



Universiteit Utrecht

#### INFORMATION

For further information on the seminar 'Removing obstacles for international philanthropy', see the website Stichting INIEP, [www.iniep.nl](http://www.iniep.nl) or [www.vmw.nl](http://www.vmw.nl) or phone with Mrs Ineke Koele +31(0)30-254 79 52, [koele@vmw.nl](mailto:koele@vmw.nl), or Mrs Ankie Vytopil +31(0)30- 254 79 42, [vytopil@vmw.nl](mailto:vytopil@vmw.nl)

#### LANGUAGE

This seminar will be held in English.

#### ANNULMENT

Until one week before the date of the seminar, you can annul the reservation in writing at a cost of 25% of the registration fee. Annulments after this date will not be processed; however, replacement by another qualified participant is possible.

#### INIEP (INSTITUTE FOR NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ESTATE PLANNING)

Theodoor Gilissen Bankiers, Mazars and Van Mens & Wisselink support the series 'Estate Planning' and the "Instituut voor Internationale en Nationale Estate Planning". For information about INIEP see [www.iniep.nl](http://www.iniep.nl).



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## Removing obstacles for INTERNATIONAL PHILANTHROPY

Seminar, Monday 12 November 2007, 13.30 – 18.00 hrs,  
Sonnenborgh (University Observatory), Utrecht

The Institute for National and International Estate Planning, part of Faculty of Law, Department of Tax Law of the University of Utrecht, organises a seminar under the title:

#### Removing obstacles for international philanthropy

Non profit organizations are increasingly subjected to the forces of globalization. However, international philanthropy is hindered by substantial legal and tax obstacles for international flows of philanthropic money. Qualified speakers from various countries and disciplines will give their view on this process. The speakers will cover areas varying from international tax issues, European political and legal issues, issues around anti terrorism financing that influence international philanthropy, and the new Dutch rules that open the borders for foreign philanthropic organizations as of 2008.

All these developments create new risks and opportunities for international philanthropy.

#### SPEAKERS

**Dr. M.C.E. (Rien) van Gendt**, executive director Van Leer Group Foundation, Netherlands

**Dr. M. (Markus) Helios**, Rechtsanwalt Flick Gocke Schaumburg, Germany

**Dr. I.A. (Ineke) Koele**, partner Van Mens & Wisselink

**Prof. dr. K.L.H. (Harrje) van Mens**, partner Van Mens & Wisselink, professor UU

**Prof. dr. Th.N.M. (Theo) Schuyt**, professor in Philanthropy, VU Amsterdam

**Prof. K.W. (Karla) Simon**, Catholic University of America, Columbus School of Law - Washington, DC, United States of America

**S. (Simon) Weil**, partner, Bircham Dyson Bell LLP, London, England  
Chairman: **Prof. dr. F. Sonneveldt**, partner Mazars, professor UU

## PROGRAMME

13:00 - 13:30	-	Reception with sandwiches
13:30 - 13:40	-	Opening chairman Prof. dr. F. Sonneveldt
13:40 - 14:05		International philanthropy in practice, <i>Dr. M.C.E. van Gendt</i>
14:05 - 14:30	-	European tax law and philanthropy, <i>Dr. M. Helios</i>
14:30 - 14:50	-	Break
14:50 - 15:15	-	Removing the landlock, <i>Dr. I.A.Koele</i>
15:15 - 15:40	-	The UK approach: the landlock clarified, <i>S. Weil</i>
15:40 - 16:00	-	Break
16:00 - 16:25	-	Landlocked income tax deductions, <i>Prof. K. Simon</i>
16:25 - 16:50	-	International legal structures for philanthropic organizations, <i>Prof.dr. K.L.H. van Mens</i>
16:50 - 17:10	-	Break
17:10 - 17:35	-	Growing importance of international philanthropy, <i>Prof.dr. Th.N.M. Schuyt</i>
17:35 - 18:00	-	Discussion & Conclusions
18.00 - 19.00	-	Cocktail reception

Subject to possible changes in schedule

## COSTS

The costs of participation amount to € 195,- per person, incl. VAT and includes the documentation that will be distributed on the location. Students under 27 year will pay a reduced amount of € 50.

Payment must be received before 9 November 2007 on account number 21.19.32.485 on behalf of Stichting INIEP under reference of Name participant and 'Seminar 12 November 2007'. IBAN: NL44 GILL 0211 9995 55

## REGISTRATION

Registration for the seminar 'Removing obstacles for international philanthropy' can be done by sending an email to [philanthropy@vmw.nl](mailto:philanthropy@vmw.nl)

Participants will receive a confirmation and an invoice after their registration.

## PERMANENT EDUCATION

This seminar may count for at least 2 PE points (NOVA, NOB, EPN, KNB).

## LOCATION

The location of this seminar is the beautiful 'Sonnenborgh', the old University Observatory, Zonnenburg 2, 3512 NL, Utrecht (tel. (++ 31)(0)30-2302818).

The Sonneborgh is at 15 minutes walking distance from the Utrecht Central Station, see [www.sonnenborgh.nl](http://www.sonnenborgh.nl) at 'bereikbaarheid' for a map.

