

The background of the slide is a photograph of the interior of Lincoln's Inn Hall. It features a series of repeating Gothic arches supported by tall, slender columns. The ceiling is a complex ribbed vault with decorative bosses. The lighting is warm, highlighting the stone's texture.

LIDC Congress 2024

Lincoln's Inn, 7-9 November

New Legal Order

**Coherent antitrust, IP and data
regulation, in a divergent world**

**Thursday 7
November**

13.00 – 18.00 **Delegate Registration**
13.00 – 18.00 **LIDC Committee Meetings**
18.00 – 19.30 **Drinks Reception**

**Friday 8
November**

09.15 – 17.15 **Opening Address and Panels**
17.30 – 18.45 **Gala Drinks and Reception**
19.00 - 22.00 **Gala Dinner, Lincolns Inn, Great Hall**

**Saturday 9
November**

09.30 – 12.30 **Scientific Committee Roundtable:
discussion of Competition Law and IP
international reports**
13.00 – 14.00 **Buffet Lunch at the Lady Ottoline**
14.30 – 15.30 **Private Tour: Sir John Soane Museum**

Opening address & introductions 9.30 – 10.00	Opening address Rt Hon Lady Rose of Colmworth DBE , The Supreme Court of the United Kingdom	
Session 1 10.00 – 11.15	1: Competition Litigation Masterclass <i>10 years on from the Damages Directive – how effective is private enforcement across the EU and UK?</i> Ben Tidswell (UK Competition Appeal Tribunal), Mieke Dudok van Heel (District Court of Amsterdam), Muriel Chagny (Association Française d'étude de la Concurrence), David Parker (Berkeley Research Group). Chaired by Kim Dietzel , Herbert Smith Freehills.	
Session 2 11.45 – 12.45	2A: The AI Services Hungry for Data <i>Who gets to access and use data, and the copyright vs antitrust conundrum it gives rise to</i> Cedric Manara (Google), Pinar Akman (UK Competition Appeal Tribunal), Matthew Cope (UK Intellectual Property Office), Lindsay Lane KC (8 New Square) Chaired by Giles Parsons (Browne Jacobson)	2B: UK Subsidy Control & the EC State Aid Regime <i>Reflections from those engaged in the development of EU State aid and the new UK subsidy control regime</i> George Peretz KC (Monckton Chambers), Totis Kotsonis (Pinsent Masons), Tessa Robins (UK Subsidy Control Unit), Sattam Al-Mugheiry (Scottish Government, Head of Trade, Brussels) Chaired by Christophe Rapin (Kellerhals Carrard)
Session 3 14.00 – 15.00	3A: Antitrust Enforcement in the Pan-National Context <i>Coherent or divergent policy approaches to the topics of the day, such as sustainability, labour and purchasing cartels, information exchange, AI and the use of algorithms</i> Juliette Enser , (Interim Exec. Director, Competition Enforcement, UK CMA) Mariska van de Sanden (NE Autoriteit Consument & Markt) Chaired by Sharon Horwitz (CMA)	3B: Insights from the Unified Patent Court <i>Reflecting on 18 months of progress</i> Sidd Kusumakar (Powell Gilbert), Agathe Michel-de-Cazotte (Carpmaels & Ransford), Mark van Gardingen (Brinkhof)
Session 4 15.15 – 16.20	4A: FRAND and the Commission's SEP Proposals <i>A solution in search of a problem, or a step forward in this traditional antitrust and IP battleground?</i> Cordula Schumacher (Arnold Ruess), Jamie Lewis (UK Intellectual Property Office), Peter D. Camesasca (Camesasca) Chaired by Collette Rawnsley (Nokia)	4B: Merger and Foreign Direct Investment Control <i>Common themes for obtaining clearances in an increasingly protectionist world</i> Nicole Kar (Paul, Weiss Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison), Neil Dryden (Compass Lexecon), Lucie Richmond-Wigg (Linklaters) Chaired by Bruce Kilpatrick (Linklaters)
Closing Panel 16.20 – 17.15	Closing Panel: What is Coming Next? <i>Predictions from the Bench, Regulators and Practitioners</i> Professor Oke Odudu , Emmanuel College, Cambridge, Jessica Radke , Deputy General Counsel, CMA. Cintia Aguilar-Flores , Legal Counsel, Shell. Chaired by Sir Nicholas Green KC (UK Court of Appeal)	

Followed by Cocktails and Dinner in the Great Hall



Early bird rate extended

Congress, Gala Dinner & Saturday Lunch	Early Bird until 14 Sept	Full Rate from 15 Sept
FULL PRICE	£925	£1050
DISCOUNTED PRICE <i>full-time academics, public sector employees, students and those less than 3 years PQE (post qualification experience)</i>	£730	£780