

The European Union in World Politics The EU and Migration issues

Summer School

Bertinoro, 12-16 September 2016 (From Monday 5:30 p.m. to Friday 1 p.m.)

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Presentation

Punto Europa was established in May 1999 in Forlì, as an information and study/documentation centre on European Union-related issues of the University of Bologna, Forlì Campus, thanks to the cooperation of the Municipality of Forlì and the Province of Forlì-Cesena. Part of the Europe Direct network of the European Commission since 2007, in September 2014 Punto Europa has been awarded "Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence". A JM Centre of Excellence is a focal point of competence and knowledge on European Union subjects, gathering the expertise and competences of high-level experts (including Jean Monnet Chairs and Jean Monnet Module coordinators) and aiming at developing synergies between the various disciplines and resources in European studies, as well as at creating joint transnational activities and structural links with academic institutions in other countries.

As part of the Centre of Excellence activities in reaching out to students, Punto Europa organizes the Summer School "The European Union in World Politics: The EU and Migration Issues". Our aim is to bring talented students from around the world to spend an intensive academic period in the beautiful city of Bertinoro. Selected international academics as well as practitioners will take part to this five-days academic program where concrete aspects of important social, economic and political problems are going to be tackled, contributing to the understanding of selected current issues while fostering the international dialogue.

Specifically, the Summer School "The European Union in World Politics: The EU and Migration Issues" is an advanced study for PhD and MA students interested in the EU as a global actor and, in particular, in the management of migration issues; BA students seeking to deepen their knowledge on these topics are also welcome.

More specifically, the purpose of the Summer School is threefold:

First, it aims to provide participants with an intensive teaching. For this purpose, invited international academics will give frontal lectures on key selected topics.

Second, it aims to support participants in debating on migration from different perspectives.

In particular, it will be focused on the economic impact of migration; on trafficking in human beings; on migrants' exploitation; on smuggling and on the border surveillance; on the international protection in the Mediterranean; on the cooperation with third countries and on the possibility to develop new model of relocation and resettlement; on the relation between media and migration; on the possible models of integration.

Third, a round-table on the free movement of persons in the EU, with the participation of MEP, State officers and national stakeholders will conclude the summer school.

All participants and attendees, who fulfil the requirements during the programme, will be awarded with certificates by Punto Europa, Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence.

Participants

Potential participants are PhD students with majoring on EU-Mediterranean related topics; MA/BA students who want to acquire a specific background on EU-Mediterranean related issues is also accepted. The participants are eager to work in an international environment (located in the Mediterranean) with peers, NGO and CSO representatives, being aware that the global job market requires experts who are able to face newly emerging challenges and crises.

When

12-16 September 2016

Where

Summer School will take place in the University Residential Centre of Bertinoro (Ce.U.B.), active since 1994 in the field of vocational training, conferences, congresses and lectures. Ce.U.B. is a vocational training centre of the University of Bologna and it is located in the bishop's fortress of the ancient town of Bertinoro (Forlì-Cesena). Bertinoro is located on the hilltop of the Romagna area, between the cities of Forlì and Cesena. It was founded by a group of Benedict monks coming from Britain who, at the beginning of the 7th century, built the Castrum Brittanorum, which is the ancient name of the city. Thanks to its strategic location, Bertinoro was sought-after by different feudal families living in the surrounding area, until it was progressively absorbed by the Papal. Beginning in the 13th century, the judge Guido del Duca wanted Bertinoro to be renowned for its hospitality, therefore he built the "Column of Hospitality". The column has twelve rings, there are as many as the noble families living in Bertinoro: every time a pilgrim would arrive in Bertinoro, he would tie his horse at one of the rings and thus become the guest of that family. Hospitality is an extremely important value inside the civil society, and the guests are warmly welcomed in the community.

How to apply

Please fill in and submit the **Application Form**. There is no application fee.

You will be asked to provide in attachment the following documents to the Application:

- Your recent resume or curriculum vitae;
- A statement-of-purpose not exceeding 500 words stating your reasons for applying to the School, and what you would like to gain by attending;
- An abstract not exceeding 500 words of your research project (only for PhD students);
- A photocopy of a valid and not expired Identity Document.

The language of the Bertinoro Summer Schools is English. Therefore, non-native speakers of English should be equipped with English language proficiency enabling them to participate in discussions and workshops. You do not need to submit any proof of English proficiency when sending the on-line application.

Applicants can both e-mail or fax their application.

Application procedure

- Applications received by the **deadline of midnight on July 24, 2016** will be considered in admission decisions. Late applications may not be considered.

All students will be informed about admissions decisions by July 28, 2016.

