

Webinar

EU Trade Policy and Coherence with NTPOs

13 October @ 14.00 - 14.50 CEST

Scientific Organisers:

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Miriam Manchin | World Trade Institute and University of Milan

Laura Puccio | European University Institute

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Introduction

This is the second of three webinars organised around the World Trade Forum book project for 2021. Every year, the European University Institute and the World Trade Institute come together to organise the World Trade Forum, with focus on a specific topic, the outcome of which is an edited collection with contributions from economists, political scientists and lawyers. This year's edited collection will gather research outputs on the topics covered by the H2020 RESPECT project, analysing EU trade policy coherence with non-trade policy objectives (NTPOs). Three webinars will explore the research questions and preliminary findings, which will be further analysed in this year's World Trade Forum book.

This second webinar will bring forward discussions on the extent to which European Union (EU) trade policies are aligned with the non-trade policy objectives of the EU. Joris Larik and Laura Puccio will begin by providing an account of the nexus between the EU's trade and security policies. This will be followed by Kamala Dawar, who will shed light on the competition and compliance issues related to official export credit support provided by EU Member States. The webinar will conclude with a collective discussion following the presentations.



Programme

Chair: **Aydin Yildirim** | World Trade Institute

14.00 - 14.05 Presentation of RESPECT and of the webinar panel by the Chair

14.05 - 14.20 *Article: Larik and Puccio, Security and human rights aspects of EU trade policy: lessons from the past (LAW)*

Joris Larik | University of Leiden

Laura Puccio | European University Institute

14.20 - 14.25 Q & A

14.25 - 14.40 *Article: Dawar, EU export credit agencies (LAW)*

Kamala Dawar | University of Sussex

14.40 - 14.50 Q & A and conclusion

Speakers

Kamala Dawar University of Sussex, UK

Joris Larik University of Leiden, The Netherlands

Laura Puccio European University Institute, Italy