

I DAY – FRIDAY FEBRUARY 9, 2024

Morning

9:15 Greetings

**Antonio CARRATTA**

Director of the Law Department of Roma Tre University

**Giorgio RESTA**

Vice-Rector of Roma Tre University

**Luciano VIOLANTE**

President of the Leonardo Foundation

**Eida TURCO BULGHERINI**

Vice-President of the Italian Space Agency

10:00 Panel I: LEGAL MODELS IN SPACE LAW

**Sergio MARCHISIO** (Sapienza University)

Domestic Space Legislation and International Space Obligations: Great Variety, Key Aims

**Maria Chiara MALAGUTI** (UNIDROIT)

The Transnational Law Model and Space

**Marco DI GIUGNO** (ENAC: Italian Civil Aviation Authority)

A Regulatory Framework for the Prospective Commercial AeroSpace Transportation Operations in Italy

**Simone BENVENUTI** (Roma Tre University)

Fundamental Rights in Outer Space

Q&A

Moderator and conclusions:

**Mirko SOSSAI** (Roma Tre University)

11:45 Panel II: PUBLIC AND PRIVATE IN SPACE GOVERNANCE

**Li JUQIAN** (China University of Political Science and Law)

China National Space Law-Making: Difficulties and Model Choice

**Anna VENEZIANO** (UNIDROIT)

Asset-Based Financing the Space Industry? The Enabling Role of Technology and Suggestions from Uniform Law (The Space Protocol to the Cape Town Convention)

**Antonia ELIASON** (University of Mississippi School of Law)

Corporations and Outer Space

**Maria LUCAS-RHIMBASSEN** (Toulouse University)

Space Law in Canada: Pioneers Lost in the Polar Night

Q&A

Moderator and conclusions:

**Marco FERRAZZANI** (European Space Agency)

13:30 Light lunch

Afternoon

15:00 Panel III: TRANSDISCIPLINARY LEGAL ISSUES IN SPACE

**Frans VON DER DUNK** (University of Nebraska-Lincoln, College of Law)

Property Rights in Space: Where Does the Law Stand Now?

**Diana CERINI** (Milano Bicocca University)

Insurance for Space Risks

**Vanessa VITI** (Contracts office of the Italian Space Agency)

Procurement Rules and Execution of R&D Contracts

**Marco PEDRAZZI** (Milano Statale University)

Liability for Damage Caused by Space Objects: The Interplay between International and National Law

Q&A

Moderator and conclusions:

**Vincenzo ZENO-ZENCOVICH** (Roma Tre University)

17:00 Panel IV: LAW AND GEOPOLITICS IN SPACE

**Sebastiano FULCI** (Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs)

Dual Use Nature of Space Technologies and Connected Risks of Proliferation of WMD

**Ignazio CASTELLUCCI** (University of Teramo)

The Dark Side of the Space Law

**Rafael MORO AGUILAR** (Florida International University)

Law Applying to Security Aspects in Outer Space

**David BURIGANA** (University of Padova)

Space Diplomacy. An Operational Definition from the Historical Reappraisal of the Present Geopolitics

**Davide CIPELLETTI** (Space Policy Office of the Italian Defence General Staff)

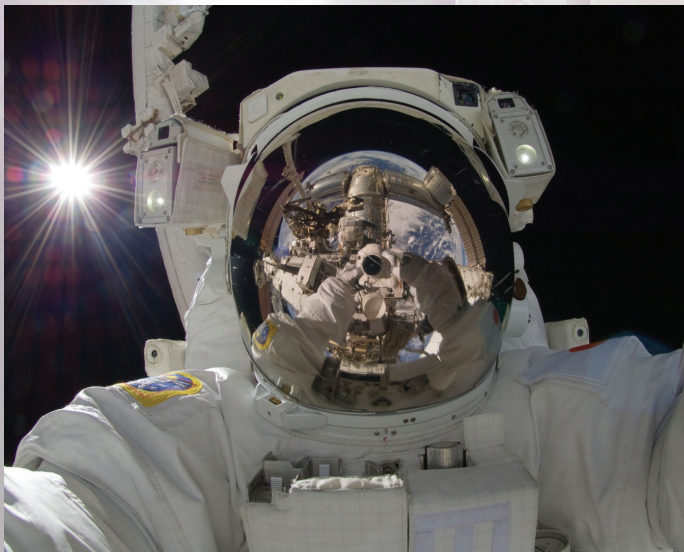
The Italian Defence Space Strategy

Q&A

Moderator and conclusions:

