



NEW YORK STATE BAR ASSOCIATION  
**INTERNATIONAL SECTION**



# EUROPEAN CONFERENCE 2015

“Switzerland, EU and USA: Partners in Success”

**March 12 – 13, 2015** Winterthur/Zurich (Switzerland)

**New York State Bar Association  
International Section**  
New York

**ZHAW School of Management and Law  
Centre for Competition and Commercial Law**  
Winterthur

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The executive committee meeting takes place on Thursday afternoon and the actual conference with focus on determined subject-matters will be held on Friday.

## Thursday, March 12

Zunfthaus zur Saffran, Limmatquai 54, 8001 Zürich

- 12:00 – 1:30 pm**    **Lunch (private meeting of the Chapters)**
- 1:30 – 3:00 pm**    **Chapter Chair Meeting (private meeting of the Chapters)**
- 3:00 – 4:30 pm**    **Executive Committee Meeting (private meeting of the Executive Committee)**  
**Thomas N. Pieper**, Hogan Lovells US LLP, Chair, International Section
- 5:00 – 7:00 pm**    **Swiss Association for Compliance & Competition Law (ACCL)**  
**proudly presents 3rd Competition Law Update**
- Welcoming Remarks**  
**Martin Graf**, Executive Council, Zurich Department of Justice
- Recent Developments in US Antitrust**  
**Scott Hammond**, Gibson Dunn  
**Jay L. Himes**, Labaton Sucharow LLP  
**Peter Sullivan**, Gibson Dunn
- 8:00 pm**            **Dinner (optional)**

### Important CLE Information

This program will satisfy up to **2.0** NY MCLE credit hours in the professional practice category. This program will not qualify for newly admitted attorneys because it is not a basic practical skills program.

## Friday, March 13

Conference will focus on the following topic: "Switzerland, EU and USA: Partners in Success"  
**ZHAW School of Management and Law, St.-Georgen-Platz 2, 8401 Winterthur**

- 7:45 – 8:15 am**    **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:15 – 8:30 am**    **Welcoming Remarks**  
**Hans-Ruedi Grob**, Blum&Grob Attorneys at Law Ltd, Zurich Bar Association  
**Thomas N. Pieper**, Hogan Lovells US LLP, Chair, International Section  
**Jean-Marc Piveteau**, Rector, ZHAW School of Management and Law
- 8:30 – 9:45 am**    **Construction Law | International Dispute Resolution Methods – Best Practices**  
**Blaise Carron**, University of Neuchâtel (Session's Chair)  
**Nancy M. Thevenin**, Thevenin Arbitration & ADR, LLC (Session's Co-Chair)  
**Marc Beaumont**, Windsor Chambers  
**German Grüniger**, Implenia AG  
**Petr Koblovsky**, Kocián Šolc Balaščík  
**Thomas Siegenthaler**, Scherler + Siegenthaler Rechtsanwälte AG
- 9:45 – 10:00 am**    **Networking Break**
- 10:00 – 11:15 am**    **Labor Law | Privacy Protection and Beyond in Digital Ages**  
**Kurt Pärli**, ZHAW School of Management and Law (Session's Chair)  
**Philip M. Berkowitz**, Littler's Internat. Empl. Law Practice Group (Session's Co-Chair)  
**François Berbinau**, BFPL Avocats  
**Gerald J. Ferguson**, Baker & Hostetler LLP  
**Paul Lanois**, Cross-border Legal, Credit Suisse  
**Adrian von Kaenel**, Streiff von Kaenel AG

## Friday, March 13 (continued)

11:15 – 11:30 am **Networking Break**

11:30 – 12:45 pm **Financial Services & Extraterritoriality | Challenges to the Business**

**John Zulack**, Flemming Zulack Williamson Zauderer LLP (Session's Chair)  
**Andreas Abegg**, ZHAW School of Management and Law (Session's Co-Chair)  
**Oliver Bretz**, Euclid Law Ltd.  
**John Briggs**, Axinn, Veltrop & Harkrider  
**Olivier Schaller**, Swiss Competition Commission  
**Otto Waechter**, Graf & Pitkowitz Rechtsanwälte GmbH

12:45 – 2:15 pm **Lunch**

### Pre-Lunch Key Note Speech

**Nicolas von Werdt**, Justice, Swiss Supreme Court  
*"US Case-Law and Swiss Continental Law: How Complementary are both Systems?"*

### After-Lunch Key Note Speech

**Marco Villiger**, General Counsel, FIFA  
*"Compliance Outside the Football Pitch"*

2:30 – 3:45 pm **Competition Law | Global Litigation Issues**

**Patrick L. Krauskopf**, Agon Partners (Session's Chair)  
**Melanie Aitken**, Bennett Jones (Session's Co-Chair)  
**Marco Amorese**, AMSL Avvocati  
**Bettina Bergmann**, Bergmann Law  
**Casey W. Halladay**, McMillan  
**Scott Hammond**, Gibson Dunn  
**Andreas Heinemann**, Vice-Chair, Swiss Competition Commission  
**Wes Powell**, Willkie Farr

