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# Images of Female Legal Professionals in Popular Culture: A Transnational Comparison

**11 - 12 August 2022**

University of Münster, Germany  
Johannisstraße 4, Room JO 101/102



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## Wednesday, 10 August 2022

Arrival of Participants

18:00 Get-Together Dinner at Le Feu am Schloß, Schlossplatz48, 48143 Münster

## Thursday, 11 August 2022

Venue: University of Münster, Johannisstraße 4, Room JO101/102

09:30 Joint Walk to Workshop Venue

09:45 Registration of Participants

10:00 – 10:30 **Welcome Address and Introductory Remarks**

AGYA member **Lena-Maria Möller**

University of Münster &

Max Planck Institute for Comparative and International Private Law, Germany

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break

10:45 – 11:45 **Female Police Negotiators in Money Heist**

by **Anja Louis**

Sheffield Hallam University, UK

**Discussant: Lena-Maria Möller**

University of Münster & Max Planck Institute for Private Law, Hamburg, Germany

**Chair: Hanna Luise Kroll**

University of Münster, Germany

11:45 – 12:45 **Chasing Clair Huxtable:  
How to Get Away with Being a Black Woman Lawyer**

by **Kellyn O. McGee**

State Bar of Georgia, USA

**Discussant: Lucy Jewel**

University of Tennessee, USA

**Chair: Laura Schmitz-Justen**

University of Münster, Germany

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch at Restaurant LUX, Domplatz 10, 48143 Münster

14:00 – 15:00 **Female Lawyers in Arab Popular Culture:  
Outliers and Aligned to Traditional Female Roles**

by **Aisha Al-Naama & Hilary Bell**

Hamad Bin Khalifa University, Qatar

**Discussant: Hania Nashef**

American University of Sharjah, UAE

**Chair: Norbert Oberauer**

University of Münster, Germany

15:00 – 15:15 Coffee Break

15:15 – 16:15

**“The Rookie and the Fallen Elite”:  
An Examination of the Portrayal of Female Lawyers  
in the Japanese Legal Drama “Onna Wa Sore Wo Yurusanai”**

by **Elizabeth Rajapakse**

University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka

**Discussant: Kerstin Wilhelms**

University of Münster, Germany

**Chair: Johannes Ueberfeldt**

University of Münster, Germany

16:30 Joint Walk to Hotel

18:30 – 20:30 Dinner at Restaurant La Locando, Frauenstr. 32, 48143 Münster

## Friday, 12 August 2022

Venue: University of Münster, Johannisstraße 4, Room JO101/102

09:00 Joint Walk to Workshop Venue

09:30 – 10:30 **Breaking Barriers:  
Representing the First Indian Female Lawyer in Fiction**

by **Shivangi Gangwar**

Jindal Global Law School, India

**Discussant: Jayana Jain**

University of Münster, Germany

**Chair: AGYA member Shahd Alshammari**

Gulf University for Science and Technology, Kuwait

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break

10:45 – 11:45 **Celluloid Women Lawyers in Iran:  
Feminist Voices in Fictional Courtrooms**

by **Saeed Zeydabadi-Nejad**

SOAS, University of London, UK

**Discussant: Nadjma Yassari**

Max Planck Institute for Comparative and International Private Law, Germany

**Chair: Daniel Arjomand-Zoike**

University of Münster, Germany

11:45 – 12:30 **Final Remarks & Discussion of Publication Plans**

12:30 – 13:30 Lunch at Restaurant Mocca d'or, Rothenburg 14-16, 48143 Münster

13:30 Joint Walk to Hotel

## Saturday, 13 August 2022

Departure of Participants



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