

# Joint Congress **CCBE-FBE**

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# Joint CCBE-FBE Congress Program

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## WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22<sup>ND</sup>

**07:30: Welcome Reception** hosted by the Supreme Bar Council and the Sofia Bar Association

**Location: Vrana Palace**

## THURSDAY, JUNE 23<sup>RD</sup>

**11:00: Meeting of the Commissions FBE**

Location: Grand Hotel Sofia

**13:00: Working lunch**

Location: Sofia Hotel Balkan

**13:45: Joint congress FBE-CCBE**

Location: Sofia Hotel Balkan

**13:45: Opening Ceremony**

**14:15: Working Sessions**

## FRIDAY, JUNE 24<sup>TH</sup>

**10:00: Forum des Bâtonniers**

Location: Grand Hotel Sofia

**11:00: General Assembly**

Location: Grand Hotel Sofia

**13:30: Farewell lunch**

Location: Grand Hotel Sofia

**Leisure program  
for  
June 25<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>**



# Joint CCBE-FBE Conference

## Sofia Hotel Balkan, 23 June 2022

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### The role of lawyers post-pandemic 2022

The dynamics of working in polarised societies, the changing image of lawyers, and the evolution of legal practice

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**13:45 – 14:15** Opening speeches

**Ivaylo DERMENDJIEV**

President of the Supreme Bar Council,

**Nikola MINCHEV**, President of the National Assembly

**Nadezhda YORDANOVA**, Minister of Justice

**Stephan MARCHEV**,

President of the Sofia Bar Association

**James MacGUILL**, President of the CCBE

**Dominique ATTIAS**, President of the FBE

**Florence ROBINE**, French Ambassador in Bulgaria

**14:15 – 14:35** Keynote speech by **Jeroen OUWEHAND**,

Global Senior Partner, Clifford Chance Amsterdam

“Social responsibility of law firms – How to reconcile the obligation of lawyers to represent their clients according to the law on the one hand, and public interest concerns on the other?”

**14:35 – 14:45** Debates and questions

**14:45 – 15:05** Keynote speech by **Rupert COWPER-COLES**, Partner at RPC London

“How to counter abusive litigation such as strategic lawsuits against public participation (SLAPPs)?”

**15:05 – 15:15** Debates and questions

**15:15 – 15:30** Coffee break

**15:30 – 16:15** Panel discussion on promoting social responsibility and countering abusive litigation

*Moderator:* **Bas MARTENS**, Vice-President of the European Bars Federation (FBE)

*Panellists:* **Jean-Marc GOLLIER**, Chair of the CCBE Environment and Climate Change Committee  
**Margarete von GALEN**, Former CCBE President  
**Michael GRIEM**, President of the Frankfurt Bar  
**Ivan GEORGIEV**, Member of the Sofia Bar Association

**16:15 – 16:30** Debates and questions

**16:30 – 17:15** Panel discussion on innovation and the digitalisation of legal practice

*Moderator:* **Izabela KONOPACKA**, Vice-President of the European Bars Federation (FBE)

*Panellists:* **Agnieszka POTERALSKA**, Member of the FBE New Technology Committee  
**Thierry WICKERS**, CCBE Third Vice-President and former Chair of the CCBE Future of the legal profession and legal services Committee  
**Iain MITCHELL**, Vice-Chair of the CCBE Surveillance Committee  
**Zhulieta MANDADZHIEVA**, Member of the Sofia Bar Association

**17:15 – 17:30** Debates and questions

# Conférence conjointe CCBE FBE

## Sofia Hotel Balkan, 23 Juin 2022

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### Le rôle des avocats après la pandémie en 2022

La dynamique de travail dans des sociétés polarisées, l'évolution de l'image des avocats et l'évolution de la pratique juridique

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**13:45 – 14:15** Discours d'ouverture

**Ivaylo DERMENDJIEV,**

Président du Conseil Supérieur des Avocats bulgares

**Nikola MINCHEV,** Président de l'Assemblée nationale

**Nadezhda YORDANOVA,** Ministre de la Justice

**Stephan MARCHEV,** Président du Barreau de Sofia

**James MacGUILL,** Président du CCBE

**Dominique ATTIAS,** Présidente de la FBE

**Florence ROBINE,** Ambassadrice de France en Bulgarie

**14:15 – 14:35** Discours d'introduction par **Jeroen OUWEHAND,**

Global Senior Partner, Clifford Chance Amsterdam

Responsabilité sociale des cabinets d'avocats - Comment concilier l'obligation des avocats de représenter leurs clients conformément à la loi, d'une part, et les préoccupations d'intérêt public, d'autre part ?

