

European and Eurasian Studies Program

Steven J. Green School of International and Public Affairs



FALL 2023 ACTIVITIES- EESP-MFJMCE

September 2023

Tuesday, Sept. 12 | 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm MFJMCE Conversations on Europe | Virtual European Year of Skills: What's the future of labor in Europe?

Monday, Sept. 18 | 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm **EESP-CSSI** Webinar The Blockade in Nagomo-Karabakh

Ambassador Sam Brownback, Former Ambassador-at-Large for International Religious Freedom

Ambassador Alberto Miguel Fernandez, Vice President, Middle East Media Research Institute (MEMRI)

The Baroness Caroline Cox, Founder President, Humanitarian Aid Relief Trust and Member, House of Lords, London, England

Moderator: Salpi Kevorkian, Doctoral Student and President Fellow, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice, FIU

Tuesday, Sept. 26 | 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm DAAD Webinar **DAAD Funding to Study, Intern & Research** in Germany

Thursday, Sept. 28 | 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm JMintheUS Webinar | EU Enlargement Virtual **Lecture Series Spotlight: Poland**

Ambassador Janusz Reiter, Former Polish Ambassador to Germany Dr. Anna Horolets, University of Warsaw, Institute of Ethnology and Cultural Anthropology)

Moderator: Paweł Lewicki, associate director of the ESC at Pitt

October 2023

Thursday, Oct. 5 | 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm **EESP Lecture in-person | GC 355** Haiti and the International Community: **A French Perspective**

H.E. Fabrice Mauries. Ambassador of France in Haiti Moderator: Eduardo Gamarra, Professor, Politics and International Relations, FIU

Thursday, Oct. 12 | 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm **EESP Webinar**

An update on the Russian Invation of Ukraine

By Elina Beketova, In-Residence fellow with the Democracy Fellowship Program, Center for European Policy Analysis (CEPA)

Tatiana Kostadinova, Professor, Department of Politics and International Relations; Director, European & Eurasian Studies Program

Markus Thiel, Professor of Politics & International Relations Director, Miami Florid Jean Monnet Center of Excellence

October 2023

- **Tuesday, Oct. 17** | 12:30 pm 2:00 pm **MFJMCE** Conversations on Europe | Virtual **Polish Post-Election Review**
- Thursday, Oct. 19 | 3:00 pm 4:50 pm MEET EU Community Road Show-FAU, Boca Raton Five things you should know about the European Union

Markus Thiel, Professor, Politics & International Relations Director, Miami-Florida Jean Monnet Center of Excellence

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Friday, Oct. 20 | 10:00 am - 11:20 am MEET EU Community Road Show-UCF, Orlando Five things you should know about the European

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Oct. 22-23

MFJMCE/EU Delegation Educators' Summit Washington D.C.

Euro Challenge Competition Educators' Summit Christine I. Calv-Sanchez, Associate Director Miami-Florida Jean Monnet Center of Excellence

Thursday, Oct. 26 | 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm JMintheUS Webinar | EU Enlargement Virtual **Lecture Series Spotlight: Czech Republic**

November 2023

Thursday, Nov. 2 | 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm JMintheUS Webinar | Ambassadors Up-Close Spotlight on Spain and the Mediterranean

H.E. Santiago Cabanas-Ansorena, Ambassador of Spain to the United States

Moderators:

Garret Marin, Senior Professorial Lecturer, and Co-Director of the Transatlantic Policy | Center, in the School of International

Michelle Egan, Co-Director of the Transatlantic Policy Center, in the School of International Service, and SIS Professor



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• Tuesday, Nov. 7 | 11:00 am -12:00 pm JMintheUS Webinar | Ambassadors Up-Close Spotlight on the Black Sea

H.E. Andrei Muraru, Ambassador of Romania to the US H.E. Georgi Panayotov, Ambassador of Bulgaria to the US

<u>Moderator</u>: **Antoaneta (Toni) Tileva**, Ph.D., cultural anthropologist, School of International Service

Monday, Nov. 13 | 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
 MEET EU Expert Career Panels | Webinar
 Advancing Your Career by Studying in Europe

Opening Remark:

H.E, Michael Curtis, EU Deputy Ambassador, Delegation of the European Union to the USA

Panelists

Eva Alvino, Deputy Consul General Consulate General of Italy in Miami

Caroline Lowe, Higher Education Officer, Advisor and Partner Relations, Campus France USA, French Embassy to the US

Lisa Arias Rodriguez, Education Advisor Education Office of the Embassy of Spain

Hanni Geist, Senior Manager, University Relations Head of Information Point San Francisco German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)

Moderator:

Markus Thiel, Professor, Politics & International Relations Director, Miami Florid Jean Monnet Center of Excellence

- Tuesday, Nov. 14 | 12:30 pm 2:00 pm MFJMCE Conversation on Europe | Virtual Yaoundé Conventions 60 Years of Africa-EU Relations Now
- Wednesday, Nov. 15 | 11:00 am -12:15 pm
 EESP Lady Blanka Rosenstiel Lecture Series on Poland |
 in-person | SIPA II-Room 102
 A New Role in New Europe: Poland's Strategic
 Priorities and Challenges
 By H.E. Marek Magierowski, Ambassador of the Republic
 of Poland to the United States
- Wednesday, Nov. 15 | 6:30 pm 8:00 pm
 EESP Lady Blanka Rosenstiel Lecture Series on Poland |
 in-person | Green School Gallery
 Art Exhibition: THE UNCAPTIVE MIND IN THE
 PURSUIT OF FREEDOM

November 2023

• Friday, Nov. 17 | 10:00 am - 11:30 am EESP Webinar

The Landscape of Knowledge Production in Illiberal Contexts: Gender Studies & the Central European University

By Dr. Andrea Krizsan, Professor of Public Policy and Gender Studies at Central European University

• Monday, Nov. 20 | 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm JMintheUS Webinar TransAtlantic Masters Info Session

• Thursday, Nov. 30 | 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm JMintheUS Webinar | EU Enlargement Virtual Lecture Series Spotlight: Slovakia

December 2023

• Friday, Dec. 1 | 9:00 am – 4:00 pm EESP Conference | in-person | Tamiami Hall 121 Personalism and Good Governance Research Conference

9:30-11:00 am | PANEL 1: Personalism, Accountability, and Corruption

11:10 am – 12:40 pm | PANEL 2: Effects on De-institutionalization and Backsliding

2:00-3:30 pm | PANEL 3: Personalist Leadership and Foreign Policy

- Thursdsay, Dec. 7 | 12:30 pm 1:30 pm JMintheUS Webinar | EU Enlargement Virtual Lecture Series Spotlight: Lithuania, Latvia, and Estonia
- Monday, Dec. 11 | 11:00 am 12:00 pm
 MIRI (Minority Issues Research Institute) Seminars:
 Current Affairs|
 Institutionalization and Mainstreaming Human Rights
- Thursday, Dec. 14 | 2:00 pm 3:00 pm
 MFJMCE Presentation
 Archimedean Upper Conservatory HS
 Euro Challenge Competition & Presentation of the
 European Union, its history, institutions, and
 current issues
 Christine I. Caly-Sanchez, Associate Director
 Miami-Florida Jean Monnet Center of Excellence