

**The Spanish Jury at the Crossroads: Origin, Participants and Verdict/
El Jurado Español en La Encrucijada: Origen, Participantes Y
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Session Description

The session focuses on examining the Spanish Jury model in accordance with the Organic Law of the Jury Court in force in Spain since 1995. For this purpose, three aspects will be analyzed: origin, participants and verdict. In the first place, the analysis of the origin of the institution of the Jury, which seems to go back to the Greco-Roman period. Secondly, the participants in the Jury Court are examined: on the one hand, the jurors, analyzing the requirements to form part of the Jury Court, and on the other, the role played by both the presiding magistrate and the Counsel for the Administration of Justice (ex Clerk of the Court). Thirdly, the concept of verdict under Spanish law is analyzed from a critical perspective, doubting its existence despite its legal provision.