**14:35 – 14:45** Débat et questions

**14:45 – 15:05** Discours d'introduction par **Rupert COWPER-COLES,**  
Partner at RPC London

„Comment contrer les recours abusifs tels que les poursuites stratégiques contre la participation publique (SLAPP)?“

**15:05 – 15:15** Débat et questions

**15.15 – 15.30** Pause café

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**15:30 – 16:15** Table ronde sur la promotion de la responsabilité sociale et la lutte contre les recours abusifs

Modérateur: **Bas MARTENS**, Vice-Président de la Fédération des Barreaux d'Europe (FBE)

Panélistes: **Jean-Marc GOLLIER**, Président de la Commission Environnement et changement climatique du CCBE  
**Margarete von GALEN**, Ancienne Présidente du CCBE  
**Michael GRIEM**, Président du Barreau de Francfort  
**Ivan GEORGIEV**, Avocat au Barreau de Sofia

**16:15 – 16:30** Débat et questions

**16:30 – 17:15** Table ronde sur l'innovation et la numérisation de la pratique juridique

Modérateur: **Izabela KONOPACKA**, Vice-Présidente de la Fédération des Barreaux d'Europe (FBE)

Panélistes: **Agnieszka POTERALSKA**, Membre de la Commission Nouvelles Technologies de la FBE  
**Thierry WICKERS**, Troisième Vice-Président du CCBE et ancien Président de la commission Prospective du CCBE  
**Iain MITCHELL**, Vice-Président de la Commission Surveillance du CCBE  
**Zhulieta MANDADZHIEVA**, Avocat au Barreau de Sofia

**17:15 – 17:30** Débat et questions

# Gemeinsame CCBE-FBE-Konferenz Sofia Hotel Balkan, 23 Juni 2022

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## Die Rolle der Anwälte nach der Pandemie 2022

Die Dynamik der Arbeit in polarisierten Gesellschaften, das sich wandelnde Image der Anwälte und die Entwicklung der Rechtspraxis

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**13:45 - 14:15** Eröffnungsansprachen

**Ivaylo DERMENDJIEV,**

Präsident des Höchsten Anwaltsrates

**Nikola MINCHEV,**

Präsident des Nationalen Parlaments

**Nadezhda YORDANOVA,** Justizministerin

**Stephan MARCHEV,**

Präsident der Anwaltskammer Sofia

**James MacGUILL,** Präsident vom CCBE

**Dominique ATTIAS,** Präsidentin von der FBE

**Florence ROBINE,**

Französische Botschafterin in Bulgarien

**14:15 - 14:35** Vortrag von **Jeroen OUWEHAND,** Global Senior Partner, Clifford Chance Amsterdam

Die soziale Verantwortung von Anwaltskanzleien - Wie lassen sich die Verpflichtung von Anwälten, ihre Mandanten rechtskonform zu vertreten, einerseits und die Belange des öffentlichen Interesses andererseits miteinander vereinbaren?

**14:35 - 14:45** Diskussion und Fragen

**14:45 - 15:05** Vortrag von **Rupert COWPER-COLES,** Partner bei RPC London

„Wie kann man missbräuchliche Rechtsstreitigkeiten wie strategische Klagen gegen die öffentliche Beteiligung (SLAPPs) bekämpfen?“

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**15:05 – 15:15** Kaffeepause

**15:30 – 16:15** Podiumsdiskussion zur Förderung der sozialen Verantwortung und zur Bekämpfung von missbräuchlichen Rechtsstreitigkeiten

Moderator: **Bas MARTENS**, Vize-Präsident vom Verband  
Europäischer Rechtsanwaltskammern (FBE)  
Podiumsteilnehmer  
**Jean-Marc GOLLIER**, Vorsitzender des CCBE-Ausschusses für Umwelt und Klimawandel  
**Margarete von GALEN**, Ehemalige CCBE Präsidentin  
**Michael GRIEM**, Präsident der Rechtsanwaltskammer Frankfurt  
**Ivan GEORGIEV**, Mitglied der Rechtsanwaltskammer Sofia