**Sirio ZOLEA** (Roma Tre University)

20:00 Conference dinner



# COMPARATIVE VISIONS IN SPACE LAW

9 - 10 FEBRUARY 2024

ROMA TRE UNIVERSITY - LAW DEPARTMENT  
Via Ostiense 159, Roma  
Sala del Consiglio (1 floor)

## II DAY – SATURDAY FEBRUARY 10, 2024

### Morning

**9:15 Keynote speaker: Stefania PALADINI** (Queen Margaret University Edinburgh)

*The Case for Space Sustainability: Crowded Orbits, Debris Crisis, and Global Space Governance*

**Introduction and moderator:**

**Mario RICCA** (Roma Tre University)

**9:45 Panel I: Moderator and conclusions Diego ZANNONI**

**Diego ZANNONI** (University of Padova)

*What is 'Peaceful' in Outer Space?*

**Alexander SIMMONDS** (University of Dundee)

*Is the Speed of Law Faster than the Speed of Light? Considerations of the Impact of Special Relativity on the Operation of Law in the Context of Deep Space Missions*

**Enrico BUONO** (University of Perugia, University of Saarland) and **Anna MAROTTA** (University of Campania 'Luigi Vanvitelli', New Vision University of Tbilisi)

*The Public/Private Law Divide in Orbit*

**Naeem ALLAHRAKHA** (Tashkent State University of Law)

*Regulation of Commercial Space Activities in the USA and Implementation of the US Experience in Developing Countries*

**Diego MAURI** (University of Palermo)

*Outer Space and Hybrid Warfare: An International Law Analysis*

**Q&A**

**11:30 Panel II: Moderator and conclusions Valentina BARELA**

**Valentina BARELA** (University of Salerno)

*The Exploitation of Space Resources: A Perspective on Accords and New Governance*

**Riccardo VECELLIO SEGATE** (University of Groningen)

*A Regulatory Framework for Cyber Operations in Outer Space*

**Maria Elena DE MAESTRI** (University of Genova)

*Space Law in Europe: National Approaches and the Role of the European Union*

**Iva RAMUŠ CVETKOVIČ** (University of Ljubljana)

*Supervision of Private Space Actors through National Legislation: Lessons Learned on the Example of Slovenia*

**Andrea CAPURSO** (LUISS University)

*The Interplay between Space Law and Domestic Legislations: A Bottom-Up International Lawmaking?*

**Q&A**

**13:15 Light lunch**

### Afternoon

**14:30 Panel III: Moderator and conclusions Maria GAGLIARDI**

**Maria GAGLIARDI** (Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies, Pisa)

*The Law of Space Technology and Information. Risk Management and Liability Models*

**Purvi POKHARIYAL** and **Deepa DUBEY** (National Forensic Sciences University, Gandhinagar)

*India's Strategic Roadmap in International Space Law: Critical Analysis*

**Marjan AJEVSKI** (Open University Law School)

*Analogies for Space Law – How Comparing Developments in Other Branches of International Law Can Fill Out Space Law*

**Marco FALCON** (University of Padova)

*Roman Law Perspectives in Space Law*

**Ivan FINO** (Space Generation Advisory Council)

*The Application of the Principle of Accession on Celestial Bodies*

**Mario Pasquale AMOROSO** (University of Trento)

*Navigating the Legal Framework of Space Warfare: Assessing State Responsibility, Damage and Environmental Implications in Outer Space*

**Q&A**

### CONVENOR

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### ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

**Sirio ZOLEA**, **Alessandro DE NICOLA**,  
**Cristina FRATTONE**, Roma Tre University

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