

European and Eurasian Studies Program Steven J. Green School of International and Public Affairs

FALL 2020 ACTIVITIES

September 2020

- Thursday, Sept. 9 | 10:00 am 11:00 am Jean Monnet in the US Webinar Legislating Sustainability: Public Policy and the Environment in the EU
 - **Dr. Andrew Jordan,** Prof. of Environmental Sciences, University of East Anglia
 - Istyán Székely, Director, Economic and Financial Affairs European Commission
- Thursday, Sept. 11 | 12:00 pm 1:30 pm Jean Monnet in the US Webinar What's next? Europe Recovery & the World Dr. Cecilia Malmström, Former EU Trade Commissioner
- Tuesday, Sept. 15 | 10:00 am—11:30 am EESP Webinar Antisemitism in Europe: Implications for Liberal Democracy and Lessons to Be Learned
 - Brian Siegel, Regional Director, AJC
 - Simone Rodan-Benzaquen, Director, AJC
 - Sebastian Rejak, PhD, Acting Executive Director, AJC Central Europe
 - David J. Kramer, Director, European and Eurasian Studies Program and Senior Fellow, Václav Havel Program for Human Rights & Diplomacy
- Tuesday, Sept. 15 | 12:00 pm—1:30 pm EDT Jean Monnet in the US Webinar Tracking European Solidarity Tracker During the Coronavirus Crisis Rafael Loss, Coordinator for pan-European data projects

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- Wednesday, Sept. 16 | 3:00 pm-4:30 pm EDT Jean Monnet in the US Webinar Europe at a Crossroads
 - Stavros Lambrinidis, EU Ambassador to the US
 - Philippe Etienne, French Ambassador to the US
 - Emily Haber, German Ambassador to the US
- Thursday, Sept. 17 | 12:00 pm 1:30 pm Conversations on Europe | Virtual 70 Years of Creating Europe: United in Diversity?
- Friday, Sept. 25 | 1:00 pm 2:00 pm Jean Monnet in the US Webinar Privacy and Technology During an Epidemic Peter Fatelnig, Minister-Counsellor for Digital economy Policies at the Delegation of the European Union to the United States

October 2020

- Tuesday, Oct. 6 | 11:00 am 12:15 pm MFJMCE Roundtable Webinar Populism & Democratic Backsliding in Europe
 - Marcel Lewandowsky, DAAD Visiting Assistant Professor at the Center for European Studies UF
 - Noemi Marin, Professor, School of Communication and Multimedia Studies Florida Atlantic University
 - Martin Palouš, Senior Fellow, School of International and Public Affairs (SIPA), and Director of SIPA's Václav Havel Center for Human Rights and Diplomacy initiative, FIU
 - Markus Thiel, Associate Professor, Dept. of Politics & International Relations, Director, Miami-Florida Jean Monnet Center of Excellence, FIU
- Tuesday, Oct. 6 | 12:00 pm—1:00 pm EDT Jean Monnet in the US Webinar Crisis Signaling: Italy's COVID-19 Lockdown & Incumbent Support in EU countries Catherine De Vries, Bocconi University
- Monday, Oct. 12-14 | 12:00 pm—2 pm Jean Monnet in the US Webinar | Conference The End of WWII & the Start of Cold War in Europe
- Wednesday, Oct. 14 | 11:00 am—12:00 pm Delegation of the EU to the US Webinar | Virtual Film "Just Mercy" Virtual Film Screening and Panel Discussion
- Thursday, Oct. 15 | 12:00 pm 1:30 pm Conversations on Europe | Virtual What Brexit Might Mean for the Future of Scotland, the UK, and Europe
- Monday, Oct. 19 | 10:00 am—11:30 am EESP Webinar Spiraling Out of Control? Armenia and Azerbaijan on the Brink
 - Lilia Arakelyan, Adjunct Professor, Dept. of Politics & International Relations and Research Associate, FIU European & Eurasian Studies Program
 - Ali Bakeer, Political Analyst and Researcher based in Ankara Turkey
 - Hanna Samir Kassab, Assistant Professor, East Carolina University

