

# Call for Papers

The Organising Committee of the Commission on European Family Law (CEFL) is pleased to invite submissions for the three workshops of young researchers which will be part of the

**6<sup>th</sup> CEFL Conference**  
**on Plurality and Diversity of Family Relations in Europe**  
**1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2018**  
**Bucerius Law School, Hamburg**

This call solicits essays from young scholars (PhD candidates, post-docs, lecturers and assistant professors under the age of 36) in the field of:

1. The developing concept of parentage
2. The role of the child in family proceedings
3. Extra-judicial divorces

An abstract in English should be submitted by 1<sup>st</sup> June 2018 and emailed as an attachment to [Katharina.Boele-Woelki@law-school.de](mailto:Katharina.Boele-Woelki@law-school.de). The abstract should not exceed 300 words. The title of the file should read: Family Name\_ First Name.pdf

Abstracts should contain:

1. name of the author
2. date of birth
3. affiliation
4. email address
5. title of abstract
6. body of abstract
7. up to 10 keywords

We will acknowledge receipt of and reply to all the paper proposals submitted. A committee will select the papers which will be published in the European Family Law Series as part of the forthcoming conference book. Twelve young researchers (four for each topic) can be accepted. Those who take a comparative approach and those who have *not* delivered a presentation at previous CEFL conferences will be given preference. Their travel and accommodation costs will be met.

The CEFL works for the harmonization of family law in Europe. Its publications and conferences focus on the latest developments in family law, primarily in Europe. The previous CEFL Conferences took place in Utrecht (2002 and 2004), Oslo (2007), Cambridge (2010) and Bonn (2013). They have gathered large audiences.