service, Head of Division South America
- 16:00 ***Q&A***
- 17.00 ***Aperitif***

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