

# REPORT

of the programme

Master in Advanced  
European and International Studies

**ANGLOPHONE BRANCH**

**Academic year 2011 – 2012**



# REPORT

## on the teaching programme of the MASTER IN ADVANCED EUROPEAN AND INTERNATIONAL STUDIES ANGLOPHONE BRANCH

### Academic Year 2011-2012

The programme of the MAEIS – Anglophone branch took place:

- from **October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2011 until December 21<sup>st</sup>, 2011**, at Istanbul Bilgi University in **Istanbul**,
- from **January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2012 until March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2012**, at the Institut Européen · European Institute in **Nice**,
- from **March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2012 until May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2012**, at the Institut für Europäische Politik, **Berlin**.

For the academic year 2011-2012, we designed our study programme in order to enable students to analyse international developments, a focus being the process of European integration and the questions linked to the enlargement of the European Union.

The multidisciplinary of our programme aimed at introducing a unique approach, enriching students' knowledge and understanding of major change in world politics and the meaning of European integration. During the stay in Berlin, lectures focused on the EU's external relations and its role in the world.

Furthermore, students benefited from the high quality of libraries in Berlin in order to do their research work. Therefore, students were encouraged to acquire a better understanding of contemporary problems of European Integration as well as world politics.

# ORGANISATION OF THE PROGRAMME

## THE MODULES

The lectures and the research were composed of four basic, obligatory modules.

For each module, an IE-EI/CIFE professor was in charge of developing the curriculum and teaching. University teachers, namely from French, German and Turkish universities, experts from International and European organisations as well as researchers from our partner institutes also contributed to our programme.

Various teaching methods were applied within each module: lectures, conferences, seminars, "round tables", debates and discussions. International colloquia or longer seminars that were open to a larger public were also organised for certain modules.

### 1. INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (133 hours 45 min.)

*under the direction of Mr. Tobias BÜTOW, DAAD lecturer and director of MAEIS trilingual branch*

The collapse of the block system has aroused a basic need to question the world order. Without creating a new international system, new actors, new focuses and new challenges have disordered the rules of the game. The hypotheses for the elucidations of Huntington, Fukuyama, Rufin, Brezezinski and other actors in charge of super powers are at times discarded, at times affirmed by the international events. And the new structures which are indicated appear just as well appropriate as doubtful.

The target of this module is to emphasise the ongoing directions in the international relations through the analysis of their development, particularly since World War II. Theories which have developed during this period have been studied and the emergence and impact of new actors, economic such as others, have been examined in the context of globalisation.

The changes in international violence, as they appear in conflicts of the new generations, provide a specific aspect for the superior understanding of today's international realities.

#### • ISTANBUL (58 hours )

*"Revisiting International Relations. A critical introduction" (3 hours)*

*"Theories of International Relations: Realism meets Liberalism" (4 hours)*

*"Theories of International Relations: On "Complex Interdependency" and "Two-Level-Games" (3 hours)*

*"Theories of International Relations: On Constructivism and Nationalism" (3 hours) by Tobias BÜTOW.*

*"History of International Relations" (12 hours),*

*"The Cold War" (3 hours) by*

**Mehmet Ali TUGTAN**, Assistant professor at Istanbul Bilgi University, Turkey.

*"Introduction to International Relations" (6 hours), by*

**Özge ONURSAL**, Lecturer at Istanbul Bilgi University, Turkey.

*"Globalisation and International Relations Theory" (15 hours), by*

**Fuat KEYMAN**, Professor of International Relations in the "College of Administrative Sciences and Economics", Koç University, Istanbul.

*"Analysing Conflict and Cooperation in Transatlantic Relations: Theoretical Concepts and Empirical Trends" (9 hours), by*

**Kai OPPERMAN**, Assistant Professor, University of Cologne, Germany.

- **NICE** (55 hours 45 min.)

