

Esteemed Colleagues and Readers!

It is with significant professional satisfaction that I present the fourth issue of the *Copernican Journal of Law*. With this release, we continue our mission of fostering a high-level academic dialogue that bridges theoretical legal constructs with the shifting realities of modern jurisprudence. The seven articles curated for this volume reflect the diverse and interdisciplinary nature of contemporary legal thought, addressing themes that range from the intersection of technology and commerce to the historical foundations of constitutional identity.

A central theme uniting these contributions is the evolution of legal instruments in response to global socio-economic shifts. Whether exploring the impact of intellectual property on public health, the digitalization of property registers to optimize transaction costs, or the delicate interplay between religion and nationalism in historical constitutional models, these works highlight the law's role as both a stabilizer and a catalyst for change. From the technicalities of automotive distribution to the broader paradigms of European legal practice, this issue offers a comprehensive reflection on how legal systems adapt to provide justice and efficiency in an increasingly complex world.

The international character of our journal is further solidified in this issue. Of the seven distinguished authors featured, six represent prominent foreign research centres: Higher School of Economics and Finance “Ezio Vanoni” (Italy), University of Padova (Italy), Trnava University (Slovakia), Palacký University Olomouc (Czech Republic), Sulkhani-Saba Orbeliani University (Georgia) and Tartous University (Syria). These are joined by a contribution from the Nicolaus Copernicus Superior School (Poland), illustrating our commitment to integrating Polish legal scholarship into the global academic circuit.


I am also pleased to announce that our Editorial Board has been significantly enriched by the inclusion of eminent professors whose expertise will undoubtedly enhance the journal's scholarly rigor: Robert Gyuri (Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice, Slovakia), Ryszard Pankiewicz (Academy of Zamość, Poland), Dimitrios Parashu (Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz University Hannover, Germany), Olha Skochyliias-Pavliv (Lviv Polytechnic National University, Ukraine), Marcin Szewczak (John Paul II Catholic Univer-

sity of Lublin, Poland), Mario Trapani (Roma Tre University, Italy) and Niteesh Kumar Upadhyay (Dhirubhai Ambani University School of Law in Gujarat, India).

Furthermore, I am proud to inform our readers and contributors that the *Copernican Journal of Law* has been accepted for indexing and is now available in the following prestigious databases: ICI World of Journals/ICI Journals Master List and the Central and Eastern European Online Library (CEEOL). This milestone ensures greater visibility and impact for the research published within our pages.

I wish to express my sincere gratitude to Prof. Fabrizio Giulimondi (Nicolaus Copernicus Superior School, Poland), Vice Editor-in-Chief, for his kind and invaluable cooperation. My thanks also go to Magdalena Jagodzińska (University of Warsaw, Poland), our Managing Editor, for her meticulous and dedicated management of the publishing process. I am equally grateful to our reviewers for their insightful and rigorous substantive comments, which are essential to maintaining the high standards of this journal.

I invite you to engage with these articles and trust that they will provide fruitful inspiration for your own research and professional endeavours.

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