Call for Abstracts

6th Munich Public International Law Early Career Researcher Forum (11 March 2024)

The Munich Public International Law Early Career Researcher Forum is a peer-based format, allowing participants to discuss their research in various stages of completion, including initial research ideas, work-in-progress or full papers. It provides participants with the opportunity to train their skills in presenting and critically analyzing pieces of scholarship in an informal and supportive atmosphere.

The Forum is open to Early Career Researchers, namely anyone working on their dissertation or habilitation. Every participant in the Forum is expected to submit some form of contribution and engage with all other submissions. Each contribution is briefly presented by two other participants, with the first (the 'presenter') giving a brief, descriptive overview of the content and structure of the submission. The second (the 'discussant') engages with the substance of the submission and gives feedback, after whom the floor is opened to an open discussion among all participants. In doing so, participants should address the strengths and weaknesses of the submission in a constructive manner. The author is also given the opportunity to respond to the feedback given.

The 6th Munich Public International Law Early Career Researcher Forum will take place on Monday, 11 March 2024 at the University of the Bundeswehr Munich (Werner-Heisenberg-Weg 39, 85579 Neubiberg).

Anyone interested to participate is invited to submit a brief **abstract** (no more than 200 words) by **31 January 2024**, to be sent to the organizers (jane.hofbauer@unibw.de and philipp.janig@unibw.de). The abstract and the subsequent contributions for discussion may be submitted in German or English.

In case of acceptance, the contribution to be discussed is to be submitted by 28 February 2024 (no longer than 8,000 words). It is encouraged to open any contribution with a brief disclaimer, explaining or contextualizing the work, such as its goal (*e.g.* PhD exposé, project proposal, journal article) and its stage of completion (*e.g.* initial ideas, first draft, ready for submission), and potentially outlining the type of feedback sought (*e.g.* structure/style, specific lines of arguments).

Any queries may be directed at the organizers. More information about previous fora may be found at <u>www.unibw.de/recht/ecrf/</u>.