*"Intercultural Relations" (6 hours), by*

**Nina FRAUENFELD**, M.A., Founder and Managing Director of Successacross.

*"Genocide and Modernity" (3 hours),*

*"Theories of Violence" (3 hours),*

*"Western Balkans I: War and peace in Bosnia and Herzegovina" (3 hours),*

*"Introduction: Movie by Tone BRINGA ,We are all neighbours', London 1993", Documentary film (1 hour 15 min.),*

*"Conflicts and Collective Violence" (3 hours),*

*"Conflicts and Collective Violence: The Emergence of the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict" (3 hours),*

*"Approaching the Israeli-Arab Conflicts in Films: ,The Birth of Israel', Great Britain, 2008, 58 min. and ,Waltz with Bashir', Israel/France/Germany, 2008, 87 min" (3 hours 30 min),*

*"Conflicts and Collective Violence Middle East II: Why did the Oslo Accords fail?" (3 hours),*

*"Conflicts and Collective Violence: Genocide in Rwanda" (3 hours), by*

**Tobias BÜTOW**.

*"Disarmament and arm control today" (3 hours.), by*

**Dagmar RÖTTSCHESS-DUBOIS**, Lecturer in Political Science at the *Institut Catholique de Toulouse* and at the *Ecole Supérieure de Toulouse*.

*"Geopolitics and Grand Strategy: Implications for US Foreign Policy " (3 hours),*

*"Debates on Obama's Foreign & Security Policy: Is There an "Obama doctrine"?" (3 hours), by*

**Anna DIMITROVA**, Professor of International Relations at ESCE - *Ecole Supérieure du Commerce Extérieur*, Paris.

*"Non-State Actors in Conflicts and Conflict Resolutions: Media, Think Thank and NGOs"*

*(6 hours), by Srecko LATAL*, Senior Analyst, International Crisis Group, Brussels/Sarajevo.

*"Introduction to International Law" (9 hours), by*

**Christian TOMUSCHAT**, Professor at Humboldt University Berlin, former member of the UN Human Rights Committee and the UN International Law Commission.

- **BERLIN** (20 hours)

*"Conflicts and collective violence "* (11 hours), by  
**Tobias BÜTOW**.

*"Theory and practice of International criminal jurisdiction "* (3 hours), by  
**Wolfgang SCHOMBURG**, Lawyer and lecturer, former judge at the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia (ICTY) and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda.

*"Central Asia"* (3 hours), by  
**Alexander WOLTERS**, Doctoral student, Europa Universität Viadrina, Frankfurt/Oder.

*"Delegative Democracy and Presidentialism in Latin America "* (3 hours), by  
**Manuel PAULUS**, M.A., Research associate, University of Rostock.

## 2. **ECONOMY AND GLOBALISATION** (72 hours)

*under the direction of* **Mr. Laurent BAECHLER**, Senior Research Fellow at the Centre International de Formation Européenne (CIFE)

The main goal of this course was to give a broad overview of the fundamental logics behind the process of economic globalisation, without going to much into the details of economic theory. In order to explain the long term growth and development processes, the course has explored the role of the key factors shaping the world economy. World trade was thus studied to understand its main driving forces, with a focus on the international trade negotiations. Financial markets were explored to shed a light on their contribution both to long term development and major economic crisis.

Another goal of the course was to understand how globalisation also refers to the problem of international economic governance, with its institutions, actors and processes.

- **ISTANBUL** (39 hours)

*"Introduction to the Module"* (3 hours),  
*"Overview of the World Economy"* (3 hours),  
*"The World Economy in the long run"* (3 hours),  
*"International trade"* (3 hours),  
*"International monetary system"* (3 hours),  
*"Financial markets and crisis"* (6 hours),  
*"Regulation of World Trade"* (3 hours),  
*"Winners and losers in Globalisation"* (3 hours), by  
**Laurent BAECHLER**.

*"Economics of European Integration"* (12 hours), by  
**Bahri YILMAZ**, Professor at Sabanci University, Turkey.

- **NICE** (18 hours)

*"Winners and losers in Globalisation"* (3 hours),  
*"Economic integration and economic performance in the EU (part I)"* (3 hours),

*"Economic integration and economic performance in the EU (part II)" (3 hours),  
"The European Social model" (3 hours), by*

**Laurent BAECHLER.**

*"Economic Forces Transformation of Global Foreign Relations Realities – A US-Balkan Case Study" (6 hours), by*

**Clarisse MOLAD**, Professor at *Hult International Business School* and President of the Board of *Balkan Unlimited*.

- **BERLIN** (15 hours)

*"Climate Change Policies I, II, III" (15 hours), by*

**Laurent BAECHLER.**

### **3. FEDERALISM AND GOVERNANCE** (84 hours)

*under the direction of Mr. Frédéric LÉPINE, Chief Editor of "L'Europe en Formation".*

