

Book: Pocar - Viarengo - Villata (Eds.), Recasting Brussels I

✖ The Italian publishing house CEDAM has published a new volume on the review of the Brussels I regulation: “Recasting Brussels I”. The book, edited by *Fausto Pocar*, *Ilaria Viarengo* and *Francesca Clara Villata* (all from the Univ. of Milan) includes twenty-five papers divided into five parts, devoted to the scope of application (I), rules on jurisdiction (II), choice-of-court agreements (III), coordination of proceedings (IV) and recognition and enforcement of judgments (V).

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