**Conference Agenda**

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**Session Overview**

**Date:** Wednesday, 03/May/2023

**9:00am**  
**WED00-R01:** Pre-conference PhD symposium (1)  
Location: Albert I  
Chair: Thomas Christiaansen, Luiss University  
Abstract: Divergence: EU Policy and the Rule of Law in the Eastern Partnership  
More information on this Pre-conference PhD symposium, please consult the www.euia.eu website.

**9:30am**  
**WED00-R02:** Pre-conference PhD symposium (2)  
Location: Albert I  
Chair: Marta Mitrakova, ULB  
Abstract: Impact on EU policy instruments of the growing divergence over liberal-democracy and the rule of law  
For more information on this Pre-conference PhD symposium, please consult the www.euia.eu website.

**9:00am**  
**WED00-R03:** Pre-conference PhD symposium (3)  
Location: Maria-Therese  
Chair: Frederik Poupard, Université libre de Bruxelles  
Abstract: Internal competition and its impact on the EU in times of divergence  
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**10:30am**  
**WED01-R01:** EU digital policymaking: disengagement through sovereignty?  
Location: Pragogege  
Chair: Jamal Shahin, VUB  
Abstract: Making global policies, shaping policymaking locally: The EU’s twofold effect on the digital landscape in Africa  
Presentations of the Symposium

**10:30am**  
**WED01-R02:** The EU and the Indo-Pacific: prospects, challenges and ways ahead  
Location: Stein  
Chair: Luis SIMON (Centre for Security, Diplomacy & Strategy, Brussels School of Governance (BSG) – VUB)  
Abstract: South Korea’s Grand Strategy: The Role of Europe  
Presentations of the Symposium

**10:30am**  
**WED01-R03:** The EU’s trade policy: what is at stake?  
Location: Maria-Therese  
Chair: Philippe De Lombaerde, UN/LCLDC  
Abstract: Leveraging EU Trade Power for Climate – Advancing climate goals through preferential trade agreements and their bodies  
Presentations of the Symposium

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**11:00am**  
**WED01-R04:** Pre-conference PhD symposium (4)  
Location: Baudewijn  
Chair: Olga Burytik, University of Amsterdam  
Abstract: Rebranding EU-representation: competing discourses over the territorialisation of Eastern Partnership countries  
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**11:00am**  
**WED00-R05:** Connectivity and Security: The Case of EU-Asia Relations  
Location: Rubens  
Chair(s): Sebastian BERSICK (Ruhr-Universität Bochum)  
Abstract: Geopolitics, (in)security and the EU’s evolving role in the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict: towards a feminist perspective  
Presentations of the Symposium

**11:00am**  
**WED01-R06:** New encounters in EU-Eastern Partnership relations: reproduction of old geopolitics or renewed partnership?  
Location: Ockeghem  
Chair(s): Yvoa MUSLIU (Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium), Nadine BOELS (Vrije Universiteit Brussel)  
Abstract: The Sanction-based European foreign policy strategy: a boon for the symbolic geography of the European continent  
Presentations of the Symposium

**11:00am**  
**WED01-R07:** EU laws and policies on value chain due diligence: what are the prospects for addressing global challenges?  
Location: Baudewijn  
Chair(s): Jan CRISBE (Universiteit Gent)  
Abstract: Environmental and human rights due diligence: The crucial role of transnational civil society networks  
Presentations of the Symposium

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**11:00am**  
**WED02-R01:** Digital Sovereignty in the (Dis)Engagement with the World  
Location: WED01-R03  
Chair(s): Johanna G.B. RUST  
Abstract: Security and Mobility Issues  
Presentations of the Symposium

**11:00am**  
**WED02-R02:** The European Union and People’s Republic of China in Central Asia – (Dis)Connecting with Energy and Security Issues  
Location: WED01-R04  
Chair(s): Johannes G.B. RUST  
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WED02R01 Location: Albert I
10:30am 
Sustainable Energy & Geopolitics in Uncertain Times – Part I: The EU
Chair(s): Caroline KUZMAK (University of Warwick, United Kingdom) 
Discussion(s): Jeffrey ROSAROEND (Gent University)

Participants of the Symposium:
Algeria, the EU and the sustainable energy transition
Claire DUFONT, Reinhilde BOUCHAUD
Gent University
EU energy market in the changing (neo) geopolitics of clean energy transition
Tomaža JERZYNIK, Ana HERRANZ-SURRALLES
DG Energy, Maastricht University
Secure and also green? Juggling security of supply and sustainability in the European Union
Francesca BATZELLA
University of Hamburg

WED02R02 What role for the European Parliament in EU international affairs?
Location: Ockeghem
Chair: Bruno Luciano, Université Libre de Bruxelles
Discussion: Bruno Luciano, ULB

