

Seminar organised by the Supreme Administrative Court of Sweden and ACA-Europe

**“Preliminary rulings of the Court of Justice of the European Union
– from CILFIT to Consorzio”**

8th –10th October 2023
Stockholm, Sweden

PROGRAMME

Sunday 8th October	
4:00pm	ACA-Europe Board/Administrative Board of the Association (reserved for members of the Board only; approximately 15 participants)
Address:	<i>The Supreme Administrative Court of Sweden Birger Jarls torg 13</i>
6:00pm	Exhibition at the Royal Palace “Vasa to Bernadotte, 1523–1973–2023. Culture in Service of the Realm”.
Address:	<i>Västra valvet, Yttre Borggården The Royal Palace</i>
7:00pm	Official welcome dinner
Address:	<i>The House of Nobility Riddarhustorget 10</i>
Monday 9th October	
8:30am	Registration and coffee at the seminar venue
Address:	<i>Eric Ericsonhallen Kyrkslingan 2-4</i>
9:30am	Opening of the seminar - Welcome speeches Helena Jäderblom, President of the Swedish Supreme Administrative Court Kari Kuusiniemi, President of the Finnish Supreme Administrative Court
9:45am	Presentation of the General Report Sarah Helaoui, Emma Millberg and Sofia Karlsson Wramsmyr, Judge referees at the Swedish Supreme Administrative Court





10:15am	New developments concerning the “acte clair” doctrine Koen Lenaerts, President of the Court of Justice of the European Union
10:45am	Group photo of the participants and coffee break
11:15am	First session: Formulating the request for a preliminary ruling Moderator: Associate professor Anna Wallerman Ghavanini at the University of Gothenburg
13:15pm	Lunch <i>Moderna museum</i>
14:45pm	Second session: Statement of reasons when a preliminary ruling is not requested – what is the underlying objective? Moderator: Professor Jörgen Hettne at Lund University
17:00pm	End of day one of the seminar
19:00pm	Dinner
Address:	<i>Nationalmuseum</i> <i>Södra Blasieholmshamnen 2</i>

Tuesday 10th October

9.00am	Coffee at the seminar venue
9:30am	Third session: The choices of national courts affect the EU's legal order but is it really the role of the courts to help maintain the EU's constitutional system? Moderator: Dr. Anna Wetter Ryde at the Swedish Institute for European Policy Studies
11:15am	Reflection on the General Report and the seminar discussions Dr. Anna Wetter Ryde, Senior researcher of EU law at the Swedish Institute for European Policy Studies Professor Jörgen Hettne at Lund University
11:40am	Closing remarks and presentation of the upcoming seminar in Zagreb Helena Jäderblom, President of the Swedish Supreme Administrative Court Kari Kuusiniemi, President of the Finnish Supreme Administrative Court





Inga Vezmar Barlek, President of the High Administrative Court of the Republic of Croatia

12:00pm

Lunch

Eric Ericsonhallen

End of seminar

