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Conversations on Europe

70 Years of Creating Europe: United in Diversity?

Thursday, September 17, 2020 | 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm EDT | Remote

In this first installment of the ESC's 2020-2021 of virtual roundtables, we will use the 70th anniversary of the Schuman Declaration as a springboard for discussing diversity within the EU. Our panel of experts will trace the origin and current meaning of the EU's motto, "United in Diversity", exploring both its goals and its limitations.

Panelists:

- Androulla Vassiliou, Former European Commissioner for Education, Culture, Multilingualism, and Youth
- Johan Fornäs, Professor Emeritus of Media and Communication Studies, Södertörn University
- Susannah Eckersley, Senior Lecturer in Media, Culture, and Heritage, Newcastle University
- Michal Friedman, Jack Buncher Endowed Chair in Jewish Studies, Carnegie Mellon University

Moderator:

- Jae-Jae Spoon, Director of the European Studies Center, University of Pittsburgh
- ► This event is free but you need to RSVP at calyc@fiu.edu and register at <u>rebrand.ly/united-in-diversity</u>

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