

Spring School, Scientific Workshops
and Public Panel Discussion

New Realities in EU Foreign Policy

Monday, 11th until Thursday, 14th March 2019,
Schader-Forum, Goethestraße 2, 64285 Darmstadt

Welcome to Darmstadt! In the next four days, the COST research network „EU Foreign Policy Facing New Realities“ (Chair: Prof. Dr. Michèle Knodt, Technische Universität Darmstadt) has organised a spring school, two scientific workshops and a public panel in partnership with the Schader Foundation. You can find the detailed schedule below.

Schedule:

Monday, 11th March 2019

- 11:00 – 13:00 Arrival (ground floor)
- 13:00 Lunch (1st floor)
- 14:00 - 15:30 **Spring School** (Session 1) (2nd floor, middle room)
Conceptualizing and Theorizing European Foreign Policy and ‘New Realities’ (Part 1)
Knud Erik Jørgensen
- Workshop on EU’s Climate and Energy Policy** (Session 1) (2nd floor, S3/4)
Ideas and Practices in the EU’s External Relations (Part 1)
Kristina Kurze, Aron Buzogány, Defne Günay
- 15:30 Coffee Break (2nd floor, S1)
- 16:00 - 17:30 **Spring School** (Session 2) (2nd floor, middle room)
EU Foreign Policy in Times of Crises: From Europeanization to De-Europeanization?
Patrick Müller
- Workshop on EU’s Climate and Energy Policy** (Session 2) (2nd floor, S3/4)
Ideas and Practices in the EU’s External Relations (Part 2)
Kristina Kurze, Aron Buzogány, Defne Günay
- 17:30 End of the day. No specific evening program

These events have been organized in cooperation with:“:



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Tuesday, 12th March 2019

- 9:30 - 11:00 **Spring School** (Session 3) (2nd floor, middle room)
EU Foreign Policy Facing its External Image: European Identity as the “Other” of the Middle East
F. Asli Ergul Jørgensen
- Workshop on EU’s Climate and Energy Policy** (Session 3) (2nd floor, S3/4)
Actors, Perceptions and Innovations in the Governance of the Energy Transition (Part 1)
Farid Karimi, Zerrin Savasan, Ana-Maria Boromisa
- Workshop on Communicating EU Foreign Policy** (Session 1) (2nd floor, S2)
Welcome & Introduction
Franziska Müller
- 11:00 - 11:30 Coffee Break (2nd floor, S1)
- 11:30 - 13:00 **Spring School** (Session 4) (2nd floor, middle room)
Strategy and Diplomacy in European Union Foreign Policy
Michael Smith
- Workshop on EU’s Climate and Energy Policy** (Session 4) (2nd floor, S3/4)
Actors, Perceptions and Innovations in the Governance of the Energy Transition (Part 2)
Farid Karimi, Zerrin Savasan, Ana-Maria Boromisa
- Workshop on Communicating EU Foreign Policy** (Session 2) (2nd floor, S2)
Soft Power & Tough Goals: Cases and Challenges
Mare Ushkovska, Nuri Korkmaz
- 13:00 - 14:00 Lunch (1st floor)
- 14:00 - 15:30 **Spring School** (Session 5) (2nd floor, middle room)
The Contestation of EU Foreign Policy: Beyond the Externalization of Internal Consensuses
Oriol Costa
- Workshop on EU’s Climate and Energy Policy** (Session 5) (2nd floor, S3/4)
Seeking the Middle Ground: Conflict and Cooperation in the European Energy Politics (Part 1)
Andrea Prontera, Matus Misik, Danijel Crnčec
- Workshop on Communicating EU Foreign Policy** (Session 3) (2nd floor, S2)
EU Diplomacy and its Tools
Heidi Maurer, Martin Chovancik
- 15:30 Coffee Break (2nd floor, S1)

Tuesday, 12th March 2019

- 16:00 - 17:30 **Spring School** (Session 6) (2nd floor, middle room)
External Perceptions of the EU
Michèle Knodt
- Workshop on EU's Climate and Energy Policy** (Session 6) (2nd floor, S3/4)
Seeking the Middle Ground: Conflict and Cooperation in the European Energy Politics (Part 2)
Andrea Prontera, Matus Misik, Danijel Crnčec
- Workshop on Communicating EU Foreign Policy** (Session 3) (2nd floor, S2)
Wrap of Day 1
- 17:30 End of the day. COST ENTER Working Group Meetings.

