

Legal Regulation & Education: Doing the Right Thing?

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The EU Copyright Code: Implications for the Future of Copyright Law

In December 2013 the European Commission issued a public consultation document concerning the review of EU Copyright Rules. The document is notable for the breadth of potential reforms that it raises, particularly in relation to the creation of an EU Copyright Code. However, it also raises interesting questions about the existence of copyright exceptions, and the manner in which UK law may or may not be consistent with potential reforms to those exceptions. It also raises questions as to supranational regulation of bodies such as the proposed Digital Copyright Hub.

BILETA organised a response to the public consultation document led by Dr Mendis and Dr Griffin. In this presentation they will explain the response that was provided and the future implications of the consultation for the future of copyright.