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Franco-German doctoral conference on European foreign policy in Munich, 9 and 10 June 2011

The European Union and Its Neighbourhoods: Concepts, Constructions and Strategies of European Foreign Policy

Thursday, 9 June

13:00 Reception

13:45 Introduction

14:00 – 15:45 Opening Panel “Europe’s Foreign and Neighbourhood Policy in Times of Crisis”

- Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Werner Weidenfeld (LMU Munich)
- Prof. Dr. Zaki Laïdi (Sciences Po Paris)
- Prof. Dr. Mongi Bousnina (Faculté des Lettres et Sciences Humaines de Tunis, ret. Ambassador and minister)

16:00 – 18:30 Panel I “Europe’s Foreign Policy in the Southern Neighbourhood”

- Introduction and Chair: Dr. Patrick Müller (Institute for European Integration Research, Vienna)
- Contributions of Morgan Gertz (Paris), Edmund Ratka (Munich), Jan Busse (Berlin/Munich), Michael Bauer (Munich)

Friday, 10 June

09:00 – 09:15 Reception

09:15 – 13:00 Panel II “Europe’s Foreign Policy in the Eastern Neighbourhood”

- Introduction and chair: Dr. Florent Parmentier (Sciences Po Paris)
- Part I (Central and Eastern Europe):
Contributions of David Rinnert (Berlin/Paris), Ludwig Roger (Cergy-Pontoise), Alina Homorozean (Dresden)
- Part II (Russia and Central Asia):
Contributions of Olga Spaiser (Paris), Marco Siddi (Cologne), Sebastian Schäffer (Greifswald/Munich)

13:45 – 17:30 Panel III “Key Issues in the European Union’s Neighbourhood Policy”

- Introduction and chair: Dr. Katrin Böttger (Institut für Europäische Politik, Berlin)
- Part I (Democracy and Civil Society): Contributions of Irene Hahn (Frankfurt, Oder), Natasha Wunsch (Paris/Berlin), Filipa Bismarck Coelho (Strasbourg), Daniel Grotzky (Munich)
- Part II (Security and Energy): Contributions of Nicolas Fescharek (Paris), Bernd Weber (Munich/Paris)

*The conference takes place at the Centre for Applied Policy Research of the University of Munich (CAP), Maria-Theresia-Straße 21, 81675 Munich (Tel. +49/89 2180 1300). **Please register your attendance!** For registration and further inquiries contact Edmund Ratka (edmund.ratka@gsi.uni-muenchen.de) or Olga Spaiser (olga.spaiser@sciences-po.org).*