

LOOKING BACKWARDS, LOOKING FORWARDS: ANGLO-POLISH LEGAL RELATIONS AFTER BREXIT
Conference in honour of the life and work of His Hon George Dobry CBE QC

Abstract: A ½ day conference reflecting on the past and present contributions to Anglo-Polish legal relations of George Dobry's legal projects, and discussing further opportunities and difficulties following Brexit. Each participant will discuss a substantive law issue that will impact on Anglo-Polish relations post-Brexit, and also explain how George Dobry or one of the Dobry projects (i.e. the British Law Centre ["BLC"] and Slynn Foundation) impacted on their own lives or professional experience.

Date: Friday 8th November 2019

Location: University of Warsaw, Faculty of Law & Administration

Organiser: British Law Centre at University of Warsaw

Draft timetable: NB. This is draft form and some speakers/ topics remain to be confirmed.

There will also probably be speakers from BLC sponsor law firms who will speak briefly on their relationship (institutionally and personally) with the Dobry projects. This is currently being discussed with the various law firms. The scope of extra involvement will dictate the start time (currently anticipated for approx 13.30)

Time (mins)	Speaker	Affiliation	Relationship to Dobry project[s]	Topic of speech
10	Dean Tomasz Giaro	University of Warsaw	Host of BLC Warsaw	Welcome
10	Lord Robert Carnwath	UK Supreme, Court	Personal friend	George Dobry - the lawyer, the man
10	Dr Jonathan Morgan	British Law Centre	BLC Trustee	The BLC project
10	Fergus Randolph QC	Slynn Foundation/ Brick Court Chambers	Slynn Foundation	Slynn Foundation
20	Prof. Adam Łazowski	Westminster University	Former BLC Tutor	Free Mvt persons post-Brexit
20	Stephen Denyer	UK Law Society	BLC Trustee	Legal professional cooperation/ education
15	Q & A session			
Tea Break (15 mins)				
20	Fergus Randolph QC	Brick Court Chambers	Slynn Foundation	Competition law
20	Damian Falkowski	Essex Chambers	Personal friend	Banking in UK
20	Robert Makowski	Goldman Sachs	BLC graduate	Banking in Poland



20	Desmond Brown QC	5RB (former Bar Chairman)		Privacy/expression
20	Sir Stephen Silber	3 Verulam Buildings		ADR & mediation
15	Q & A session			
30	Adam Bodnar	Polish Commissioner for Human Rights	BLC graduate	Human rights challenges at EU and national level
Tea Break (15 mins)				
18.30-19.00	Lord Robert Carnwath	UK Supreme, Court	Personal friend	Towards a UK Constitutional Court?
19.00-20.00	British Law Centre graduation ceremony and post-ceremony celebration			