

NEWS RELEASE

International Legal Network Globalaw Holds Annual Regional Meeting in Rome

- *EMEA Conference to take place 19 - 21 April 2018*
- *Conference to address challenges of privacy, cybersecurity, and GDPR for Italian businesses*

Tuesday 17th April, 2018 – [Globalaw](#), a global network of over 100 independent law firms operating in 165 cities worldwide, today announces it will host its annual European regional meeting in Rome, Italy, later this week. Over three days, around 85 lawyers from around Europe and the world will meet to discuss some of the challenges currently facing businesses, including GDPR, privacy and cybersecurity, and how businesses can best handle cross-border data transfers and compliance. The conference will also provide a platform to discuss business development opportunities in Italy and the European Union.

Following an official welcome from Marco Bolognini of MAIO and President of Globalaw; and Roberto Sparano, a partner of the host firm Quorum Studio Legale e Tributario Associato in Italy, delegates will hear a keynote speech from Luca Bolognini, President of the Istituto Italaiano per la Privacy e la Valorizzazione dei Dati in Italy. Other panels will focus on addressing privacy related liabilities, an overview on the lessons learned from international transactions from the past year's furious M&A activities across the world, and business opportunities in the Italian market amid the current political climate.

The conference will provide an opportunity for new and existing members of Globalaw to expand on their network of clients and professional opportunities and benefit from interactions with general counsel and clients who will offer their perspective on the changing economic and legal landscape. This year's sponsors for the European Regional Meeting 2018 are: BriarsGroup, EPIC, SIMTEL and IE Law School, Teruta Moraschi S.S., and Powerling.

Marco Bolognini, President of Globalaw, commented: "This year's European Regional Meeting focuses on issues that, as the recent news cycle has shown, are extremely relevant to businesses around the world: cybersecurity and privacy. The knowledge shared amongst



our members not only has the potential to have an immediate impact on their practices, but will also help shape the conversation among Italian businesses who will be attending.”

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About Globalaw

Globalaw is a global network of mid-sized independent law firms; it represents over 105 firms with over 4,500 lawyers, in 165 cities and over 85 different jurisdictions. More information can be found at www.globalaw.net

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