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## [Workshop] EU Pesticides Law and Governance



We are pleased to invite you to the workshop **EU Pesticides Law and Governance: Legal, Political, and Epistemic Challenges** taking place on **19-20 March 2026** at UCLouvain Saint-Louis Bruxelles.

Despite the EU's constitutional commitment to high levels of health and environmental protection, the pervasive use of pesticides remains a critical challenge. This event brings together leading scholars and practitioners to explore the political economy of pesticide governance, the role of industry, and the growing wave of public interest litigation across Europe.

You will find a summary of the sessions below. For more details on the specific presentations and speakers, you can download the [full PDF programme here](#).

### Thursday, 19 March 2026

#### 17:00 – 17:15 | Opening Remarks

Presented by [Antoine Bailleux](#) (UCLouvain) and [Marta Morvillo](#) (University of Amsterdam).

#### 17:15 – 18:30 | Regulatory science: context and blind spots

Chair: [Alessandra Arcuri](#) (University of Rotterdam)

### Friday, 20 March 2026

**09:15 – 10:15 | The role of the regulated industry in pesticides governance**

Chair: [Teresa Cabrita](#) (UCLouvain Saint-Louis Bruxelles).

**10:30 – 12:15 | Pesticides litigation before national and EU courts**

Chair: [Delphine Misonne](#) (UCLouvain Saint-Louis Bruxelles).

**13:15 – 14:45 | Intersecting legal frameworks in EU pesticides governance**

Chair: [Maria Weimer](#) (University of Amsterdam).

**14:45 – 16:15 | Roundtable: EU pesticides regulation under pressure**

**16:15 – 16:30 | Closing remarks and publication plans**

## Practical Information

**Venue:** UCLouvain - Saint-Louis Bruxelles

**Rooms:** PO2+P12 (119 Rue du Marais, 1000 Brussels)

**Format:** Hybrid - in-person or online

**Registration:** Please register [via this online form](#)

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