Wednesday, 13th March 2019

- 09:30 - 11:00 **Spring School** (Session 7) (2nd floor, middle room)
Fear and Uncertainty again? Germany's Growing Power in Europe – From Multilateral Collectivism towards Re-Nationalization and Destabilization?
Alexander Reichwein
- Workshop on EU's Climate and Energy Policy** (Session 7) (2nd floor, S3/4)
Connected Issues and Practical Perspectives I
Philipp Thaler, Marielle Feenstra, Jan Osička, Jörg Kemmerzell, Michèle Knodt, Maximilian Zoll
- Workshop on Communicating EU Foreign Policy** (Session 5) (2nd floor, S2)
Methods Workshop (Skill Sharing)
Emma Scott
- 11:00 Coffee Break (2nd floor, S1)
- 11:30 - 13:00 **Spring School** (Session 8) (2nd floor, middle room)
Paradigm shift in CFSP and its repercussions for EU foreign policy theory building?
Annegret Bendiek
- Workshop on EU's Climate and Energy Policy** (Session 8) (2nd floor, S3/4)
Connected Issues and Practical Perspectives (Part 2)
Philipp Thaler, Marielle Feenstra, Jan Osička, Jörg Kemmerzell, Michèle Knodt, Maximilian Zoll
- Workshop on Communicating EU Foreign Policy** (Session 6) (2nd floor, S2)
New Perspectives for EU Diplomacy
Emma Scott, Catarina Thomson, Taylan Özgür
- 13:00 - 14:00 Lunch (1st floor)

Wednesday, 13th March 2019

- 14:00 - 15:30 **Spring School** (Session 9) (2nd floor, middle room)
Operationalizing the Decentring Agenda: Analysing (European) Foreign Policy in a Non-European and Post-Western World
Stephan Keukeleire
- Workshop on EU's Climate and Energy Policy** (Session 9) (2nd floor, S3/4)
Taking Stock and Looking Ahead
Group discussions, general discussion, workshop wrap-up
- Workshop on Communicating EU Foreign Policy** (Session 7) (2nd floor, S2)
EU-Africa Relations: A Field of Intervention
Asligul Sarikamis, Franziska Müller, Bill Kappis
- 15:30 Coffee Break (2nd floor, S1)
- 16:00 - 17:30 **Spring School** (Session 10) (2nd floor, middle room)
The EU between Solidarist Aspirations and Pluralist Re-Enactments: How Fundamental Institutions frame International Organizations
Cornelia Navari
- 16:00 - 18:00 **Management Committee Meeting** (Auditorium, Lower floor)
- 18:00 - 19:00 Dinner (1st floor)
- 19:00 - 21:00 **Public panel (Auditorium, Lower floor)**
Europe on Edge: New Realities in EU Foreign Policy
Lars Bo Larsen, Patrick Lobis, Heidrun Maurer, Michèle Knodt

Thursday, 14th March 2019

- 09:30 - 11:00 **Spring School** (Session 11) (2nd floor, middle room)
Conceptualizing and Theorizing European Foreign Policy and 'New Realities' (Part 2)
Knud Erik Jørgensen
- Workshop on Communicating EU Foreign Policy** (Session 8) (2nd floor, S2)
Mutual Perceptions and Norms Promotion
Aziz Elmuradov, Dale Mineshim
- 11:00 Coffee Break (2nd floor, S1)
- 11:30 - 13:00 **Spring School** (Session 12) (2nd floor, middle room)
Round table of trainers
- Workshop on Communicating EU Foreign Policy** (Session 9) (2nd floor, S2)
Wrap-up
- 13:00 - 14:00 Lunch (1st floor)
- 14:00 End of Conference / Participant departure