The objective of this module

- Understanding the origins and the functioning of the main Western democracies
- Comprehending the principal political doctrines and political systems
- Understanding the functioning of federal systems and all forms of multilevel governance
- Identifying the main sources of federal political thought
- Discussing the challenges of nationalism and regionalism in today's world
- Applying all these notions to the issue of European integration

This module was made up of five parts:

- 1) Comparison of political regimes
  - The state
  - Political institutions
  - Governance
- 2) Political philosophy
  - Political theory
  - Democracy
- 3) Compared federalism
  - The main federal states
  - The organisational principles of federal states
  - Federal organisation as structure, system and dynamics
- 4) Political philosophy of federalism
  - The Federalist Papers and Anglo-Saxon federalism
  - The influence of Proudhon
  - Sources of European federalist thought
  - Federalism, methodology and paradigm
- 5) Federalism, regionalism and nationalism
  - Federalism and political culture
  - European Minority Law

- **ISTANBUL** (24 hours)

*“Presentation of the Module” (3 hours),*  
*“Introduction to Politics and the Modern State” (6 hours),*  
*“The Principle of Federalism” (6 hours), by*  
**Frédéric LÉPINE.**

*“Comparative Approach of Federalism in the United States of America, Germany and Switzerland” (9 hours), by*  
**Nicolas SCHMITT**, Scientific Officer at the Institute of Federalism in Freiburg.

- **NICE** (51 hours)

*“Federalism, game theory and functional implementation of policies” (3 hours), by*  
**Jim ROGERS**, Professor of Political Sciences at Texas A&M University, Austin, Texas.

*“A Short History of Federalist ideas” (6 hours),*  
*“The Federal States” (6 hours),*  
*“Federalism in Political Science” (3 hours),*  
*“Federalism and distribution of competences” (6 hours),*  
*“The Personalist federalism and Denis de Rougemont” (3 hours), by*  
**Frédéric LÉPINE.**

*“Federalism and Conflict Resolution” (3 hours),*  
*“Federalism in Bosnia and Herzegovina” (3 hours), by*  
**Soeren KEIL**, Lecturer in International Relations, *Canterbury Christ Church University*, UK,  
Visiting Professor at *Universitate Pompeu Fabra*, Spain.

*“Federalism, Regionalism, Autonomy and Minority Protection. Basic Concepts and Definitions” (3 hours), by* **Francesco PALERMO**, Professor for Comparative Constitutional Law in the Faculty of Law, University of Verona and Director of the EURAC-Institute for Studies on Federalism and Regionalism at the European Academy of Bolzano/Bozen.

*“Constitutional models compared – Part I, Multinational Federalism. Sustainable Solution or Stepping Stone to Secession” (3 hours),*  
Role play: *“Multinational Federalism in Practice, Resolving Conflict in Adolinapi” (3 hours),*  
*“Self-government and Minorities from a European and Conceptual Perspective. Organisations of European Integration and the Question of Territorial or Non-territorial Self-Government” (3 hours), by* **Karl KÖSSLER**, Senior Researcher at the EURAC-Institute for Studies on Federalism and Regionalism.

*“Constitutional models compared – Part II, Balancing autonomy with solidarity: systems of fiscal federalism compared”(3 hours),*  
Workshop on *“Minorities and fiscal policies/financial relations” (3 hours), by*  
**Alice VALDESALICI**, Qualified lawyer and Researcher at the EURAC-Institute for Studies on Federalism and Regionalism.

- **BERLIN** (9 hours)

*"Federalism Governance" (9 hours), by  
Frédéric LÉPINE.*

#### 4. EUROPEAN INTEGRATION (195 hours 30 min.)

*under the direction of Mr. Matthias WAECHTER, Director of the IE·EI.*

The new Europe, which emerges since the fall of the Berlin wall, is confronted with major problems. The common currency has been realized, but the institutional framework still stays unsatisfactory, a European constitution is missing and the integration of new member states remains a major challenge. The seminar familiarised the students – future European and international elites – with the great transformations, the challenges and the problems of European integration, in particular related to political and institutional reforms and the Eastern and Southern enlargement.

Following an interdisciplinary approach, juridical, political, economical and cultural aspects, which are indispensable for the understanding of the subject, were included.

