As research on conflict management continues to flourish, its maritime dimension still deserves more attention as the overall emphasis is mainly on state formation and should be qualified, therefore, as land-oriented. The current conference aims at focusing on the maritime perspective, and proposes an actor and dispute-centered approach. How did victims of maritime conflicts claim compensation or reparation? How and to what extent did they get support from authorities and polities? How did individual actors and public institutions negotiate disputes which transcended jurisdictional boundaries? What strategies, arrangements and agreements were resorted to in order to achieve resolution of those conflicts, and with what effectiveness?

So far, students of the maritime dimension have mainly studied either the Mediterranean or Atlantic region, creating separate historiographies. This conference will foster an exchange between scholars working on these two areas of research, allowing for a comparative and long-term perspective. This may reveal connections between the two seascapes and shed a useful light on the multiplicity and complexity of the paths chosen for the management of disputes.

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**THURSDAY 5 OCTOBER**

14.00-14.15  
LOUIS SICKING, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam/Universiteit Leiden  
Welcome and introduction

14.15-15.00  
JESSICA GOLDBERG, University of California, Los Angeles  
The courts, the qadi, and the people: resolving disputes in the medieval Islamicate Mediterranean

15.00-15.30  
**break**

15.30-18.00  
PIRACY, PRIVATEERING AND CONFLICT MANAGEMENT

DOMINIQUE VALÉRIAN, Université Lumière Lyon 2  
La construction de normes partagées entre chrétiens et musulmans en Méditerranée au Moyen Âge : la lutte contre la piraterie

PIERRE PRÉTOU, Université de La Rochelle  
Les genèses atlantiques de l’accusation en piraterie dans le royaume de France, xiii-xvi siècles.

JOHANN PETITJEAN, Université de Poitiers / ConfigMed (ERC)  
La gestion des conflits maritimes à Malte à l’époque moderne

PIERRICK POURCHASSE, Université de Brest  
Les conflits permanents entre corsaires et neutres. L’exemple de la France et du Danemark au xviii siècle

14.00-15.15  
**break**

15.45-17.00  
**break**

**SHIPPING, SHIPWRECK AND CONFLICT MANAGEMENT**

DAPHNE PENNA, Rijksuniversiteit Groningen  
Finders keepers, losers weepers? Byzantine shipwreck and salvage (10th – 13th centuries)

EDUARDO AZNAR VALLEJO, IEMyR, Universidad de La Laguna  
Normes et conflits dans la navigation castillane au bas Moyen Âge.

**POLITICS AND MARITIME CONFLICT MANAGEMENT**

TIAGO VÍULA DE FARIA, IEM-Universidade Nova de Lisboa  
Facing felony in times of policy reconfiguration: the English and the Portuguese at sea, 1400-1450

ALAN JAMES, King’s College London  
Rebellion, civic disorder, and ‘frondeur’ violence in maritime France, 1648-53

**FRIDAY 6 OCTOBER**

09.30-12.00  
TRADE AND CONFLICT MANAGEMENT

ANA BELEM FERNÁNDEZ CASTRO, EUI Florence / ConfigMed (ERC)  
Negotiated justice: Legal and conflict management in long distance trade. A view of the Mediterranean and the Atlantic from the cases of Valencia and Seville during the late sixteenth-century

CATARINA COTIC BELLIOUBE, IHMC, Université de Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne  
« Aliens trading in England » : Stratégies commerciales des marchands juifs portugais à Londres, et leur conflit avec Samuel Hayne, officier de la douane, en 1685

09.30-10.45  
**break**

**EUROPE AND BEYOND**

CÁTIA ANTUNES and KATE EKAMA, Universiteit Leiden  
Mediterranean and Atlantic maritime conflict resolution: critical insights into geographies of conflict in the early modern period.

KARWAN FATAH-BLACK, Universiteit Leiden  
A comparative study of the Impact of smuggling on colonial state formation in the Guyanas, 1700-1800

11.00-11.30  
**break**

**SATURDAY 7 OCTOBER**

10.00-11.30  
WOLFGANG KAISER, IHMC Paris I Panthéon Sorbonne / ConfigMed (ERC)  
Conclusions