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Time and law: between *sacrum* and *profanum*

From the morphological point of view social time and law have the same structure. Time as well as law have similar social functions because both are subordinated to the social system and also to cultural order. From the cultural point of view the basic function of time as well as law is realisation of the basic function of culture to overcome the fear of death. Time from that point of view expresses eternity and law as some unchangeable normative order.

Time and law is also subordinated to social system and as such express its role as coordinator of human activities and regulate the rhythm of social life.

The outcome of that double service or functions expected from the time and law is complicated morphology expressing *sacrum* and *profanum* in time and law.

The paper will explore that parallel structure and functions play by time and law.