

**“NEW TIMES FOR THE PROTECTION OF DESIGNS IN THE EU: WHAT WILL CHANGE WITH THE REFORM?”**

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**PROGRAMME**

**16:30 - Welcome**

**Carina Gommers**, ECTA President, Wiggin, BE

**Prof. Dr. Pilar Montero García-Noblejas**, Director of Magister Lvcentinvs, Commercial Law Department, University of Alicante, ES

**16:40 - 18:00 - EU Design Reform and its Implications**

**Moderator: Katri Kiviniemi**, ECTA Design Committee Chair, Castrén & Snellman, FI

**Gaile Sakalaite-Orlovskiene**, EUIPO Legal Affairs Department, ES

**Roman Brtko**, Ashurst LLP, DE

**Ornella Pasta**, Flos, IT

**Q&A**

**18:00 – 18:30 - COFFEE BREAK**

**18:30 - 19:30 - Panel 2: Latest Design Case Law**

**Moderator: Dr. Ignacio Rabasa Martínez**, Lecturer in Commercial Law, Magister Lvcentinvs, University of Alicante, ES

**Harri Salmi**, Acting Chairperson of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Board of Appeal, EUIPO, ES

**Maite Ferrándiz**, Grau & Angulo, ES

**Q&A**

**19:30 - Closing**

**Carina Gommers**, ECTA President, Wiggin, BE

**19:40 - 21:00 - COCKTAIL RECEPTION**

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