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- Tuesday, Oct. 20 | 12:00 pm 1:00 pm Jean Monnet in the US Webinar The Historical Legacies of the EU's Free Movement of Persons in a Post COVID-19 Dr. Critina Blanco Sio-Lopez, Univ. of Pittsburgh and CA Foscari University
- Thursday, Oct. 22 | 12:00 pm 1:30 pm Jean Monnet in the US & MFJMCE Webinar The German Presidency at Mid-Point Dr. Ulrike Guérot, Founder and Director of the European Democracy Lab, and Professor of European Policy and the Study of Democracy, Danube University Krems
- Tuesday, Oct. 27 | 11:00 am—12:15 pm MFJMC Webinar Regional Integration and European-Latin American Relations Joaquín Roy, Jean Monnet Professor and Director of University of Miami European Union Center of Excellence
- Tuesday, Oct. 27 | 2:00 pm—3:15 pm EDT Jean Monnet in the US Webinar The European Green Deal: Europe's New Growth Strategy Saïd El Khadraoui, Founder of Impact Lab and former Member of the European Parliament,
- Monday, Oct. 28 | 10:00 am 11:30 am Lady Blanka Rosenstiel Lecture Series | Webinar History of Poland in Time Magazine Covers
 - Polish Ambassador Piotr Wilczek
 - Alvin (Mark) Fountain II, Honorary Consul of the Republic of Poland in North Carolina
 - David J. Kramer, Director, European & Eurasian Studies Program and Senior Fellow, Václav Havel Program for Human Rights & Diplomacy, FIU
- Oct. 29-30 EESP Webinar Fifth Annual IU Online 2020 Conference | Univ. of Indiana for Faculty
- Thursday, Oct. 29 | 10:00 am- 11:00 am EESP Webinar Observing the U.S. Election: The View from Europe/OSCE
 - Urszula Gacek, Head of Mission, OSCE's International Observation Mission for the US, General Election 2020
 - David J. Kramer, Director, European and Eurasian Studies | Program; Senior Fellow, Václav Havel Program for Human Rights and Diplomacy, FIU

November 2020

- Monday, Nov. 9 | 9:00 am 10:15 am EESP Webinar The Fall of the Berlin Wall - A conversation with witnesses
 - Hon. Andreas Siegel, Consul General of the Federal Republic of Germany
 - Gunnar Aguila-Röhr, MBA, Dipl.-Kfm
 - Susanne Zwingel, Associate Professor, Department of Politics & International Relations, SIPA Florida International University
 - Stephan Schürer, Professor, Dept. of Pharmacology, Miller School of Medicine, University of Miami Director Drug Discovery, Center for Computational Science, University of Miami, Member Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center, Miller School of Medicine, University of Miami
- Thursday, Nov. 12| 12:00 pm—1:30 pm EDT Jean Monnet in the US Webinar The Transatlantic Relationship After the Elections
 - Dr. James Goldgeier, American University (NATO and security)
 - Mr. Ignacio Garcia-Bercero, DG Trade (former TTIP chief negotiator)
 - Dr. Mai'a Cross, Northeastern University (Europe and the Politics of Crisis).
- Thursday, Nov. 12| 12:00 pm—1:00 pm EDT Jean Monnet in the US Webinar No End in Sight? Epidemic Temporalities and Narratives in Modern Europe Dr. Dora Vargha, Senior Lecturer in Medical Humanities University of Exeter
- Thursday, Nov. 12| 1:00 pm—2:30 pm EDT Jean Monnet in the US Webinar The New Speed of Politics: Technology and Sustainability in the EU
 - Hans-Olaf Henkel is former President of IBM Germany 1987 and President of IBM Europe, Middle East and Africa
 - **Benedek Jávor,** member of Dialogue for Hungary, part of the European Green Party
 - **Peter Christensen**, Assistant Professor of Agricultural and Consumer Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