3:45 – 4:00 pm **Networking Break**

4:00 – 4:15 pm **Afternoon Key Note Speech**

**Martin Naville**, Swiss-American Chamber of Commerce  
*"Swiss-American Business Relationship: Time to Take Stock"*

4:15 – 5:30 pm **Data Protection | Confidentiality Duties in a Global Market Place**

**Jay L. Himes**, Labaton Sucharow LLP (Session's Chair)  
**Andreas D. Länzlinger**, Bär & Karrer (Session's Co-Chair)  
**Claudia Fritsche**, BRP Bizzozero & Partners  
**Adam Golodner**, Kaye Scholer LLP  
**Claudia Götz Staehelin**, Novartis International AG  
**Jamie Stern**, Senior Litigation Counsel, UBS

5:30 – 6:00 pm **Closing Key Note Speech**  
**Suzan G. LeVine**, United States Ambassador to Switzerland

6:00 pm **Closing Remarks**

6:15 pm **Gala-Dinner (optional, limited space)**  
Haus zur Geduld, Marktgasse 22, 8402 Winterthur

### Important CLE Information

This program will satisfy up to **7.5** NY MCLE credit hours in the professional practice category. This program will not qualify for newly admitted attorneys because it is not a basic practical skills program.

# LOCATIONS

## Zunftthaus zur Saffran Limmatquai 54, 8001 Zürich

The “Zunftthaus zur Saffran” is located in the heart of the city. You can reach it by tram 4 and 15 (station “Rathaus”) or by foot.



## ZHAW School of Management and Law (SW) St.-Georgen-Platz 2, 8401 Winterthur

The building is located next to the main station and you can reach it easily by foot (about 5 to 10 minutes).

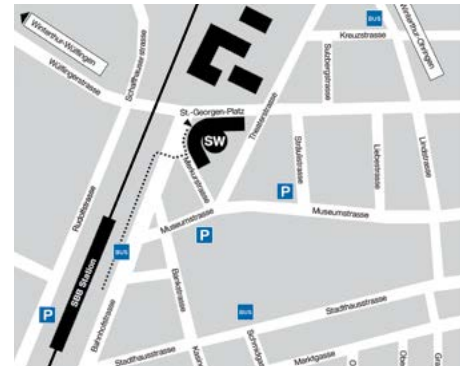
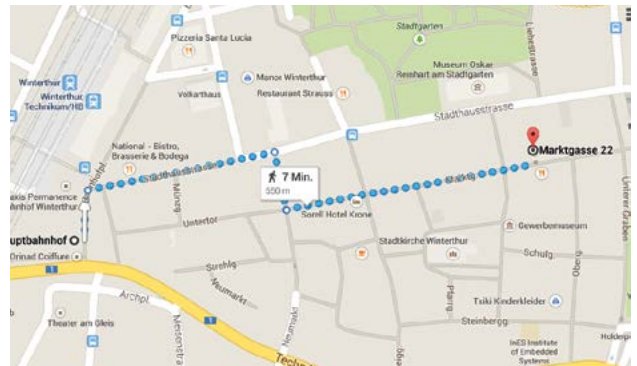


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## Haus zur Geduld Marktgasse 22, 8402 Winterthur

The building is located next to the main station and you can reach it easily by foot (about 7 minutes).



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# HOTELS

We recommend the **following hotels** as most conveniently located to the meetings. Please note that attendees must make their own reservations directly with the hotel.

## 5\* Hotels:

### Radisson Blu

<http://www.radissonblu.com/hotel-zurichairport>

The hotel is located directly at the Zurich Airport (5 minutes by foot). Distance to Zurich Main Station: about 10 – 15 minutes by public transport, 12 – 15 minutes by taxi. Distance to Winterthur Main Station: about 15 minutes by public transport, 20 minutes by taxi.

### Hotel Savoy

<http://www.savoy-zuerich.ch>

Distance to Zurich Airport 10 – 15 minutes by taxi. Distance by public transport about 30 – 40 minutes. Distance to Zurich Main Station: 10 minutes by tram, 7 – 10 minutes by taxi, 15 minutes by foot. Distance to Winterthur Main Station: about 35 minutes by public transport, 25 minutes by taxi.

### Baur au Lac

<https://www.bauraulac.ch>

Distance to Zurich Airport: 15 minutes by taxi, 30 – 40 minutes by public transport. Distance to Zurich Main Station: 5 minutes by taxi, 10 minutes by public transport (tramway), 15 – 20 minutes by foot. Distance to Winterthur Main Station: about 30 minutes by public transport, 25 minutes by taxi.

### Hotel Widder

<http://www.widderhotel.ch>

Distance to Zurich Airport: 10 – 15 minutes by taxi, 30 minutes by public transport. Distance to Zurich Main Station: 8 minutes by tram, 3 – 5 minutes by taxi, 10 minutes by foot. Distance to Winterthur Main Station: about 35 minutes by public transport, 25 minutes by taxi.

