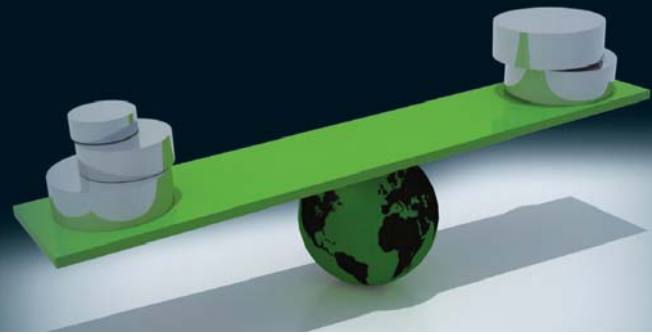




The Law Society



The Law Society's Competition Section

THE HORSFALL TURNER ESSAY PRIZE - 2010

Some years ago, the Horsfall Turner family made a generous bequest to the predecessor of the Section, which we have used to encourage the interest of young lawyers in European Law.

In 2002, the Law Society's European Group (LSEG) decided to use the bequest to fund an annual essay competition. Following the transfer of the activities of the LSEG to the Law Society at the start of 2009, the essay competition is now being run by the Section. **It is open to trainee solicitors and paralegals/stagiaires working at law firms which have an office in the UK.** First prize is a cheque for £1,000, which will be presented at our Annual Dinner on Wednesday 1 December 2010. The winning essay may also be published by the Section.

The title for this year's competition is:

“Are there circumstances in which the exchange of commercially sensitive information between competitors should of itself be considered to constitute an infringement *by object* under Article 101 TFEU?”

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Essays should be no more than 2,500 words and must be submitted in accordance with the Essay Prize Rules and be received by 5.00 pm on Friday 12 November 2010.

Please find rules and entry form overleaf 

competition

ESSAY PRIZE RULES

1. Essays shall be no more than 2,500 words in length, should be typewritten (for email or hard copy posting) and fully annotated and referenced.
2. Entries must be sent as an electronic file (see details in entry form below), to be received no later than 5.00pm on 12 November 2010. When submitting an entry, the entrant shall confirm his or her agreement to comply with the Rules of the Horsfall Turner Essay Prize.
3. Entrants must be trainee solicitors or paralegals/stagiaires working at law firms or organisations which have an office in the UK. Trainees who qualify shortly before the closing date are eligible to submit an entry, provided he or she has indicated his or her intention to submit an entry prior to qualifying. Entrants shall on request provide proof of status and for this purpose we will accept the name and e-mail address of a partner in the entrant's law firm who may be contacted for the sole purpose of confirming that status.
4. The work must be the sole creation and original work of the entrant. It must not have been published before in any media, legal or otherwise.
5. The decision of the panel of judges is final and is not subject to appeal.
6. It is a condition of the competition that, while the entrant will retain copyright in the work, the Section will have the right to publish the winning essay free of charge.



THE HORSFALL TURNER ESSAY PRIZE 2010 – ENTRY FORM

Please complete the form below and return with an electronic copy of your essay to:
Competition Section, 113 Chancery Lane, London WC2A 1PL • DX 56 Ldn/Chancery Lane
or e-mail with the details below to: Competition@lawsociety.org.uk

Title: _____ First Name: _____ Surname: _____

Job title: _____

Organisation: _____

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Address: _____

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