- ISTANBUL (87 hours)

*"Introduction to the module" (5 hours),  
"Strategies and Theories of European Integration" (6 hours), by  
Matthias WAECHTER.*

*"Institutions of the European Union" (9 hours), by  
Emre GÖNEN, Director of the MA programme on European Union Studies and Advisor to the  
Rector at Istanbul Bilgi University, Turkey.*

*"Eastern Europe. Transition, Post communism and Europeanisation 1990-2010" (6 hours), by  
François BAFOIL, CNRS Research Director, Centre of International Research and Studies in  
Sciences-Po Paris.*

*"Europeanisation and the construction of European space" (3 hours),  
"Migration and Europe" (3 hours),  
"Euro Turks and Euro Muslims" (3 hours),  
"Accommodation of Islam in the West" (3 hours)  
"Europeanisation of Turkey: Management of Ethno-cultural Diversity" (3 hours) by  
Ayhan KAYA, Director of the European Institute of Istanbul Bilgi University, Turkey.*

*"The Local and Regional Governance in the EU and implications for Turkey" (9 hours), by  
Korel GÖYMEN, Professor at Sabanci University, Turkey.*

*"The EU Social Policy" (6 hours), by  
Laden YURTTAGÜLER, Lecturer at Istanbul Bilgi University, Turkey*

*"The EU Enlargement" (9 hours), by  
Deniz Bingol MCDONALD, Lecturer, Department of International Relations, Kadir Has  
Üniversitesi Turkey.*



"EU Funds and Financing" (12 hours), by  
**Alper AKYÜZ**, Lecturer at Istanbul Bilgi University, Turkey.

"Project cycle management" (9 hours), by  
**Emre GÜR**, Project Coordinator of the Master in European Studies - Anglophone Branch.

"EU Energy Policy and Cooperation with Mediterranean Countries: Turkey's case" (1 hour), by  
**Jean Antoine GIANILY**, Vice President of CIFE, responsible for Project Development.

- **NICE** (70 hours)

"The European International and Economic Environment" (12 hours), by  
**Martin RICKETTS**, Member of the Board of Directors of *Phaunos Yimber Fund Limited* and of *Fldinam (Monte-Carlo) S.A.M.*

"Understanding the Political System of the EU" (7 hours), by  
**Matthias WAECHTER**.

"Green power Europe" (3 hours),

"The EU's development aid" (3 hours),

"The EU's humanitarian aid" (6 hours),

"The EU's efforts to promote democracy" (3 hours),

**Dagmar RÖTTSCHES-DUBOIS**, Lecturer in Political Science at the *Institut Catholique de Toulouse* and at the *Ecole Supérieure de Toulouse*.

"History of European Integration" (15 hours), by  
**Hartmut MARHOLD**, General Director of CIFE.

"Eastern Europe. Transition, Post communism and Europeanisation 1990-2010-II" (6 hours), by  
**François BAFOIL**, CNRS Research Director, Centre of International Research and Studies in Sciences-Po Paris.

"Introduction to EU law" (9 hours), by  
**Nizar BEN AYED**, Doctor in Law, Lawyer.

"Introduction to Competition Policy and Law of the European Union", (6 hours) by  
**Mihail MILEV**, Case handler in Unit State aids Transport, DG Competition, European Commission

- **BERLIN** (38 hours 30 min.)

"The history of the divided Berlin 1945 until 1989/90, visit of the Berlin Wall Memorial Bernauer Strasse" (5 hours), by  
**Axel KLAUSMEIER**, Director, Berlin Wall Foundation.

"Back to Europe" (5 hours), by  
**Susann HEINECKE**, Research Associate CIFE.

*"The EU Foreign, Security and Defense Policy" (7 hours 30 min.),* by  
**Mathias JOPP**, Director of the Institut für Europäische Politik, Berlin.

*"European Neighbourhood Policy" (6 hours),* by  
**Katrin BÖTTGER**, Deputy Director of the Institut für Europäische Politik, Berlin.

*"History of the European Integration" (3 hours),* by  
**Hartmut MARHOLD**, General Director of CIFE.

*"Genocide and Modernity: The Wannsee-Konferenz and the Shoah" (3 hours),* by  
**Christoph KREUTZMÜLLER**, Research Associate, Humboldt University Berlin.

*"Russia and the European Union" (3 hours),* by  
**Nikolai KAVESHNIKOV**, Head of the Centre for Political Integration Studies, Institute of Europe,  
Russian Academy of Science, Moscow.

