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**F**amily businesses are under threat from both sides, family as well as business” – Rajesh Jain.

The importance of family businesses is becoming increasingly recognised worldwide, they play a key role in today's economy. Nevertheless, the evolution of family businesses cannot be set apart from the evolution of the economic, social and legal environment where the business operates. The notion of “family” also varies from culture to culture and for each different time in history.

It is essential for lawyers working with family-owned businesses to understand the special character-

istics of these enterprises. Family businesses are complex structures, advising their establishment, governance, transfer and inheritance is a challenge for the lawyers; it requires comprehensive knowledge of different fields of laws and skills in other sciences like psychology could be extremely useful, too.

**Legal practitioners from all around the world will share their experience about family businesses at the UIA 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Business Law Forum and will discuss the best practices in different jurisdictions – an event not to miss!**

**We look forward to seeing you in Budapest!**

All the information relative to our events is available on our Website [www.uanet.org](http://www.uanet.org)

The registration programme will be available soon. For more information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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