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- Monday, Nov. 16 | 10:00 am—10:45 am EDT Jean Monnet in the US Webinar Reconstructing and Rethinking Social and Racial Justice Post-COVID-19
 - **Dr. Pierrette Herzberger-Fofana**, co-president of the European Parliament Intergroup on Anti-Racism and Diversity, vice-chair of the European Parliament's Committee on Development and a substitute member to the Committee on Women's Rights and Gender Equality
 - Congressman Jamie Raskin, US Representative for Maryland's 8th District
 - Maria Walsh, Fine Gael Member of the European Parliament (MEP) for Ireland
 - **Tim Rivera**, external affiliate of the Transatlantic Policy Center at American University
- Monday, Nov. 16 | 10:00 am 11:30 am Lady Blanka Rosenstiel Lecture Series | Webinar Shifting Political Landscapes in Europe: Poland's Role - Polish Ambassador Piotr Wilczek
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 - Norman Davies, Honorary Fellow, St Antony's College, Oxford
 - David J. Kramer, Director, European & Eurasian Studies Program and Senior Fellow, Václav Havel Program for Human Rights & Diplomacy, FIU
- Tuesday, Nov. 17 | 12:30 pm—1:45 pm MFJMC Webinar An Update on EU-Iran Relations

Relations

- Shireen Hunter, Honorary Fellow, Prince Alwaleed Bin Talal Center for Muslim-Christian Understanding (ACMCU), Georgetown University
- Eldar Mamedov, Political Advisor European Parliament
- Mohammad Homayounvash, Director, Institute for Interfaith Dialogue and Education at Miami-Dade College; Lecturer, SIPA, FIU, and Religious Studies Dept., University of Miami
- Eric Lob, Associate Professor, Dept. of Politics & International Relations, SIPA, FIU
- Markus Thiel, Associate Professor, Dept. of Politics & International Relations, SIPA; Director, Miami-Florida Jean Monnet Center of Excellence, FIU

• Wednesday, Nov. 18 | 2:30 pm—3:30 pm EDT Jean Monnet in the US Webinar The EU's Covid Recovery Plan: Clean Energy Transition

- Mercedes Garcia Perez, Head of Global Issues and Innovation, EU Delegation
- **Dr. Dagmara Koska**, Counselor Climate and Energy, EU Delegation
- Irina Markina, Senior Energy Advisor, EU Delegation
- KK DuVivier, Professor of Law, Sturm College of Law, University of Denver

November 2020

- Thursday, Nov. 19 | 12:00 pm 1:30 pm Conversations on Europe | Virtual Cementing the Boundaries of Frenchness
- Thursday, Nov. 19 | 12:30 pm—1:45 pm EDT Jean Monnet in the US Webinar The role of the Euro-Latin American Parliamentary Assembly Javi López, Member of the European Parliament

December 2020

- Thursday, Dec. 3 | 12:00 pm 1:30 pm Conversations on Europe | Virtual The Scandinavian Model
- **Thursday, Dec. 10** | 11:00 am 12:00 pm EESP/Consulate of France Webinar 5th Anniversary of the Paris Agreement: Commitments for Action
 - Daniella Levine Cava, Mayor of Miami-Dade County
 - Hon. Laurent Gallissot, Consul General of France in Miami
 - Todd Crowl, Director of the Institute of Environment/ Director PI, CREST, CAChE; Center for Aquatic Chemistry and Environment; Co-founder of FIU's Sea Level Solutions Center, Florida International University
 - **Diego Lirman**, Associate Professor Marine Biology & Ecology, Rosentiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science, University of Miami
 - Caroline Lewis, Independent Consultant Founder of the CLEO Institute
 - Véronique Sallin, Founder of IMG Enterprises, Inc. 2020 Woman of the Year in Agriculture in Florida
 - Alex Harris, Climate Change Reporter, Miami Herald
- Thursday, Dec. 10 | 11:00 am 12:00 pm EESP Webinar On Human Dignity and Identity: Observing International Human Rights Day
 - Francis Fukuyama, Olivier Nomellini Senior Fellow, Stanford University's Freeman Spogli Institute for International Studies (FSI); Mosbacher Director, FSI's Center on Democracy, Development, and the Rule of Law
 - Jacques Rupnik, Research Professor, CERI, Sciences Po Paris
 - Nicole Bibbins-Sedaca, Professor of Practice and Chair, Global Politics and Security Concentration, Georgetown University
 - David J. Kramer, Director, European & Eurasian Studies Program and Senior Fellow, Václav Havel Program for Human Rights & Diplomacy, FIU