## 4\* Hotels:

### Hilton Zürich Airport

[www.hilton.com](http://www.hilton.com)

Distance to Zurich Airport: 5 minutes by taxi/shuttle. Distance to Zurich Main Station: 10 – 15 minutes by taxi, 30 – 40 minutes by public transport. Distance to Winterthur Main Station: about 30 – 40 minutes by public transport, 20 minutes by taxi.

### Hotel Krone Unterstrass

<http://www.hotel-krone.ch>

Distance to Zurich Airport: 10 minutes by taxi/shuttle. Distance to Zurich Main Station: 5 minutes by taxi, 10 – 15 minutes by public transport. Distance to Winterthur Main Station: about 35 – 40 minutes by public transport, 20 – 25 minutes by taxi.

### Hotel Zum Storchen

<http://www.storchen.ch>

Distance to Zurich Airport: 15 minutes by taxi and 10 minutes by train from Zurich Main Station. Distance to Zurich Main Station 12 minutes by tram, 15 minutes by foot, 5 minutes by taxi. Total way by public transport: about 30 minutes to the airport. Distance to Winterthur Main Station: about 30 minutes by public transport, 25 minutes by taxi.

### Hotel Wellenberg

<http://www.hotel-wellenberg.ch>

Distance to Zurich Airport 10 – 15 minutes by taxi. Distance to Zurich Airport by public transport about 30 – 40 minutes. Distance to Zurich Main Station: 8 minutes by tram, 10 – 15 minutes by foot, 5 minutes by taxi. Distance to Winterthur Main Station: about 30 minutes by public transport, 25 minutes by taxi.

# HOTELS

## **Parkhotel**

<https://phwin.ch>

Is located 10 minutes (by foot) or 2 minutes (by taxi) to the Winterthur Main Station. Distance to the assembly hall (St. Georgenplatz 2): 10 minutes by foot, 2 minutes by taxi.

## **Hotel Banana City**

<http://www.bananacity.ch>

Is located 6 minutes (by foot) or 2 minutes (by taxi) to the Winterthur Main Station. Distance to the assembly hall (St. Georgenplatz 2): 3 minutes by foot.

## **3\* Hotels:**

### **Krone**

<http://www.kronewinterthur.ch>

Is located 5 minutes (by foot) or 3 minutes by taxi to the Winterthur Main Station. Distance to the assembly hall (St. Georgenplatz 2): 5 minutes by foot.

### **Hotel Wartmann**

<http://www.wartmann.ch>

Is located directly at the Winterthur Main Station. Distance to the assembly hall (St. Georgenplatz 2): by foot 5 minutes.



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Name of child(ren), please include ages \_\_\_\_\_

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## MEETINGS

Please choose your meeting schedule:

### Thursday, March 12, 2015

- Lunch, 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm (EC members only)
- Chapter Chair Meeting, 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm (EC members only)
- Executive Committee Meeting, 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm (EC members only)
- Competition Law Event - Recent Developments in US Antitrust  
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm – *125.00 USD*

Note: **NY MCLE** credit fee additional

- NY CLE credit – *40.00 USD* - NY CLE credit will only be given to those who register and pay the fee.
- Dinner (optional) 8:00 pm – *100.00 USD*  
(wine and soft drinks included)

**Location:** Zunfthaus zur Saffran, Limmatquai 54, 8001 Zürich

### Friday, March 13, 2015

Note: **NY MCLE** credit fee additional

- NY CLE credit – *75.00 USD* - NY CLE credit will only be given to those who register and pay the fee.  
Conference with focus on the following subject-matters:  
"Switzerland, EU and USA: Partners in Success"  
8:15 am – 6:15 pm

- NYSBA Member – *250.00 USD*
- NYSBA International Section Member – *100.00 USD*
- Non-Member – *375.00 USD*

- Newly Admitted Attorney (2008 or after) – *100.00 USD*

**Location:** ZHAW, Aula SW, St.-Georgen-Platz 2, 8400 Winterthur

- Gala-Dinner (optional, limited space) 6:15 pm – *100.00 USD* (exclusive drinks)

**Location:** Haus zur Geduld, Marktgasse 22, 8402 Winterthur

## REGISTRATION FORM

### International Section

European Conference—Zurich  
March 12–13, 2015

Winterthur/Zurich  
Switzerland

### Registration fees include:

Programming and costs associated with programming, coffee breaks, and Friday lunch.

To receive MCLE credit, attorneys must pay the attorney NY CLE fee.

### Cancellation Notice:

Notice of cancellation must be received by February 27, 2015 in order to obtain a refund of fees.

### Register ONLINE:

[www.nysba.org/ilpzurich2015](http://www.nysba.org/ilpzurich2015)

### Mail or Fax this form to:

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## PAYMENT INFORMATION:

Payment for registration fees will be accepted by credit card only. Please include the name and address of the credit card holder if it is different from the registered attorney.

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