*"European Social Law" (6 hours),* by  
**Jean-Louis BURBAN**, Adviser to the European Parliament.

### Language courses

*"French course" (14 hours),* by  
**Anne TOPENOT**, Alumna of IEHEI, promotion 2004/2005 and  
**Isabelle CHOW-CHINE**, trainer specialised in French as foreign language.

### Conferences

*"Europeanisation after EU accession: Transformation, reform and compliance in recent EU member states"* Conference organised by *L'Europe en Formation*, Journal of Studies on European Integration and Federalism, CIFE — Centre international de formation européenne, in cooperation with CERI-Sciences-Po-CNRS, CNET, COSIONET.

*"Introduction",* by **Matthias WAECHTER**, Director of the Institut Europeen · European Institute and **François BAFOIL**, Research Director at CERI-Sciences-Po.

*"Regulatory quality in the new European Union member states",* by  
**Ferran BRUNET Cid**, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona.

*"The greek Tragedy and Europe: Lessons for new members?"*, by  
**George TZOGOPOULOS**, Hellenic Foundation for European & Foreign Policy, ELIAMEP, Athens.

*"Is the current financial crisis also a crisis of the Europeanisation model? Evidence from Poland"*, by **Justyna SCHULZ**, University of Bremen.

*"The Crisis and Euroscepticism in Central and Eastern Europe"*, by **Laszlo BENEDEK FLAMM**, Budapest Corvinus University.

- **Workshop I: Regionalisation, the strengthening of administrative capacities and the effects of sectoral policies in recent member states**

*"Accelerating or Back-pedaling? Administrative capacities and post-accession compliance in Central and Eastern European Member states"*, by **Aron BUZOGANY**, German Research Institute for Public Administration, Speyer.

*"The impact of the structural funds in the process of transformation in new EU member states"*, by **Ancuta POPA**, Romanian Academy and Ministry of Economy, Trade and Business Environment, Bucharest, Romania.

*"The challenge of regionalisation for the Romanian administration: strengthening vs. hindrance"*, by **Romana SALAGEANU**, University Babes-Bolyai Cluj-Napoca, Romania and University Otto-von-Guericke Magdeburg.

*"Post-Accession Europeanisation of Public Utilities: A Stepwise Comparison of Estonian and Polish Telecommunications and Energy, 1994-2011"*, by **Alvin ALMENDRALA CAMBA**, University College London.

- **Workshop II: Compliance, Implementation, Application of EU norms**

*"Compliance with EU law in Central and Eastern Europe"*, by **Dimiter TOSHKOV**, Leiden University.

*"Signaling „Compliance“ : Analysis of infringement cases in CEE and Western member states"*, by **Nikoleta YORDANOVA**, University of Mannheim, and Asya Zhelyazkova, Utrecht University.

*"Competition among peers. Overcoming shortcomings of conditionality in EU accession"*, by **Christian ALTFULDISCH**, European Stability Initiative, Berlin.

*"Compliance leaders and laggards within the EU-8"*, by **Daniela CHODOROWSKA**, Free University Berlin.

- **Workshop III: Fighting corruption after conditionality**

*"Reassessing the effectiveness of EU-conditionality at fighting corruption"*, by **Nikos PAPAKOSTAS**, Institute for Security and Defence Analysis, Athens.

*"Corruption in the Czech Republic: An EU-conditionality problem?"*, by **Nicole GALLINA**, University of Fribourg, Switzerland.

*"The limits of europeanisation. Post-accession anti-corruption record in Romania and Bulgaria"*, by **Cosmina TANASOIU**, American University in Bulgaria and Mihaela Racovita, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva.

- **Workshop IV: National identity and European identity**

*“National identity of the political parties in the Visegrad region and their European dimension”*, by **Jan HUSÁK** and **Michal VIT**, Masaryk University, Brno.

*“Bulgarian public opinion with regard to the EU in the context of the current crisis”*, by **Anna DIMITROVA**, ESCE, Paris.

*“Euroscepticism and the return to nationalism in the wake of accession: Unfortunate normalcy in the European Union”*, by **Katrin BÖTTGER**, Institute for European Politics, Berlin.

*“‘Doing Socialisation’ after accession”* by **Dagmara PACIOREK**, University of Hamburg.

- **Workshop V: The protection and political representation of minorities after EU accession**

*“Institutional representation policies and instruments for ethnic and national minorities”*, by **Zoltán ALPÁR SZÁSZ**, University Babes-Bolyai, Cluj-Napoca.

