

# **Robert Schuman Institute**

# LAW, LANGUAGE AND TRANSLATION AT THE COURT OF JUSTICE OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

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Moderator: Prof. Robert Harmsen

## Abstract

This paper explores the impact that language and translation may have on the way that the Court of Justice of the European Union (ECJ) functions and on the case law it produces. Based on the premise that language, culture and other dynamics within the ECJ shape the way that institution works, the paper examines the process behind the production of that Court's multilingual case law and reflects upon the linguistic cultural compromises at play in that production process.

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This seminar forms part of the series 'Interdisciplinary Perspectives on the Court of Justice of the European Union' to be hosted this semester by the Robert Schuman Institute. Seminars explore aspects of historical, linguistic, political science and sociological scholarship on the Court.

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University of Luxembourg Weicker Building Room B001 – Ground floor 4, rue Alphonse Weicker L-2721 Luxembourg

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