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The Sense of Justice,  
Private Interest,  
and Public Duty in the  
Age of Trump

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# Program

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Wednesday 15.11.2017	Aula, University of Zurich KOL-G-201, Rämistrasse 71, CH-8006 Zürich
18.00	<b>Welcoming address by Prof. Dr. Matthias Mahlmann</b> Chair of Philosophy and Theory of Law, Legal Sociology and International Public Law, University of Zurich President of the Swiss Association for Legal and Social Philosophy  <b>Welcoming address by Prof. Dr. Christian Schwarzenegger</b> Vice President of the University of Zurich
18.15	<b>«The Sense of Justice, Private Interest, and Public Duty in the Age of Trump» – Lecture I</b>  <b>Prof. Dr. John Mikhail</b> Professor of Law and Professor of Philosophy, Agnes N. Williams Research Professor Georgetown University Law Center, Washington D.C.
19.15	<b>Comment by Prof. Dr. Simone Zurbuchen Pittlik</b> Chair of modern and contemporary philosophy, University of Lausanne Vice-President of the Swiss Association for Legal and Social Philosophy
19.30	<b>Comment by Prof. Dr. Lutz Wingert</b> Chair of Philosophy, ETH Zurich
19.45	<b>Discussion</b>
20.15	<b>End of first lecture</b>

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Thursday 16.11.2017	Aula, University of Zurich KOL-G-201, Rämistrasse 71, CH-8006 Zürich
18.00	<b>«The Sense of Justice, Private Interest, and Public Duty in the Age of Trump» – Lecture II</b> <b>Prof. Dr. John Mikhail</b>
19.00	<b>Panel discussion with Prof. Dr. John Mikhail, moderated by Prof. Dr. Matthias Mahlmann</b>  <b>Prof. Dr. Monika Betzler</b> Chair of Practical Philosophy and Ethics, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität Munich  <b>Prof. Dr. Francis Cheneval</b> Chair of Political Philosophy, University of Zurich  <b>Dr. Dr. h.c. Gret Haller</b> former National Councillor, publicist  <b>Dr. Anne Kühler</b> Senior Research Associate, Faculty of Law, University of Zurich
20.30	<b>End of second lecture</b>
Friday 17.11.2017	University of Zurich, Faculty of Law Rämistrasse 74, CH-8006 Zürich
16.00 – 18.00	<b>Seminar</b>

Attendance is free and open to the public. No registration is required for the evening lectures, but seats are limited. For participation in the seminar (17 November 2017), please register until 31 October 2017 via e-mail (lst.mahlmann@rwi.uzh.ch).

The lectures will be held in English, the discussions in both German and English.

**Organisation**

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