*“Europeanisation of national minority groups: Revaluating the EU's role beyond the power of conditionality and the rationale of protection”*, by **Tamara JOVANOVIC**, Roskilde University.

*“Exploring conditions for the revocation or restriction of minority protection rules in new EU member states”*, by **Guido SCHWELLNUS**, Austrian Academy of Sciences, Vienna, **Liudmila MIKALAYEVA** and **Lilla BALÁZS**, both ETH Zurich.

*“Perspectives on European citizenship: Roma and integration”*, by **Neil A. CRUICKSHANK**, Algoma University, Sault Sainte Marie, Canada.

*“Lost in Transition? Europeanisation and the Roma in Romania and Bulgaria”*, by **Melanie H. RAM**, California State University, Fresno.

<b>Intermodular courses</b>
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**Simulation game** from January 9<sup>th</sup> until January 13<sup>th</sup> 2012

Participants: Students of both MAEIS branches

Location: Institut Européen · European Institute (IE·EI), Nice.

***“European Economic Governance  
European Council meeting under Danish EU-Presidency”***

Coordination:

**Laurent BAECHLER**, Senior Research Fellow at CIFE, **Frédéric LEPINE**, Chief Editor of “L’Europe en Formation”, **Matthias WAECHTER**, Director of the IE·EI, and **Stefanie STÜCKLER**, intern at the IE·EI

*“The Role of the European Council in the Institutional Architecture of the European Union”*  
(30 min.),

**Matthias WAECHTER**

*“Introduction to the simulation game”* (1 hour), by

**Frédéric LEPINE.**

*“Economic Governance in the European Union”* (5 hours), by

**Laurent BAECHLER.**

*“Start of the simulation: Finding out about one’s own position by each delegation”* (3 hours),

*“Editing of position papers”* (3 hours),

*“Simulation: closing session”* (6 hours)

*“Debriefing, final discussion, evaluation of the simulation”* (2 hours and 30 min), by

**Laurent BAECHLER, Frédéric LEPINE, Matthias WAECHTER and Stefanie STÜCKLER.**

**STUDY TRIP**  
**to the European Institutions and International**  
**Organisations**  
(from April 15<sup>th</sup> until April 21<sup>st</sup> 2012)

**STRASBOURG**

- Visit to the *EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS*

**Anatoly KOVLER**, Judge at the ECHR.

- Visit to the *COUNCIL OF EUROPE*

Visit of the hemicycle:

**Caroline RAVAUD**, Head of the Monitoring Department of the Parliamentary Assembly.

Reception organised by **Roland RIES**, Mayor of Strasbourg.

- Visit of the *EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT*

**Franziska BRANTNER**, Spokesperson for Foreign Affairs of the Greens/EFA group, Member of the Foreign Affairs Committee.

**BRUSSELS**

- Visit to the *COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION*

Conference "*The role of the Council and the European Council*",  
**Simonetta COOK**, Legal Service of the General Secretariat of the Council of the European Union.

Conference "*EU in the International Arena after Lisbon Treaty*",  
**Zoltan MARTINUSZ**, Principal Adviser on External Affairs, Cabinet of President Herman Van Rompuy, European Council.

- Visit to the *INTERNATIONAL CRISIS GROUP*

**Iskra KIROVA**, Analyst, EU Advocacy and Research.

- Visit to the *EUROPEAN COMMISSION*

Conference "*The Enlargement Policy*",  
**Florin NITA**, IEHEI Alumnus 2004/05, Directorate General for Enlargement.

Conference "*The EU Energy Policy*",  
**Gilles GANTELET**, Head of Unit.

Conference "*The EU Home Affairs Policy*",  
**Jan SAVER**, IEHEI Alumnus 2002/03.