**16:15 – 16:30** Diskussion und Fragen

**16:30 – 17:15** Podiumsdiskussion über Innovation und die Digitalisierung der Rechtspraxis

Moderator: **Izabela KONOPACKA**, Vize-Präsidentin vom Verband  
Europäischer Rechtsanwaltskammern (FBE)  
Podiumsteilnehmer:  
**Agnieszka POTERALSKA**, Mitglied des FBE-Ausschusses für neue Technologien  
**Thierry WICKERS**, Dritter Vizepräsident des CCBE und ehemaliger Vorsitzender des CCBE-Ausschusses “Zukunft der Anwaltschaft und Rechtsdienstleistungen”  
**Iain MITCHELL**, Stellvertretender Vorsitzender des CCBE-Überwachungsausschusses  
**Zhulieta MANDADZHIEVA**, Mitglied der Rechtsanwaltskammer Sofia

**17:15 – 17:30** Diskussion und Fragen

# Congreso CCBE-FBE

## Sofia Hotel Balkan, 23 Junio 2022

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### **El papel de la Abogacía durante la post pademia 2022**

La dinámica del trabajo en sociedades polarizadas, la imagen cambiante de los abogados/das y la evolución de la práctica jurídica

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**13:45 – 14:15** Intervenciones sesión inaugural

**Ivaylo DERMEJIEV,**

Presidente del Supreme Bar Council

**Nikola MINCHEV,** Presidente la National Assembly

**Nadezhda YORDANOVA,** Ministra de Justicia

**Stephan MARCHEV,** Presidente Sofia Bar Association

**James MacGUILL,** Presidente del CCBE

**Dominique ATTIAS,** Presidenta de la FBE

**Florence ROBINE,** Embajador francés en Bulgaria

**14:15 – 14:35** Conferencia principal a cargo de **Jeroen OUWEHAND,**  
Global Senior Partner, Clifford Chance Amsterdam  
Responsabilidad social de los despachos de abogados  
- ¿Cómo conciliar la obligación de los abogados/as de  
representar a sus clientes conforme a la ley, por un lado,  
y las preocupaciones de interés público, por otro?

**14:35 – 14:45** Debate

**14:45 – 15:05** Conferencia principal a cargo de

**Rupert COWPER-COLES,** Partner at RPC Londres

¿Cómo limitar los litigios abusivos, como las demandas  
estratégicas contra la participación pública (SLAPP)?

**15:05 – 15:15** Debate

**15:15 – 15:30** Pausa-café

**15:30 – 16:15** Debate sobre la promoción de la responsabilidad social y limitación de los litigios abusivo

Moderador: **Bas MARTENS**, Vice Presidente de la Federación de Colegios de Abogados de Europa (FBE)

Panelistas: **Jean-Marc GOLLIER**, Jefe de la Comisión de Environment and Climate Change del CCBE

**Margarete von GALEN**, Ex Presidenta CCBE

**Michael GRIEM**, Presidente del Colegio de Abogados de Frankfurt

**Ivan GEORGIEV**, Miembro del Colegio de Abogados de Sofía

**16:15 – 16:30** Debate

**16:30 – 17:15** Debate sobre la innovación y la digitalización de la práctica jurídica

Moderadora: **Izabela KONOPACKA**, Vice-Presidenta de la Federación de Colegios de Abogados de Europa (FBE)

Panelistas: **Agnieszka POTERALSKA**, Miembro de la Comisión de Nuevas Tecnologías de la FBE

**Thierry WICKERS**, Tercer Vice Presidente del CCBE y Ex Presidente de la Comisión de futuro de la Abogacía y servicios legales del CCBE

**Iain MITCHELL**, Vice-Presidente del Surveillance Committee del CCBE

**Zhulieta MANDADZHIEVA**, Miembro de la Sofia Bar Association

**17:15 – 17:30** Debate

# Congresso CCBE-FBE

## Sofia - Hotel Balkan, 23 Giugno 2022

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### Il ruolo degli avvocati nella post-pandemia 2022

Le dinamiche di lavoro nelle società polarizzate, l'immagine cambiante degli avvocati e l'evoluzione della pratica legale

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**13:45 - 14:15** interventi aperti

**Ivaylo DERMENDJIEV,**

Presidente della Supreme Bar Council

**Nikola MINCHEV,** Presidente della National Assembly

**Nadezhda YORDANOVA,** Ministro di Giustizia

**Stephan MARCHEV,**

Presidente dell'Ordine Avvocati di Sofia,

**James MacGUILL,** Presidente della CCBE

**Dominique ATTIAS,** Presidente della FBE

**Florence ROBINE,** Ambasciatore Francese in Bulgaria

**14:15 - 14:35** Intervento principale di **Jeroen OUWEHAND,**

Global Senior Partner, Clifford Chance Amsterdam

Responsabilità Sociale delle firme legali – Come riconciliare l'obbligo degli avvocati di rappresentare i loro clienti secondo la legge da una parte e l'interesse pubblico da l'altra ?

