

Liability versus Innovation: Unpacking Key Connections

– Seminar Five – Thinking outside the box: Strict liability and offsetting risks

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Seminar Programme

Thursday 4 May, CM0.12 Claus Moser Research Centre, Keele University, England

9:30 – 09:55 Arrival, coffee and registration

10.00 – 10.15: Welcome & Introduction to the Seminar

Professor Tsachi Keren-Paz (Keele University, Law)

10:15 – 11:15: Stakeholder Panel Discussion

(Chair: Professor Alicia El Haj)

Peter Walsh (Chief Executive, Action against Medical Accidents, AvMA)

Alison Joyce (Birmingham Clinical Commissioning Group)

11:15 – 11:45 Coffee Break

11:45 - 13:15: Strict Liability for injuries from innovative treatments?

(Chair: Dr Michael Fay)

Professor Tsachi Keren-Paz (School of Law, Keele University)

Strict liability for injuries from innovative treatments: fairness or also efficiency?

Dr Christine Beuermann (Law School, Newcastle University)

Do hospitals owe a non-delegable duty of care?

Dr Sandy Steel (Law Faculty, University of Oxford)

Strict Liability and Rights

13:15 – 14:00: Lunch

14:00 – 16:00: Offsetting Risks versus Best Interests

(Chair: Dr Mark Eccleston-Turner)



Professor Ariel Porat (Faculty of Law, Tel-Aviv University)
Offsetting Risks

Professor Gregory Keating (School of Law, USC)
Offsetting Risks: A response to Professor Porat

Dr Jonathon Ives (Centre for Ethics in Medicine, University of Bristol)
Medical Innovation and 'off-setting benefits': an ethical perspective¹

16:00 – 16:30: Feedback Forms

16:30-17:30 Drinks Reception

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