

Programme 2015

**The Joint Study Trip of The Two Master programmes in
“Advanced European and International Studies”**

8th to 15th March 2015

Brussels – Mons – Otzenhausen – Trier – Strasbourg – Luxembourg

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Sunday, 8 March 2015 – Arrival in Brussels

Check-in at the Hotel for both groups

<u>Anglophone Branch:</u> 31 Mr Frédéric Lépine, Theresia Kopper	<u>Trilingual Branch:</u> 21 Student representatives
Meeting point: Airport Nice, Terminal 2, easyjet counter, luggage check-in Arrival time 12h40 Flight from Nice to Brussels: Departure 14h40 Arrival 16h25	Meeting point: ALDI – near Studentendorf Schlachtensee Loading luggage: 9.30 – 10 h Arrival time 9h30 Bus ride from Berlin to Brussels: Arrival in Brussels 19h

Individual Dinner - Free Evening

Monday, 9 March 2015 – Brussels

Departure 8:00	Bus ride to the European Commission
Arrival time 8:15	EUROPEAN COMMISSION 8:45 – 12:15 Security check in the Charlemagne building, BERLAYMONT, Rue de la Loi 200, 1040 Brussels Welcome and Introduction by Ms. Adelaide PINTO Communicating the EU: The Role of the European Commission’s Spokesperson’s Service Ms. Andreana STANKOVA, <i>CIFE alumni</i> , Press Officer for Budget and Human Resources, Spokesperson’s service, Directorate General Communication The EU Enlargement and the Rule of Law, Mr. Giulio VENNARI, Unit “Bosnia & Herzegovina”, Directorate General for Neighbourhood and Enlargement Negotiations European External Action Service and its Role in Advanced Economic Diplomacy Mr. Florin NITA, <i>CIFE alumni</i> , European Economic Area Coordinator, European External Action Service
12:15 – 13:45	Individual lunch
	Arriving at the Council of the European Union: Underground/ “metro”: you need to get off at “Schuman” and take the exit “Justus Lipsius”; the building: big pinkish grey granite building; opposite the Berlaymont;
Arrival time 13.45	COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION 14:15 – 15:30 Arrival at the Justus Lipsius building - Security check Role of the European Council and the Council of the European Union within the European Institutions Mr. Alessandro VITRO, Legal Service Working Party on General Affairs, Other Institutions Unit, Inter Institutional Relations Directorate, General Secretariat of the Council of the European Union
16.00-19.00 <i>optional</i>	“More Union in the European Defence” , CEPS - online registration for participation
18.45 <i>optional</i>	Individual arrival at the dinner/ Meeting point at the hotel
19.15	Alumni Networking Dinner, invited by CIFE - La Brouette – Grand Place 2-3 Grote Markt, 1000 Bruxelles,

Tuesday, 10 March 2015 – Brussels and Mons

	Breakfast, individual
Departure with all the luggage 8.00	Check-out Bus ride to the Committee of Regions
Arrival time 8.30	COMMITTEE OF REGIONS (CoR) 9-10 am Room JDE 52, Rue Belliard 101, B-1040 Brussels <i>Security check</i> Structure and the work of the Committee of the Regions Mrs. Katja TURCK, Administrator at the Group of the Party of European Socialists (PES) of the CoR
Departure 10:30	Bus ride from Brussels to Mons
Arrival time 12.00	NATO, SHAPE 12.30-16.45 Avenue de Berlin, 7010 SHAPE, Mons In processing

	Meeting at the visitors' parking - LCDR Gwennan LE LIDEC (OF-3), French Navy SHAPE Public Affairs Office - Outreach section 12.45 Lunch at SHAPE Club , with LTC Kippen and LCDR Gwennan LE LIDEC, invited by CIFE NATO and ACO , with LCDR Gwennan LE LIDEC <i>coffee break</i> 2nd briefing , with LTC Kippen The planning process, the assessment of a crisis and the development of response strategies. Q&A
17.15	Bus ride from Mons to Otzenhausen
20.00	Check-in at the European Academy Otzenhausen

Wednesday, 11 March 2015 – Otzenhausen and Trier

From 8 am	Breakfast/ Otzenhausen, invited by CIFE
Departure 10.15	Bus ride from Otzenhausen to Trier
Arrival time 10.45	ACADEMY OF EUROPEAN LAW 11-12.30 Welcoming, Greeting and Introduction of the Activities and Tasks of the Academy of European Law Luc DOEVE, Deputy Director - Director of Finance and Conference Service A short round tour of the Academy Individual lunch in Trier
	Free Time/ Sightseeing in Trier (Porta Negra, Karl Marx House, etc) http://www.trier-info.de/english/sights-in-trier
Departure 17.30	Bus ride from Trier to Otzenhausen
19.30	Dinner/ Otzenhausen, invited by CIFE

