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NOVEMBER

SCIENTIFIC–PRACTICAL CONFERENCE
2025

Taxes and Disputes: Where Can We Improve?

FIRST SESSION

Moderator: Dr. Mindaugas Lukas, Attorney-at-Law

9.20 – Changes in the Tax Disputes Commission: Progress and Challenges Since 2020 (the Irish Model)

Marie-Claire Maney, Chairperson, Tax Appeals Commission of Ireland

09.50 – The Concept of Tax Disputes in the Established and Evolving Practice of the Supreme Administrative Court of Lithuania

Veslava Ruskan, Judge, Supreme Administrative Court of Lithuania

10.10 – The Role of the Court in Examining Tax Disputes

Prof. Dr. Gediminas Užubalis, Chairperson, Regional Administrative Court; Professor of Practice, Vilnius University

10.30 – Coffee Break

11.00 – Anatomy of a Tax Dispute: Parallels Between Regulation and Interpretation

Gvida Ivanauskienė, Member, Tax Disputes Commission

11.20 – Prospects for the Examination of Pre-Trial Disputes in Lithuania and Problematic Aspects

Prof. Dr. Eglė Bilevičiūtė, Professor, Mykolas Romeris University

11.40 – Discussion

12.00 – Lunch Break

SECOND SESSION

Moderator: Dr. Povilas Gruodis, Assistant Professor, Vilnius University

12.45 – Have You Exported Goods Abroad? Problems with the Application of the 0% VAT Rate

Dr. Martynas Endrijaitis, Associate Professor, Faculty of Law and Business School, Vilnius University; Deputy Head, State Tax Inspectorate

13.00 – Controversial but Insured: Can the Risk of Tax Disputes Be Managed?

Indrė Ščeponienė, Tax Lawyer

13.15 – Challenges of Uniform Application of EU Customs Legislation in Tax Disputes: Insights from the Baltic States

Dr. Gediminas Valantiejus, Attorney-at-Law; Lecturer, Mykolas Romeris University

13.30 – Will the State Tax Inspectorate Succeed in Changing the Practice of the Supreme Administrative Court of Lithuania Regarding Thin Capitalization Rules?

Dr. Andrius Paulauskas, Attorney-at-Law

13.45 – When the Tax Dispute Ends: A Lawsuit Against the Company's Director – What Next?

Dainius Daugirda, Tax Lawyer

14.00 – The Intersection of Legal Branches: Practical Problems in Tax and Criminal Proceedings

Jurgita Narkevičiūtė, Member, Tax Disputes Commission

14.15 – Discussion

14.40 – Closing of the Conference

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