NEXT IN CIRC COLLOQUY SERIES
IS THE ECONOMIC RATIONALE BEHIND EX-ANTE REGULATION IN THE DIGITAL ECONOMY FLAWED?

Several jurisdictions around the globe, including India, are deliberating how to address the problem of sticky market power in digital markets, including interventions like ex-ante regulation . Policymakers will want to ensure that measures to enhance fairness and contestability don't lead to counterproductive outcomes for beneficial innovation.

The economic context of one jurisdiction may differ from another. As a consequence, regulatory responses may need to be different. For example, there are variations in how the E.U. and the U.K. have designed their ex-ante regimes. The CIRC's colloquy series aims to facilitate dispassionate inquiries and conversations about such issues (and more) amongst all stakeholders.

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PURPOSE

This colloquy is for professionals who seek to understand the nuances of ongoing debate and wish to understand the ongoing proposals related to regulation of digital economy in a clearer manner.

In this colloquy, The Economic Rationale Behind Ex-Ante Regulation is in focus.

SPEAKER
MS. ZITA VASAS

Zita Vasas is a Vice President at Compass Lexecon with vast experience as a competition economist, including at a national competition authority (Hungary), in the competition team of a sectoral regulator (the Financial Conduct Authority, UK) and in consulting.

She has been involved in cases in a wide range of sectors (retail financial products, FMCG, healthcare, telecommunications), policy areas (market investigations, abuse of dominance cases, mergers and policy advice) and jurisdictions (e.g. EU, UK, South Africa, Oman and India).

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PROGRAMME: FRIDAY, 06 OCTBER 2023

Time	Session
3.30 – 3.35 PM	**Setting the context** Gokul Plaha, CIRC
3.35 – 3.55 PM	**Presentation by Ms. Zita Vasas: Is the Economic Rationale Behind Ex-Ante Regulation in the Digital Economy Flawed?**
3.55 – 4.25 PM	**Free-flowing discussion**
4.25 – 4.30 PM **(Indian Time)**	**Summarizing the discussion** Gokul Plaha, CIRC

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