



Invitation to the opening of

ClimLaw: Graz

Research Center for Climate Law

June 17th 2020, 3 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Online Conference

University of Graz

Please send your registration to

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until June 10th 2020

Program

3 p.m. Words of welcome
Rector Prof. Dr. **Martin Polaschek**
Dean Prof. Dr. **Christoph Bezemek**
Prof. Dr. **Eva Schulev-Steindl**, ClimLaw: Graz

3:20 p.m. Talks and discussion (in English)

Climate Law: A New Dawn

Prof. Dr. **Jaap Spier**, University of Cambridge, UK

Climate Law and Climate Science: Joint Enabler for a
new Climate Enlightenment?

Prof. Dr. **Oliver Ruppel**, Stellenbosch University, South Africa

4:30 p.m. Presentation of the Research Center

4:45 p.m. Break

5 p.m. Talk and panel discussion (in German)

Wider die Zähmung der Spinner – Zum Staatsziel
Klimaschutz

(“Against the Taming of the Crazies - On the State Objective Climate
Protection”)

Prof. Dr. **Ferdinand Kerschner**, JKU Linz

Klimagrundrecht, CO₂-Budget und Klima-
Rechnungshof: Pro und Contra

(“Fundamental Right to Climate Protection, CO₂-Budget and Climate Court
of Audit: Pros and Cons”)

Host: **Eva Schulev-Steindl**

Participants: **Katharina Rogenhofer** MSc, RA Mag. **Michaela Krömer**
LL.M, Prof. Dr. **Gottfried Kirchengast**, Mag. **Miriam**
Hofer, Doz. Mag. Dr. **Stephan Schwarzer**, RA Dr.
Wilhelm Bergthaler

6:30 p.m. End