Selected students must **confirm by August 4, 2016**.

- Participants will be selected according to the following **two criteria**:
 - Educational Background (Year, Grade Point Average and Area of Study)
 - Statement of Purpose
- Approximately **30 students** will be admitted to this intensive course. We aim to create a truly international student body.
- Priority will be given to students with at least some academic background related to the topics of Bertinoro Summer School. Nevertheless, students of other academic backgrounds, but with strongly demonstrated interest in the Summer School topic, will be considered on an equal basis.

- Students admitted to Bertinoro Summer Schools 2016 are expected to participate fully in the program by attending all classes, lectures and social events.

Program costs

The program fee for students selected: 300 EUR

This fee will cover:

Tuition including complete course reading materials, student's handbook, maps, accommodation and every meals per day (breakfast, lunch and dinner) and cultural events. Students are responsible for their own travel costs and other personal expenses.

The payment is divided into **two parts**: EUR 100 are to be paid by the deadline of **August 4**; the remaining EUR 200 will be paid by **5 September**.

No refund of the EUR 100 will be made for cancellations after the deadline of August 4.

Travel costs

Students will be responsible for travel costs.

In exceptional cases a contribution to travel expenses will be taken into account for students from extra EU-EFTA Countries. The contribution will be a maximum of € 300.

Venue, Accommodation

School Venue

The school is organized at the University Residential Centre of Bertinoro (CEUB), situated in Bertinoro, a small village on a scenic hill with a wonderful panorama, in between Forlì and Cesena (about 50 miles south-east of Bologna, 15 miles from the Adriatic sea). Bertinoro is close to many splendid locations (such as the Republic of San Marino and the nearby Gradara, San Leo, and Urbino) and can also be a base for visiting some of the better-known Italian locations such as Bologna, Ravenna, and Firenze. More information on CEUB website http://www.ceub.it/. Further information will be given in the course.

Accommodation

Students will be accommodated in double occupancy rooms at the University Residential Center of Bertinoro. Each rooms is equipped with a private shower, WC, TV, internet connection (wi-fi) and telephone.

Meals

Meals will include breakfasts, lunches and dinners served at the CEUB restaurant.

Social programme

A guided visit to the Inter-faith Museum of Bertinoro dedicated to monotheistic religions forms integral part of the course. There will be a visit to the Town Hall of Bertinoro, considered to be the "city of hospitality".

Programme

Monday, 12th – Palazzo Romagnoli Forlì Introduzione

17:30 - 18:00: Registration

18:00 – 18:30: Marco Borraccetti (Università di Bologna), Presentation and course organization

18:30 – 21:30: Speech by the Representative of Forli City Council

19:00 - 21:30: Welcome Dinner, Buffet

Catering Service, Latifa, A Moroccan Entrepreneur in Italy

21:30 Transfer to CEUB Bertinoro

Tuesday, 13th - University Residential Centre Bertinoro

Key Note Speech

Migration Issues in 2016

10:00 – 12:30: PL De Silva, Institute for Strategic Studies and Democracy, Malta

12:45 - 14:15: Lunch

14:30 – 17:30: The economic perspectives of Migration Mehdi Lahlou, INSEA Rabat, (Im)Migration impact in the Countries of origin

18:00 Visit to the Interfaith Museum Bertinoro

Wednesday, 14th - University Residential Centre - Bertinoro

9:30 – 12:30: The Gender Dimension of Migration Pamela DeLargy, Office of the U.N. Special Representative for Migration

12:45 - 14:15: Lunch

14:30 - 17:30:

Pierluigi Musaro, Unibo, The role of the media in migration narratives

19-21 Dinner with Abel Tekeste, Forli Città Aperta, Civil Society in Lampedusa

Thursday, 15th – University Residential Centre Bertinoro

International Protection Seekers and the European reaction

9:30 - 12:30

Recent Developments in the Asylum Legal Framework Marcello Di Filippo, University of Pisa.

12:45 - 14:15: Lunch

14:30 - 17:30

From Turkey to.....cooperation with third countries Emilio De Capitani, former Head of LIBE Secretariat-European Parliament.

Friday, 16th – University Residential Centre - Bertinoro

9:00-11:00

The management of the EU borders
Philippe De Bruycker, Migration Policy Center - EUI and ULB

Roundtable: The Rigth to move freely in the EU

11:15 - 13:00

Thomas Orlowsky, Polish Ambassador in Italy
Elly Schlein, MEP
Philippe De Bruycker, Migration Policy Center - EUI and ULB
Representative of the local governments

13:15 Lunch and Closing Remarks



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