

Introduction

This issue of Białystok Legal Studies is dedicated to the topic of the Europeanisation of administrative law.

In recent years much attention has been given to the phenomenon of the Europeanisation and globalization of administrative law. This is primarily due to the tightening of integration within the European Union zone. The Europeanisation of administrative law is a dynamic process which entails new problems and challenges both at the European Union level and for individual Member States. The Model Code of Administrative Procedure of the European Union adopted in 2015 by the international research team ReNEUAL is an important case in point.

There is no single definition of European administrative law. Likewise, the editors of the volume do not presume a uniform understanding of the Europeanisation of administrative law.

However, the contributing authors have addressed the following ideas of the meaning of this notion in their respective papers: European administrative law; Europeanisation of standards, values, and principles of administrative law; Europeanisation of public administration tasks; Europeanisation of administrative law-making; Europeanisation of the application of administrative law; pro-European interpretation of national administrative law and the importance of the Europeanisation of Administrative Law.

The editors would like to express their gratitude to all of the authors who have contributed to this volume of the journal. We are confident that the issues they have addressed and the problems presented will be a valuable addition to a general debate on the phenomena of the Europeanisation of administrative law.

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