

**The European electronic communications regulatory framework (Code) and
the DMA proposal in light of the challenges of digital markets**

**Der Europäische Kodex für elektronische Kommunikation und der
DMA-Vorschlag im Lichte der Herausforderungen digitaler Märkte**

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A Virtual Workshop organized by Dr. ANNEGRET GROEBEL, Prof. Dr. BERND HOLZNAGEL (WWU Münster),
(Bundesnetzagentur), and Prof. Dr. LUDWIG GRAMLICH (TU Chemnitz).

Time	Topic	Speakers
9:00- 9:15	Welcome and opening Begrüßung	Prof. Dr. JOHANN KINDL Dean of Studies of the Faculty of Law of the University of Münster
9:15- 9:30	Key Note	Dr. ANNEGRET GROEBEL German Federal Network Agency, Head of Department International Relations/Postal Regulation and President of the CEER (Council of European Energy Regulators)
9:30- 11:00	Panel I: The objectives and subject-matter of the European Electronic Communications Code and BEREC's role according to the 2018 BEREC Regulation Ziele des European Electronic Communications Code und die Rolle von BEREC nach der 2018 BEREC.VO <i>Connectivity and cooperation - Functional assignment in networks</i> Konnektivität und Kooperationen	RITA WEZENBEEK (tbc) European Commission

	<i>Telecommunications Modernization Act</i> <i>Das Telekommunikationsmodernisierungsgesetz</i>	Dr. PHILIPP GRÜN German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy
	<i>BEREC Regulation and the relationship between the European and national level</i> <i>Die BEREC-VO und das Verhältnis zwischen europäischer und nationaler Ebene</i>	Prof. Dr. LUDWIG GRAMLICH Chemnitz University of Technology
11:00- 11:15	Coffee break	
11:15- 13:15	Panel II: Market regulation Marktregulierung <i>Market regulation in the Code from an SMP operator's perspective</i> <i>Marktregulierung nach dem Kodex aus Sicht eines SMP-Betreibers</i>	Dr. RALF NIGGE Deutsche Telekom AG, Bonn
	<i>Symmetric regulation</i> <i>Symmetrische Regulierung</i>	Prof. Dr. JÖRN SICKMANN Professor of Economics at the University of Applied Sciences Rhine-Waal, Kleve
	<i>Network expansion and cooperation in practice</i> <i>Netzausbau und Kooperationen in der Praxis</i>	Dr. MATTHIAS BAUMGÄRTEL In-house lawyer at EWE TEL GmbH, Oldenburg
	<i>Input: Recent studies by WIK and study on the relevant market recommendation</i> <i>Neuere WIK-Studien und die Studie zu der Empfehlung über relevante Märkte, die für eine Vorabregulierung in Betracht kommen</i>	Dr. CARA SCHWARZ-SCHILLING Director and General Manager of the Scientific Institute for Infrastructure and Communications Services (WIK), Bad Honnef
13:15- 14:15	Lunch break	

14:15- 15:15	<p>Panel III: Data economy and competition law – New developments</p> <p>Datenökonomie und Wettbewerbsrecht – Neue Entwicklungen</p> <p><i>Data economy and competition</i> Dr. SEBASTIAN WISMER</p> <p><i>Datenökonomie und Wettbewerbsrecht</i> German Federal Cartel Office</p>
	<p><i>Data protection (GDPR and e-Privacy Regulation)</i> Prof. Dr. BERND HOLZNAGEL,</p> <p><i>Datenschutz und die E-Privacy-Verordnung</i> Director of the Institute for Information, Telecommunication and Media Law at the University of Münster</p>
15:15- 15:30	Coffee break
15:30- 16:30	<p>Panel IV: DMA proposal – where do we stand?</p> <p>DMA-Vorschlag – wo stehen wir?</p> <p><i>The DMA proposal – state of play of the legislative proposal</i> MEP ANDREAS SCHWAB (Rapporteur) tbc</p> <p><i>Der DMA-Vorschlag – Stand des parlamentarischen Verfahrens</i></p>
	<p><i>The NRAs' position on the DMA proposal and the role for BEREC</i> ANDREA SANDERS-WINTER</p> <p><i>Die Position der NRB zum DMA-Vorschlag und die Rolle von BEREC</i> German Federal Network Agency, Head of Division Internet, Digitalization Issues (esp. SMEs), Market Analysis</p>
	<p><i>Regulation of OTT services: What the new definition of "electronic communications services" means for WhatsApp & Co. and relation to DMA proposal</i> Dr. MARTIN GRUSZCZYK</p> <p><i>Die Regulierung von OTT-Diensten – Die neue Definition elektronischer Dienste nach dem Kodex</i> Senior Fellow at the Institute for Information, Telecommunication and Media Law at the University of Münster</p>

16:30- 17:30	<p>Panel V: The future of governance of digital markets</p> <p>Die zukünftige Governance digitaler Märkte</p> <p><i>Catalogue of security requirements for Telecommunications Networks and the NIS2 proposal</i></p> <p><i>Der Sicherheitskatalog und der NIS2-Vorschlag</i></p> <p>ELMAR ZILLES (tbc)</p> <p>German Federal Network Agency, Head of Department Legal Telecommunications Regulation Issues and Frequency Regulation</p>
	<p>Panel discussion</p> <p>“The future governance of digital markets”</p>
	<p><i>Moderator</i></p> <p>Prof. Dr. UWE CANTNER</p> <p>Prof. Dr. LUDWIG GRAMLICH</p> <p>Chemnitz University of Technology</p> <p>Head of the Commission of Experts for Research and Innovation of the German Federal Government, Friedrich-Schiller University, Jena</p> <p><i>N.N. German Federal Ministry of Transport and Digital Infrastructure</i></p>
	<p>BENEDIKT KIND</p> <p>Bundesverband Breitbandkommunikation e.V. (BREKO), Bonn</p> <p>Dr. STEPHAN KOREHNKE</p> <p>Head of Regulatory Affairs, Vodafone Germany, Köln</p>
17:30- 17:45	<p>Closing remarks</p> <p>Schlusswort</p> <p>Prof. Dr. BERND HOLZNAGEL</p> <p>Director of the Institute for Information, Telecommunication and Media Law at the University of Münster</p>

