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Alejandro Calzetta: Eugenio Bulygin and the Evolution of the Theory of Competence Norms

The Department of Foundations of Law in the Faculty of Law cordially invites you to the next meeting of our Maastricht Foundations of Law Colloquia.

On 26 February, our speaker is Alejandro Calzetta from the University of Genova.



Event details

Date: Wednesday 26 February 2025

Time: 16.00 – 18:00 hrs

Venue:

Faculty of Law
Bouillonstraat 1-3, Maastricht
B1.019 (Bestuurskamer) and via Zoom

Abstract

The purpose of this work is to give an account of the theoretical path taken by Eugenio Bulygin in trying to establish a theory for the norms of competence and how the results of his research served as a starting point for two of the most interesting approaches to norms of competence in legal theory (at least in what we call the civil law tradition). These are, namely, the approaches of Jordi Ferrer Beltrán and Jorge Rodriguez. Given the apparent similarity of these, a comparison will be made between both to demonstrate that, although there is a clear similarity since both arise from the same theoretical trunk, the options pursued by each author make these approaches different enough to be considered independent of each other. Finally, a solution will be offered to the problems of the approaches that combine elements of Bulygin and his two successors, and those of Riccardo Guastini's in a Buenos Aires-Genoese synthesis. To this end, use will be made of the notion of constitutive system developed by Calzetta and Rábanos in 2022 to present an account of legal competence based on a multi norm approach.

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