

Round Table and Book Launch

***Beyond Constitutionalism:
The Pluralist Structure of Postnational Law***
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Discussants:

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Chair:

Markus Jachtenfuchs (Hertie School of Governance)

Thursday, 10 March 2011, 18:00 to 19:30

followed by a reception

Hertie School of Governance, Friedrichstr. 180, 10117 Berlin

Room: Forum A (1st floor)

On Beyond Constitutionalism:

Under pressure from globalization, the classical distinction between domestic and international law has become increasingly blurred, spurring demand for new paradigms to construe the emerging postnational legal order. The typical response of constitutional and international lawyers as well as political theorists has been to extend domestic concepts - especially constitutionalism - beyond the state. Yet as this book argues, such proposals not only fail to provide a plausible account of the changing shape of postnational law but also fall short as a normative vision. The book advances an alternative, pluralist vision of postnational law.