Lecture on Globalization through the re-codification of property law?, organized in cooperation with ConflictofLaws.net

We are delighted to announce a lecture hosted by Matthias Weller at the University of Bonn in cooperation with *ConflictofLaws.net*. Professor Amnon Lehavi (Harry Radzyner Law School, Reichman University, Israel) is going to speak on 'Globalization through the re-codification of property law?'.

The globalization of markets, technology, and interpersonal networks poses a growing challenge for national legal systems. Property law is traditionally considered a "domestic" field of law, not only because of its structural features (such as the in rem or numerus clausus principles), but also because it promotes cultural, economic, and social values. The decision if property law should be globalized also requires a choice among potential globalization strategies (how to do so). This lecture examines four globalization strategies: (1) soft law /



private ordering; (2) conflict of laws; (3) approximation; and (4) supranationalism. It does so by comparing three types of assets: land, digital assets, and cultural property – which have all been dramatically affected by current processes of globalization, albeit in diverging ways. It is argued that different strategies of globalization, and corresponding forms of re-codification of national property laws, should be adopted for land, digital assets, and cultural property.

The event will take place on 17 May at 6.30pm at the Senate Hall of the University of Bonn; it can also be joined via Zoom. The flyer can be found here.