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2026 will mark four years since the rulings of the Court of Justice of the European Union in the cases *Hungary v. Parliament and Council*, and *Poland v. Parliament and Council* on the rule of law conditionality regulation (Reg. 2020/2092). The legal reasoning of the decisions laid the foundation for the development of the theoretical framework of conditionality mechanisms as main instrument for giving practical effect to the commitment of each Member State regarding the principles of the rule of law and at the same time for granting the sound financial management of the budget and the financial interests of the Union. A similar instrument also exists in other legal systems, like International Law: examples can be drawn from World Bank and IMF regulation and practices, when developing countries are required to implement organizational reforms. Further, the *control de convencionalidad* for applying International Human Rights Law, was also theoretically founded in the rulings of the Inter-American Court of Human Rights and had a significant impact on the human rights protection system in Latin America.

In this context, the second issue of the FinPA Observatory publishing series will feature a dossier on this topic, and we would be delighted to include contributions addressing the following areas:

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- Experiences of conditionality control or similar in the administrative sphere
- Critical perspectives on the doctrine of conditionality or similar control doctrine
- Conditionality and domestic immigration law

Without prejudice to the suggested topics, you may propose other relevant subjects.

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