

28 May 2025 | 10:00 – 13.00

Climate–Energy–Security Nexus

About the event

The symposium will address the evolving legal and policy landscape surrounding climate change, with particular focus on the Climate – Energy – Security Nexus, exploring how security has become a critical dimension in climate and energy policy. The event aims to:

- Analyze climate law through security, justice, and governance frameworks
- Bridge theoretical legal research with real-world policy implementation
- Serve as a networking platform for academics, policy makers, legal practitioners, and sector experts.

The complexity and transboundary nature of climate and security challenges demand international exchange and cooperation. The symposium brings together leading international experts to share diverse legal and policy perspectives, offering comparative insights and regional experiences that enrich the dialogue.

Agenda

10:00	Registration & Welcome Coffee
10:15	Opening Remarks & Introduction to the Symposium Theme Prof. Dr. Michael Rodi (IKEM/University of Greifswald, Germany)
10:25	Session 1: Legal and Policy Dimensions <i>Dr. Ivano Alogna (British Institute of International and Comparative Law)</i> Climate Litigation and Environmental Law in Security Contexts
10:45	Session 2: Trade, Energy, and Climate Policy <i>Dr. Kateryna Holzer (University of Eastern Finland)</i> The EU's Dilemma on International Carbon Credits in light of Security and Geoeconomic risks
11:10	Session 3: European Energy Solidarity and Governance <i>Dirk Buschle (College of Europe/Becker Büttner Held, Belgium/Germany)</i> European Perspective on Climate-Energy-Security
11:35	Coffee Break
12:00	Session 4: Energy Security and National Resilience – Lessons from Ukraine <i>Ievgeniia Kopytsia (MSCA4Ukraine Fellow, IKEM)</i> Energy Security as a Pillar of National Security: Lessons from Ukraine for Europe.
12:25	Panel Discussion & Q&A
13:00	Closing Remarks