

EDITORIAL

On behalf of the Editorial Board of „Comparative Law Review” I am pleased to present vol. 27 of our journal. Since CLR is gradually becoming more recognised among legal journals, we are receiving more submissions for each successive call for papers. This year we have been delighted by almost 50 submissions from all around the world. After the detailed analyses and selection of reviewers, finally 19 studies and articles were accepted for publication.

The contents of this volume represent – as usual – a variety of legal disciplines, jurisdictions, different comparative perspectives and approaches. However, the current issue seems to be more international than ever: readers will find contributions of the Authors from, *inter alia*, Kuwait University, University of Seychelles, or OP Jindal Global University in India. Apart from European-focused articles and studies, this issue brings an analysis of the secured transactions law reform in Nigeria, the regulation of partnership under Ethiopian, French, and Thai Law, the judicial system in Kazakhstan, and freedom of expression in Indonesia. Readers will also find comments on important judgments of human rights courts: the European Court of Human Rights and the African Court on Human and Peoples’ Rights. This issue has also been enriched with a contribution on comparative law research and methodology presented from an American perspective.

Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, the year 2021 proved particularly demanding and a difficult one. For many researchers and academics it had been harder to pursue their work, which sometimes even had to be stopped for longer periods of time. Having these obstacles in mind, I would like to express our gratitude to the Reviewers (listed at the end of this issue) who kindly agreed to peer-review the submitted articles. We very much appreciate their time, effort and expertise. My special word of thanks goes to our Editorial Team: Dr Julia Kapelańska-Pregowska (Vice Editor-in-Chief), Dr Zuzanna Pełowska-Dąbrowska

(Managing Editor) and mgr Mariusz T. Kłoda (Editorial Assistant). Last, but not least, I wish to express my appreciation to the work of CLR's language adviser Mr. Christopher Wright.

A final reflection I would like to share in this Editorial is a hope that 2022 will be more favourable for scientific research and bring new possibilities for international exchange. I wish good health to all our readers, contributors, reviewers, and collaborators.

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