

Relationships in Law: is there a place for fraternity?

Castelgandolfo, November 18-20, 2005

Friday November 18

9.30 Welcome and Introductions

Communion and Law: the origins, the proposals and the goals
Maria Voce, Esq. (Italy)

Musical Interlude

Message of Chiara Lubich
Introduced by Hon. Giovanni Caso (Italy)

11.00 **Break**

11.30 *The Origins of the Congress*
Maria Giovanna Rigatelli Esq. (Italy)

Reflections on fraternity and law
Prof. Fausto Gorla, University of Turin (Italy)

Session on Public Law

15.30 *Elements of Fraternity in Constitutional Law*
Prof. Agnes Berhard (Austria)

The potential for fraternity in administrative law
Nino Gentile, Esq. (Italy)

Musical Interlude

An alternative solution for the conflicts in Peru
Cesar Guzman Barron (Peru), Catholic University of Peru

The relationship between citizens and the administration: a pilot project in Gela, Sicily
Rosetta e Rocco Galdini (Italy)

16.45 **Break**

17.15 *In search of fraternity in the law of the international community*
Prof. Vincenzo Buonomo, Pontifical Lateran Univ.

Fraternity and Human Rights: Article 1 of the Universal Declaration
Prof. Marco Aquini, The Angelicum Univ.

Humanity and the international subject
Prof. Esther Salamanca, Spain

Partnership in International Cooperation
Salvina Infantino (Italy), vicepresident NGO 'Action for a United World'

18.00 **Break**

18.30 Open discussion with participants

Saturday November 19

Session on Civil Law

Moderated by Prof. Fausto Goria

- 9.15 *Legal Relationships and Fraternity*
Hon. Oscar Vasquez (Argentina)

Seeds of Fraternity in Corporate Law
Prof. Amy Uelmen (USA)

The Role of Fraternity in Corporate Counseling
Salvador Morillas Gomes, Esq. (Spain)

Musical Interlude

Collegiality in Corporate Governance
Mario Spreafico (Italy)

The Economy of Communion
Beatrice Vecchione (Italy)

- 10.30 ***Break***

- 11.00 *Fraternity in Family Law*
Angel Cano, member of the commission to revise the family code (Dominican Republic)

The role of the judge in family law
Hon. Adeline de Latalade (France)

International Adoptions and the Brazilian Social Context
Hon. Munir Cury (Brazil), member of the commission to revise the child and youth code

Musical Interlude

Mediating family controversies
Martha Uelmen, Esq. (USA)

Experiences of Family Law Practice
Mary O'Malley, Esq. (Ireland)

A school for family mediation
Carlo Fusco, Esq. (Italy) - Lafayette Pozzoli, Esq. (Brazil)

Reconciliation in the course of litigation
Antonio Caputo, Notary (Italy)

Session on Criminal Law

Moderated by Hon. Anne De Pardon

- 15.30 *Criminal Law and Fraternity*
Prof. Adriana Cosseddu, University of Sassari (Italy)

Fraternity in the treatment of drug offenders
Prof. Gerald Uelmen (USA)

Fraternity in judicial relationships
Hon. Elena Massucco (Italy)

Experience of a prosecutor
Orazio Moscatello, Esq. (Italy)

Musical Interlude

Sentencing against the backdrop of fraternity
Hon. Pedro Vaz Patto (Portugal)

The Emmaus Community for the social reintegration of ex-prisoners – experience and video
(Austria)

The Georgia Justice Project
Douglas B. Ammar, Esq. (USA)

- 17.15 **Break**

- 18 Discussion with Participants

- 21 **Piano Concert – Maestro Enrico Pompili**

Sunday November 20

- 9.30 Roundtable: open dialogue on the themes of the congress; discussion with the participants;
moderated by Giovanni Caso

Break

Conclusions and final greetings - by the Central committee