Thursday, 12 March 2015 – Strasbourg

From 6am	Breakfast/ Otzenhausen, invited by CIFE
Departure 6.30	Bus ride from Otzenhausen to Strasbourg
Arrival time 8.30	EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT Allée du printemps, F 67070 Strasbourg - Appointment in the Rotunde, entrance Luise Weiß <i>Security check</i> Plenary session Q&A session with Everhardus JACOBSEN, Assistant of Ulrike Lunacek, Group of the Green/ EFA
10.30 – 14.40	Individual Lunch - Free time/ Sightseeing
Arrival time 14:30	EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS (ECHR)/ COUNCIL OF EUROPE 15-16 Meeting Point : Atrium of the European Parliament (Louise Weiß building) <i>Security check</i> Meeting with Angelika NUSSBERGER , Judge elected in respect to Germany <i>Short Walk together from ECHR to the Monitoring Department</i>
Arrival time 16.10	MONITORING DEPARTMENT/ COUNCIL OF EUROPE 16.15-17.30 <i>Security check</i> Arrival at the main entrance of the Palais de l'Europe Visit of the Debating Chamber of the Parliamentary Assembly Conference on the role of the Council of Europe in the European political landscape, Mrs Caroline RAVAUD , Head of the Monitoring Department of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe (CoE)
20.30 (sharp)	Dinner/ Otzenhausen, invited by CIFE

Friday, 13 March 2015 – Luxembourg

From 8 am	Breakfast/ Otzenhausen
Departure 8.45	Bus ride from Otzenhausen to Luxembourg
Arrival time 9.45	EUROSTAT 10.15-12.00 Arrival to Eurostat and <i>security check</i> General Presentation on Eurostat , by Tim ALLEN

	Presentation on the Website and How to find Data , by Virant BOURGEAÏS
12-13.45	Individual lunch
Arrival time 13.30	EUROPEAN INVESTMENT BANK (EIB) 14 – 15.30 Arrival Main Entrance West Building Level 4 100, Boulevard Konrad Adenauer Distribution of visitor badges and security check Providing Finance and Expertise for Sound and Sustainable Investment Projects which Contribute to Furthering EU policy Objectives , by Olivia SAUNDERS, Information Officer Coffee break and Q & A session
15.30	Busride from Luxembourg to the city centre
15.30-18.00	Free time/ Sightseeing in Luxembourg
Departure 18.00	Busride from Luxembourg, city centre to Otzenhausen
19.30	Dinner/ Otzenhausen, invited by CIFE

Saturday, 14 March 2015

Departure > trilingual group

Breakfast/ Otzenhausen, from 8 am

16 students

Student representatives

Bus ride – BusArt Tours, Berlin

European Academy Otzenhausen > Studentendorf Schlachtensee, Berlin

Arrival, Berlin, Aldi – Studentendorf Schlachtensee: 18.30

Sunday, 15 March 2015

Departure > Anglophone group

Breakfast/ Otzenhausen, from 8am

Lunch/ Otzenhausen, 12.30

33 = 31 students + Frédéric Lépine + Theresia Kopper

Bus ride – Geraldys Reisen, Otzenhausen

European Academy Otzenhausen > Airport Brussels

Departure, Otzenhausen: 15.30

Flight, easyjet - Individual arrival

Emergency Phone Numbers

EU-wide emergency number: **112**

	France (Strasbourg)	Belgium (Brussels)	Luxembourg	Germany (Otzenhausen)
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Fire department	18	100	112	112
Police	17	101	113	110

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Committee of the Regions, Brussels

<http://cor.europa.eu/en/Pages/home.aspx>

NATO, Mons

<http://www.aco.nato.int/shape.aspx>

Academy of European Law, Trier

www.era.int

European Parliament – MEP, Strasbourg

http://www.europarl.europa.eu/meps/en/97017/ULRIKE_LUNACEK_home.html

European Court of Human Rights/ Council of Europe, Strasbourg

<http://www.echr.coe.int/Pages/home.aspx?p=court/howitworks&c>

http://www.echr.coe.int/Pages/home.aspx?p=court/judges&c=#n1368718271710_pointer

Monitoring Department/ Council of Europe, Strasbourg

<http://assembly.coe.int/nw/Committees/as-mon/as-mon-main-EN.asp>

Eurostat, Luxembourg

<http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat>

European Investment Bank, Luxembourg

<http://www.eib.org/about/index.htm>

