

SLAPPS AND



What every EU lawyer needs to know



A webinar organised by the European Lawyers Foundation (ELF) and the Council of Bars and Law Societies of Europe (CCBE)

25 OCTOBER 2023. 09:00 - 11:00 CET. ONLINE ON ZOOM

09:00 **WELCOME**

Dominique Attias, Chair of the Board of Directors of the European Lawyers Foundation

09:05 **EU ANTI-SLAPP DIRECTIVE: AN INTRODUCTION**

Pia Lindholm, Deputy Head of Unit, Civil Justice, Directorate-General for Justice and Consumers, European Commission

09:35 OVERVIEW OF SLAPP CASES IN THE EU

Dirk Voorhoof, Professor Emeritus, Ghent University and Copenhagen University, member of Committee of Experts on Strategic Lawsuits against Public Participation (MSI-SLP) (Council of Europe)

10:05 THE COUNCIL OF BARS AND LAW SOCIETIES OF EUROPE'S POSITION ON SLAPPS

Elisabeth Scheuba, Chair of the CCBE's Access to Justice Committee, Head of the Austrian delegation to the CCBE

10:35 EUROPEAN COMMISSION'S RECOMMENDATION ON SLAPP AND ITS IMPACT ON LAWYERS' ETHICS

Jonathan Goldsmith, ELF's Senior project counsel

*Please note that this is a free event, but places are limited. Participants must register by 24 October 2023 through the "register now" button.



