

Lawyers controlled, independence at stake?

31 May 2013



- 13.00 – 13.30 Arrival and registration
- 13.30 – 13.50 Welcome and introduction by Phon van den Biesen, President Lawyers for Lawyers (L4L)
- 13.50 - 14.05 New measures of control in the Netherlands, Jan Leliveld, General Counsel of the Dutch Bar Association
- 14.05 - 14.30 Strategies to cope with control, hindrance and threats. Introduction of speakers and topics, Frederiek de Vlaming, co-founder L4L
- 14.30 - 15.30 Sessions:
(1) Legislation/Bar Associations
(2) Lawyers identified with their clients
(3) Physical intimidation and threats
- 15.30 - 15.50 Tea/coffee break
- 15.50 - 16.30 Plenary discussion with Shadi Sadr (Iran), Iratxe Urizar (Spain), Alec Muchadehama (Zimbabwe), Ramazan Demir (Turkey) and Magamed Abubakarov (Russia)
- 16.30 - 17.25 Presentation of the Jury report 2013 by jury President Ms Heikelina Verrijn Stuart. Alec Muchadehama (2011 laureate) presents the Lawyers for Lawyers Award 2013 to Magamed Abubakarov
- 17.25 - 17.30 Closing remarks by Frederiek de Vlaming, co-founder L4L
- 17.30 - 18.30 Reception offered by NautaDutilh