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To a steady pace last month has witnessed the expansion of the CECRI's research activities and international events commentaries into the media. One will greet the selection by the FNRS of the third phase of an important research project initiated by Michèle Schmiegelow. «Institutional Competititon between Common Law and Civil Law in Developing and Transforming Countries» is an interdisciplinary project jointly supported by the CECRI, the CRIDES and the IRES since 2008. Under its title «Legal Development Theory», it aims at demonstrating, through a dynamic macroeconometric analysis, the effects of the development of legal institutions on economic growth since the 19th century.

Have a good read !  
Michel Liégeois, Director

## PUBLICATIONS & PROJECT



Deltenre Damien, Liégeois Michel, « Filling a Leaking Bathtub? Peacekeeping in Africa and the Challenge of Transnational Armed Rebellions », *African Security*, (2016) 9:1, pp.1-20.

Desplanque Simon (pictured), « L'avenir de la Défense belge. Tenants et aboutissants politiques d'un débat sociétal », *Défense et Sécurité Internationale*, mars-avril 2015, n°122, pp 52-57.

Gosse-Leduc Cédric, « Suède et corruption : La sauvegarde de l'image sur la scène internationale », Note d'analyse n°44, *Fonds Baillet Latour*, mars 2016. (read)

de Wilde d'Estmael Tanguy, « La « communauté internationale », l'UE et la Syrie : d'une impossible gestion de crise à une convergence limitée? », Note d'analyse n°45, *Fonds Baillet Latour*, mars 2016. (read)

Michèle Schmiegelow, member of the FDR project by the FNRS entitled «L'impact économique du développement juridique: la cas du droit des obligations et de l'accès à la justice / The Economic Consequences of Legal Development: The Cases of Contract Law and Access to Justice -LDT Project». It will start on the 1st of October and will last over two years.

## MEDIA

Michel Liégeois, was a guest for a special broadcast of the Deutsche Welle on elections in Niger, 21st of February. (listen)

Xavier Follebouckt (pictured), was interviewed on La Première on Russian flights along the Belgian coast, 11th of March. (listen)

Xavier Follebouckt, was interviewed on La Première on the Russian withdrawal from Syria, 15th of March.

Xavier Follebouckt, « Sur la Syrie, la voix russe fait de plus en plus autorité et est de plus en plus légitime », Le Vif/L'Express, 15th of March. (read)



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