



Peopil Conference 2009 Malta

5 & 6 June 2009

Best Practice in PI cases across Europe

The Westin Dragonara Resort
Dragonara Road
St. Julians

PROGRAMME*

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Thursday, 4 June 2009

07.30 pm

Welcome Reception
at the Westin Hotel

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Friday, 5 June 2009

08.30 am - 09.30 am

Registration

09.30 am - 10.00 am

Welcome and Introductory Remarks
John Pickering, President of PEOPIL

Welcome
The Hon. Dr Carmelo Mifsud
Bonnici LL.D.; M.P. Minister for
Justice and Home Affairs, Malta

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Welcome
Dr Andrew Borg Cardona LL.D.; M.A.
The President of the Maltese
Chamber of Advocates

Friday 5 June 2009

Chair:

10.00 am - 10.30 am

10.30 am - 10.45 am

10.45 am - 11.45 am

11.45 pm - 12.45 pm

Chair:

12.45 pm – 01.45 pm

Chair

01.45 pm – 02.15 pm

02.15 pm - 03.15 pm

03.15 pm - 03.45 pm

Best Practice: all you need
to know about successfully
pursuing a PI claim

John Pickering

Lord Mance, UK

Keynote speech: European law issues

Coffee

Pursuing Cross Border Cases:
Road Traffic and Hotel Accident
Case Studies. Issues for
consideration include choice of
jurisdiction, and applicable law,
limitation, evidence and funding
Matthew Chapman, London, UK
Dr. Kris Borg, Valletta

Calculating Damages: future losses and
expenses – recent developments across
Europe.

Carl Jerstad, Norway

Panel Members:
Søren Vagner Nielsen, Denmark
Carlos Villacorta Spain
Jean-Pierre Bellecave, France
Mark Harvey, UK

Lunch

Antoinette Collignon-Smit Sibinga

Recent developments in PI law in the
USA
Anthony Tarricone ,
president elect AAJ, U.S.A.

E-discovery: current technical and
legal issues with the disclosure of
computer generated documentation and
data during litigation.

speakers:
Tracey Stretton,
Mark Surguy

Coffee



03.45 pm - 04.30 pm

The burden of asbestos disease in the UK

speaker: [Dr Gurnam Basran](#)

04.30 pm

Annual General Meeting (PEOPIL voting Members only).

7.30 pm

**Drinks reception
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8.00 pm

Gala Dinner and Dance

Saturday, 6 June 2009

Rehabilitation Following Serious Injury

Chair:

[Antoinette Collignon-Smit Sibinga](#)

09.30 am - 09.50 am

**Overview of available medical treatment and therapies,
Speaker: [Andrew Frank, UK](#)**

09.50 am - 10.15 am

**The Role of the Case Manager
[Maggie Sargent, UK](#)**

10.15 am - 10.45 am

**The Role of the Claimant Lawyer
[Colin Ettinger, UK](#)**

10.45 am - 11.00 am

Coffee Break

11.00 am - 11.30 am

**The insurers perspective:
[Clemens Reidl, Swiss Re, Vice-President Claims and Liability Management.](#)**

11.30 am - 12.00 am

Panel Session

12.00 noon

End of conference

