



# BUDAPEST COMPARATIVE LAW SEMINARS

**Chair: Prof. Dr. András Osztovits**

**FORTHCOMING EVENT**



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## **The U.S. and Germany – Competing Models of Federalism.**

### **Abstract**

The talk will take the developing constitutional crisis in the U.S. as a starting point to review what features of American constitutionalism, in particular federalism, can prevent constitutional backsliding in the face of an assertive executive branch of government. Comparisons will be drawn to the German and European models of federalism. Given sufficient time, the talk will also highlight the constitutional choices that newly emerging systems face in implementing elements of federal governance.

**Date of the Seminar: 29 April 2025, 4 p.m.**

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