# New Perspectives in Transnational Law

## Colloquium Schedule

Professors Jürgen Kurtz and Franz Werro

*First session: location tbc*

*All other sessions: Center for Transnational Legal Studies, Swan House, 37-39 High Holborn*

2:50pm for a 3:00pm start

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Yoav Dotan (Hebrew University/CTLS):
*Introducing: The mc Donald’s Index for Comparative Administrative Law and Regulation*

Week 7: 13 October
Stephen Minas (Dickson Poon School of Law, King’s)
*The Rise of Transnational Networks in Climate Change Governance – a Study in Hybridity*

Week 8: 20 October
Geoffrey Samuels (University of Kent)
*Is Law a Fiction?*

Week 9: 3 November
Marcel Niggli (Fribourg University/CTLS)
*Jungleland – A new approach to the question “What is Law?”*

Week 10: 10 November
Cally Jordan (Melbourne University/CTLS):
*How International Finance Really Works*

Week 11: 17 November
Helge Dedek (McGill University):
*When Law Became Cultivated: ‘European Legal Culture’ between Kultur and Civilization*

Week 12: 24 November
Shari Motro (University of Richmond):
*Can Law Save Love?*

Week 13: 1 December
Michael Ewing-Chow (NUS/CTLS):
*Do States Design International Law Regimes to Fail?: An Outcome and Cost Model for International Dispute Settlement Design*