



invitation

JEAN MONNET MODULE *Guest Lecture*

The Jean Monnet Module, run by the UCLan Cyprus Law School, cordially invites you to a guest lecture by **Judge Constantinos Lycourgos**, from the Court of Justice of the European Union, Luxembourg. It will be held on Friday 12th of February 2016, at **18:45** and the lecture is entitled:

Measures Taken in order to tackle the Euro Crisis and the Case Law of the EU Courts

Registration desk and coffee: **18:15**
Venue: **Cleopatra Hotel, Nicosia**

Cocktail reception: **20:15**

Abstract

In order to deal with the sovereign debt and banking crisis, the euro area member states have adopted measures partly within and partly outside the framework of the EU, which, even inside the EU, largely relied on inter-governmental cooperation rather than on the Community method. This has been criticized as resulting in a democratic deficit and in a lack of effective judicial protection. In the last few years, a number of cases relating to the handling of the Euro crisis have been either referred to the Court of Justice of the EU by national courts or have been the subject of direct actions before the General Court of the EU, some of them still pending. In this context, this lecture shall examine issues of constitutional importance for the Union and its member states as they have been clarified by the EU courts and shall try to answer the question whether effective judicial protection is achieved.



CONSTANTINOS LYCOURGOS

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