

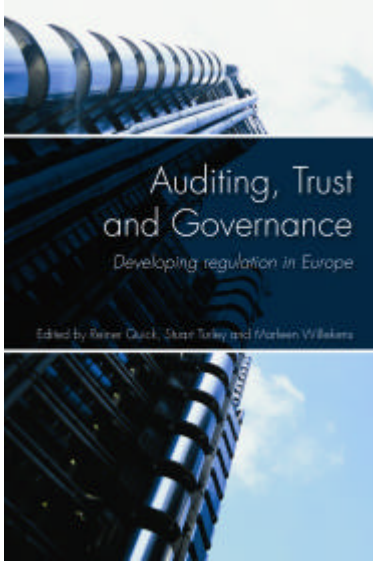


Auditing, Trust and Governance

Developing Regulation in Europe

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