



**Joint Conference between
University of Macau and the University of Coimbra
— Public Law:
International Law, Constitutional Law, and Administrative Law**

Date : 13-14 October 2025
Venue : University of Macau, Wu Yee Sun Library Auditorium (E2-G012)
Organizers : University of Macau, University of Coimbra
Co-organizer : UM Tec
Sponsor : MGM Grand Paradise Limited
Suport : Centre for Law Studies of the Faculty of Law of University of Macau
Centre for Judicial and Legal Studies of China and Portuguese-Speaking
Countries of the Faculty of Law of University of Macau

Conference Program (Tentative)

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Opening Ceremony (09:00-10:00)

09:00-09:20	Guest Arrival	
09:20-09:25	Official Commencement and Introduction of Distinguished Guests and Programme Overview	
09:25-09:30	Welcome Address	Professor Song Yonghua, Rector of the University of Macau
09:30-09:40	Opening Remarks	
09:40-09:50		
09:50-09:55	Guest Speech	Professor João Nuno Calvão da Silva, Vice-Rector for External Relations and Alumni, University of Coimbra, Portugal
09:55-10:00	Group Photo	
10:00-10:20	Tea Break	

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Section I: International Law
(10:20-12:20)

Moderator: 5 minutes Speaker: 20 minutes Discussion Session: 20 minutes	
10:20-10:25	Moderadores: Tong Io Cheng , Dean of Faculty of Law of University of Macau Jónatas Machado , Former Dean of Faculty of Law of University of Coimbra
10:25-10:45	Huang Jin - President of Chinese Society of International Law and President of China Society of Private International Law ➤ Topic: International law and the international rule of law at an Infection Point in History
10:45-11:10	João Nuno Calvão da Silva - Vice-Rector for External Relations and UC Alumni of University of Coimbra ➤ Topic: The Regulatory State and Independent Administrative Authorities: a comparative view of the reality in the EU and the Member States
11:10-11:30	Paulo Canelas de Castro - Associate Professor of Faculty of Law of University of Macau ➤ Topic: Reshaping International Investment Law for the Green Transition?
11:30-11:50	Discussion Session
11:50-12:20	Visit to UM Library
12:30-14:30	Lunch

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Section II: Constitutional Law
Part I (15:00-16:40)

Moderator: 5 minutes Speaker: 20 minutes Discussion Session: 20 minutes	
15:00-15:05	Moderators: João Nuno Calvão da Silva , Vice-Rector for External Relations and Alumni, University of Coimbra, Portugal Wei Dan , Associate Dean of the Faculty of Law, University of Macau
15:05-15:25	Mo Jihong - Director of the Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences ➤ Topic: Constitutional Review Standards for Delegated Legislation
15:25-15:45	Jónatas Machado - Full Professor of Faculty of Law of University of Coimbra ➤ Topic: Preventive Law
15:45-16:05	Paulo Alexandre Batista de Castro - Head of International Cooperation and Development of the Brazilian Institute of Education, Development, and Research (IDP) ➤ Topic: Regulation of New Technologies in a Multiparty System: Downsides and Strengths of Building Consensus under the Brazilian Coalition Presidentialism
16:05-16:25	Discussion Session
16:25-16:40	Tea Break

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Section II: Constitutional Law
Part II (16:40-18:05)

Moderator: 5 minutes, Speaker: 20 minutes, Discussion Session: 20 minutes	
16:40-16:45	Moderators: Huang Jin , President of Chinese Society of International Law and President of China Society of Private International Law Paulo Alexandre Batista de Castro , Head of International Cooperation and Development of the Brazilian Institute of Education, Development, and Research (IDP)
16:45-17:05	Raúl Araújo - Director of the Centre for Public Law of Faculty of Law of University of Agostinho Neto University, Angola ➤ Topic: Constitutional Law And The Challenges In The Construction Of The Nation State And National Identity In Angola
17:05-17:25	Lúcia da Luz Ribeiro - President of the Constitutional Council of Mozambique, Mozambique ➤ Topic: Constitutional Justice in the 50 years of Mozambican constitutionalism
17:25-17:45	Wang Yu - Professor of Faculty of Law of University of Macau ➤ Topic: “One Country, Two Systems” as a Distinguished Contribution of China's Constitution to World Constitutionalism
17:45-18:05	Discussion Session
19:00-21:00	Dinner

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Third Session: Administrative Law
Part I (10:00-11:05)

Moderator: 5 minutes , Speaker: 20 minutes , Discussion Session: 20 minutes	
10:00-10:05	Moderators: Eduardo Chiziane , Dean of Faculty of Law of Eduardo Mondlane University, Mozambique José Octávio Van-Dúnem , Full Professor at the Faculty of Law and Director of the Center for Juridical, Economic and Social Studies of the Faculty of Law of Agostinho Neto University
10:05-10:25	António Malheiro de Magalhães - Assistant Professor of Faculty of Law of University of Coimbra Topic: Independence of regulatory agencies
10:25-10:45	Atalá Correia - Judge of the Federal District and Territories Court, Brazil ➤ Topic: Overview upon Cryptocurrency Regulation in Brazil
10:45-11:05	Jiang Chaoyang - Professor of Faculty of Law of University of Macau ➤ Topic: The Development and Prospect of Administrative Law in Macao since its Return to the People's Republic of China
11:05-11:20	Tea Break



14 October 2025
Third Session: Administrative Law
Part II (11:20-12:25)

Moderator: 5 minutes , Speaker: 20 minutes , Discussion Session: 20 minutes

11:20-11:25	Moderators: Manuel Trigo , Director of Centre for Law Studies of Faculty of Law of University of Macau José Octávio Van-Dúnem , Full Professor at the Faculty of Law and Director of the Center for Juridical, Economic and Social Studies of the Faculty of Law of Agostinho Neto University
11:25-11:45	Eduardo Chiziane - Dean of Faculty of Law of Eduardo Mondlane University, Mozambique ➤ Topic: The Need for a Review of the Gaming Law of Mozambique
11:45-12:05	Regis Dudena - Secretary of the Secretariat for Prizes and Betting of the Ministry of Finance, Brazil ➤ Topic: From the Legalization of Betting to Public Policy
12:05-12:25	Discussion Session

Closing Ceremony
(12:25-12:45)

12:25-12:30	Moderator: Rui Martins, Vice Rector (Global Affairs), University of Macau
12:30-12:35	Representative of MGM Grand Paradise Limited
12:35-12:40	João Nuno Calvão da Silva , Vice-Rector for External Relations and Alumni, University of Coimbra, Portugal
12:40-12:45	Tong Io Cheng , Dean of Faculty of Law of University of Macau

Lunch (13:00-14:30)

Institutional Visit and City Tour (14:30-18:30)

Dinner (19:00-21:00)