**Jürgen MÜLLER**, Member of cabinet of Connie Hedegaard, Commissioner for Climate Action, European Commission.

Representation of the Protestant Church in Germany (EKD) "*Religious institutions and the EU*",

**Christopher HÖRSTER**, member of the EU Brussels Office of the Protestant Church in Germany (EKD).

**Tobias HEIDER**, Political Analyst for Security Politics, European Parliament.

- Visit to the *INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT*

Conference "*Lubanga case*",

**Manoj Kumar SACHDEVA**, Trial Lawyer, Office of the Prosecutor, International Criminal Court.

Conference "*Darfur*",

**Adebowale OMOFADE**, Trial Lawyer, International Criminal Court.

- Visit to the *INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE FORMER YUGOSLAVIA*

"*Karadzic hearing*", *Courtroom I*

**Jan Christoph NEMITZ**, Senior Legal Officer, Appeals Chamber.

- Visit to the *COALITION FOR THE INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT*

**Niall MATTHEWS**, CICC Communications Officer.

Dinner speech of **Nenad GOLČEVSKI**, Fundraising and Development Manager at the Humanitarian Law Center (HLC).

## VISITS

- “Nice – Le grand tour” – Sightseeing in Nice
- Guided tour at the Students’ residence
- Visit of the Staatsbibliothek zu Berlin
- Visit of the Grimm-Zentrum (Humboldt-Universität)
- Berlin video bus tour with ZEITREISEN
- Visit of the Berlin Wall Memorial, Bernauer Strasse

## THE RESEARCH

### TOPICS OF THE DISSERTATIONS

**Mr. ALHENDAWI Ahmad** (Jordania)

*"The Role of Civil Society in the Arab Spring: A Comparison between the Role of Social Movements and NGOs in the Egyptian Uprising"*,  
under the direction of Mr. Tobias BÜTOW.

**Mr. AVCI Yusuf** (Turkey)

*"Territorial Development of Local Economies: A Comparative Analysis of Glasgow and Trabzon Regions"*,  
under the direction of Mr. Matthias WAECHTER.

**Ms BAIBAEPAEVA Aiganym** (Kyrgyzstan)

*"European Union-Kazakhstan/Kyrgyzstan cooperation: A Comparative Analysis"*,  
under the direction of Mr. Frédéric LEPINE.

**Ms BENHADDOU Sophia** (Morocco)

*"Defining, perceiving, framing - Towards a comprehensive approach to global climate politics",*  
under the direction of Mr. Tobias BÜTOW.

**Mr. ÇINTESUN Recep** (Turkey)

*"The impact of the media on domestic preferences formation process: the case of Turkey in EU negotiations",*  
under the direction of Mr. Frédéric LEPINE.

**Ms COSIO FLORES Grecia Leticia** (USA/Bolivia)

*"To what extent does the U.S., the EU and Iran comply with NPT guidelines. Looking at vertical non-proliferation",*  
under the direction of Mrs Dagmar RÖTTSCHESS-DUBOIS.

**Ms CRUZ AROCA Paulina** (Chile)

*"The Evolution of Chile's Environmental Performance after becoming OECD member: the required transformations on the Energy Sector as the first step towards Green Growth",*  
under the direction of Mr. Laurent BAECHLER.

**Ms GOTTSCHALCK Nicole** (Germany)

*"The Eurocrisis – a European crisis? Analysis of the Media Discourse on the Eurocrisis in Newsmagazines in France, Germany and Great Britain",*  
under the direction of Mr. Matthias WAECHTER.

**Ms HARIEDY Inez** (Hungary)

*"Sino-Sub-Saharan African Relations: Beyond Neocolonialism towards Postcolonial Interdependency",*  
under the direction of Mr. Tobias BÜTOW.

**Ms IFTIKHAR Madiha** (Pakistan)

*"The Possibilities to Channel Microfinance Funds into Agriculture Based Growth Programs in Pakistan to Alleviate Multiple Inter-Linked Problems of Food Crisis, Rural Poverty and Breaking of the Vicious Poverty Cycle",*  
under the direction of Mr. Laurent BAECHLER.

**Ms JUDE Sorana-Cristina** (Roumanie)

*"Saving Strangers in Libya: Traditional and Alternative Discourses on Humanitarian Intervention",*  
under the direction of Mr. Tobias BÜTOW.

**Ms KAYHAN Gozde** (Turkey)

*"Implications of Turkey's prospective membership for the European Union's Foreign Policy",*  
under the direction of Mr. Matthias WAECHTER.

**Ms KAYKILMAZ Sibel** (The Netherlands / Turkey)

*"To what extent do the procedural rights under Turkish Asylum Law meet the international and European standards?",*  
under the direction of Mr. Tobias BÜTOW.

**Ms KHALILOVA Leyla** (Azerbaijan)

*"The European Energy Security and the Caspian Basin",*  
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