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(RE-) THINKING THE EU FROM THE SOUTH

The European Union is in one of the most profound crisis in its history. The current political, cultural, social and institutional processes pose a great challenge to Europe. A radical rethinking of the European idea is urgently necessary, not only from a philosophical and cultural point of view but also with regards to the political and institutional model of the EU. The international network RUB Europadialog is working on these questions since 2015. Its 4th workshop aims to reflect on civil engagement for the future of the European Union, starting from a Southern perspective and emphasizing interdisciplinary approaches between law and philosophy as well as political and cultural history.

The workshop will address the following main topics: the process of European integration and its future perspectives, social and civil engagement for a better EU, Southern Italy in the history of Europe, European Memory and philosophical idea of Europe and, finally, Albania's relations with the Apulia Region and its prospects of joining the European Union. The workshop will be part of a series with previous events in Oviedo (2015), Athens (2016) and Sarajevo (2016).

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Lecce, 26-29 May, 2017

Timetable

Friday, 26-05-2017, 4-8.30 pm

*Venue (every day): Via Giuseppe Libertini 1, Lecce
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Welcome & Introduction

Attilio Pisano
Alessandra Beccaris
Debora Rogges
Simona Ciullo
Ann-Kristin Montino
Frank Hoffmann



Panel I:

(Re)Thinking the EU: A new European union?

State building and political power

Chair: Ubaldo Villani-Lubelli

Susanna Cafaro
The EU: still a model for supranational democracy?

Pier Virgilio Dastoli
State and Prospects of the European Union

Discussion & Coffee break

Giulia Rossolillo
Fiscal Power, Democracy and State-Building: Towards Eurozone Fiscal Resources?

Luca Zamparini
The evolution and current relevance and composition of the EU budget

Alessandro Isoni,
Europeism or populism. Modernity of Carlo Rosselli's Political Thought

Comments: Mirjana Stancic, Camilo Erlichman

Discussion

Italian Aperitivo
offered by *Istituto di Cultura Italo-Tedesco di Lecce*



Saturday, 27-05-2017, 9 am

Study trip (From Otranto to S.M. di Leuca)
European Cultural Heritage in Apulia
(Members of RUB Europadialog, only)

Sunday, 28-05-2017, 9 am-3 pm

Intercultural studies in Lecce

Working groups: culture, religion, tourism, traffic, living conditions
(Members of RUB Europadialog, only)



Sunday, 28-05-2017, 4.30-8.30 pm

Panel II:

The humanitarian Crisis: Lost in the EU

Welcome & Introduction: Francesca Lamberti
Chair: Judith Müller

Attilio Pisano

Human rights in Europe: towards a prosperous future?

Eliana Augusti

Migration policies between 19th-and-20th-century Europe

Fabio Tolledi

Theatre in conflict zones

Discussion

Anna Caputo

Sprar. Percorsi di interazione per una società solidale

(in italian with english translation)

Nadia Bray

Periferie. Senza Scarti. A philosophical project for promotion of geographical and human peripheries

Giuseppe Pezzulla

Documentary: Santicaporali

Discussion & Coffee break

Panel III:

Europe needs its Defenders

Chair: José Manuel Morales

Milly Tucci

The Soft Revolution

Matteo Scotto, Ana-Marija Cvitic
The Rome Manifesto



Alberto Maritati, Antonella Manca, Giulia Falzea
"Oltre le nuvole: A scuola di Legalità ed Europa"

Simona Ciullo

The European Federalist Movement

Peter Vago

The Launch of ERASMUS in 1987: A Very European Story

Discussion

Monday, 29-05-2017, 9 am-1.15 pm

Panel IV:

(Re)Thinking Europe from the South

Chair: Selma Rakovac

Antonio Bonatesta

Southern Italy in the European integration history

Entela Cukani

New trends in Europeanization practices: from EU conditionalility to the Berlin Process



Joachim Matzinger

Dekonstruktion von Mythen: die vermeintlich illyrische Herkunft der Albaner

Comments: Camilo Erlichman, Genc Lafe, Siebo Janssen

Discussion & Coffee break

Project presentation: Cross-sectoral regional cooperation for social change (11.15 am)

Ann-Kristin Montino

Giampiero Losapio

Closing words

Frank Hoffmann / Ubaldo Villani-Lubelli

Please note:

Evento finale – The Rome Manifesto (in Italian)

Università del Salento, Rettorato, Sala della Grottesca, 6-8 pm

Saluti: Vincenzo Zara, Rettore dell'Università del Salento;
Ann-Kristin Montino. – Intervengono: Prof. Luigi Melica, Prof. Luca Zamparini, Prof. Alessandro Isoni, Prof. Daniele De Luca.

Moderato: Matteo Scotto, Ubaldo Villani-Lubelli.