**14:35 - 14:45** Dibattito

**14:45 - 15:05** Intervento principale di **Rupert COWPER-COLES,** Partner di RPC Londra

„Come contrarrestare il contenzioso abusivo come azione legale strategica contro la partecipazione pubblica (SLAPPs)?“

**15:05 - 15:15** Dibattito

**15:15 – 15:30** Pausa caffè

**15:30 – 16:15** Dibattito su come promuovere la responsabilità sociale e contenere i contenziosi abusivi

Moderator: **Bas MARTENS**, Vice-Presidente della Federazione Ordini Avvocati d'Europa (FBE)

Relatori: **Jean-Marc GOLLIER**, Presidente della CCBE Environment and Climate Change Committee

**Margarete von GALEN**, Già Presidente della CCBE

**Michael GRIEM**, Presidente dell'Ordine Avvocati di Francoforte

**Ivan GEORGIEV**, Membro dell'Ordine Avvocati di Sofia

**16:15 – 16:30** Dibattito

**16:30 – 17:15** Dibattito sull'innovazione e digitalizzazione della pratica legale

Moderatore: **Izabela KONOPACKA**, Vice-Presidente della Federazione Ordini Forensi d'Europa (FBE)

Relatori: **Agnieszka POTERALSKA**, Membro della FBE New Technology Committee

**Thierry WICKERS**, Vice-Presidente Terzo della CCBE e già presidente della CCBE Future of the legal profession and legal services Committee

**Iain MITCHELL**, Vice-Presidente della CCBE Surveillance Committee

**Zhulieta MANDADZHIEVA**, Panelista dell'Ordine Avvocati di Sofia

**17:15 – 17:30** Dibattito

# Съвместно събитие на ССВЕ и FBE

## 23 юни 2022, София Хотел Балкан

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### Ролята на адвоката след пандемия 2022:

Динамиката на работата в поляризирани общества, променящият се имидж на адвокатите и еволюцията на правната практика

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**13:45 – 14:15** Откриващи речи

**Ивайло Дерменджиев**, Председател на Висшия адвокатски съвет

**Никола Минчев**, Председател на Народното събрание

**Надежда Йорданова**, Министър на правосъдието

**Стефан Марчев**, Председател на Софийска адвокатска колегия

**James MacGUILL**, Председател на ССВЕ

**Dominique ATTIAS**, Председател на FBE

**Florence ROBINE**, Френски посланик в България

**14:15 – 14:35** Основно обръщение – **Jeroen OUWENHAND**, Global Senior Partner, Clifford Chance Amsterdam

Социална отговорност на правните кантори - Как да съвместим задължението на адвокатите да представляват клиентите си според закона, от една страна, и обществените интереси, от друга?

**14:35 – 14:45** Дискусия и въпроси

**14:45 – 15:05** Основно обръщение – **Rupert COWPER-COLES**, Partner at RPC London

„Как да противодействаме / избягваме злоупотреби със съдебни спорове (като SLAPP – Стратегически дела срещу общественото участие)?

**15:05 – 15:15** Кафе пауза

**15:30 – 16:15** Дискусионен панел 1: Насърчаване на социалната отговорност и противодействие на неправомерни съдебни спорове

Модератор: **Bas MARTENS**, Заместник-председател на Европейската федерация на адвокатите (FBE)

Панелисти: **Jean-Marc GOLLIER**, Председател на комисията по околна среда и изменение на климата на ССВЕ

**Margarete von GALEN**, Предходен председател на ССВЕ

**Michael GRIEM**, Председател на адвокатската колегия във Франкфурт

**Ivan GEORGIEV**, Софийска Адвокатска Колегия

**16:15 – 16:30** Дискусия и въпроси

**16:30 – 17:15** Дискусионен панел 2: Иновация и дигитализация на правната практика

Модератор: **Izabela KONOPACKA**, Заместник-председател на Европейската федерация на адвокатите (FBE)

Панелисти: **Agnieszka POTERALSKA**, Член на Комитета за нови технологии на FBE

**Thierry WICKERS**, Трети вицепрезидент на ССВЕ и предходен председател на Комитета на ССВЕ за бъдеще на комисията по правна професия и правни услуги

**Iain MITCHELL**, Заместник-председател на Надзорния комитет на ССВЕ

**Zhulieta MANDADZHIEVA**, Софийска Адвокатска Колегия

**17:15 – 17:30** Дискусия и въпроси

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