The European Parliament and the Western Sahara conflict
Ragnar WEILANDT, KU Leuven, Belgium

Party-political contestation of European Trade Policy An analysis of rollcall votes in the European Parliament
Simon OJEST, Harman VAN DER VEER, Wolfgang WAGNER
1. Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Netherlands. 2. Leiden University, Netherlands. 3. Rijksuniversiteit Gent, Belgium

The Parliament’s moment(s). Analyzing the timing of the European Parliament’s involvement during the negotiation of international agreements
Marine BARDOU
Institut de sciences politiques Louis-Edith Bouloc (IPEL, UCLouvain), P.R.S.-FNRS, Belgium

WED02R03 EU migration Policy: trends and discourses
Chair: Irene Liebart, UNI-CRIS / Uganda
Discussion: Irene Liebart, UNI-CRIS / Uganda

Racism, Violence, and Imperialism of the European Union’s Border Regime: Implications for EU theory
Eva POLONSKA-KIMUNGU
London School of Economics, United Kingdom

Migration, integration and the post-pandemic EU: The real issues
Adleye Paul DYENG, Adekunle OYESI, Moses Tates OLOTIO
National Open University of Nigeria (NOUN), Nigeria

WED02R04 Location: Rubens
Knowledge production on Russia’s war against Ukraine. The promise and perils of IR
Chair(s): Olga BURLUKY (University of Amsterdam)
Discussion(s): Viola MUSLII (VUB)

Presentations of the Symposium:
Grounding the Know-It-Alls: Is Russian aggression in Ukraine undermining CEE voices into core IR?
Annette FREYBERG-MAJAN
University of Amsterdam

Paper 2: Epistemic supervision: on the phenomenon of Westsplitting
Jennna DRUKMIBEL, Jan SMLOSEK
Harvard Law School. 2. The New School for Social Research

Whose war is it (or not)? Who speaks for whom? Perspectives from the ‘Global South’ on the Ukraine Crisis
Sudaltha TRIPATHI
University of Erfurt

3:00pm WED-PL1
10:00 - 10:15
Coffee / Networking

3:30pm WED-OPEN Opening session
Location: Auditorium Albert II
9:30am Speaker: Robert Brieger, EU Military Committee
Welcome words from the conference team: Frank Matthijs, Florian Trauner & Gaille Le Pariz
Keynote by General Brieger, Chairman of the EU Military Committee
Video address by Olha Stelmakhova, Ukrainian deputy prime minister for European and Euro-Atlantic integration

4:45pm Egmont policy panel: The war in Ukraine - providing security and defence in and to Europe
Location: Auditorium Albert II
Chair: Sven Biscop, Egmont Institute & Client University
Speaker: Jan-Joel Andersen
Speaker: Barthe Laurent
Speaker: Tanja Latz
Speaker: Hanna Ilona Smith

Panelists:
Jan Joel Andersen (EUSIS)
Brigadier-General Bart Laurent (EUMIS)
Tanja Latz (EUSIS)
Hanna Smith (USIS)

UNI-CRIS policy panel: Europe’s (Dis)Engagement with Africa
Location: Baudewijn
Chair: Philippe De Lombaerde, UNI-CRIS
Chair: Fredrik Söderbaum, University of Gothenburg
Speaker: Georges Rebeha Pinto Chikito, OACPS Secretary-General
Speaker: Amandine GNANGOUA, UNI-CRIS (Université des Nations Unies – Institut d’Etudes Comparatives d’Intégration régionale)
Speaker: Domenico Rusa, European Commission
Participants:
Marta Matrakova, UNU-CRIS

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THU01-R05: The EU’s response to climate change and resource scarcity: challenges for policy makers

Location: Propigne

Chair: Aashant Vossou BUSCH (Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium)
Discussant(s): Anna MICHALSKA (Ipsos University)

THU01-R07: Europe in times of crisis: A role theory perspective

Location: Propigne

Chair: Aashant Vossou BUSCH (Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium)
Discussant(s): Anna MICHALSKA (Ipsos University)

The externalisation of an EU climate policy: how CBAM is driving climate policy in non-EU countries

Simon Dominik OTTO
Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium

An inverted capability-expectations gap? Challenging prevailing narratives about the European Union’s global health actorness

Oscar FERNÁNDEZ
Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona, Spain

Europe as a norm and policy: Examining the EU's foreign policy approach towards third countries

Chair(s): Rita MASTRUKOVA, ULB (VUB); Alison Woodward, VUB
Discussant(s): Ediz Bener TOPCUOGLU (Vrije Universiteit Brussel, VUB)

EU values of democracy and rule of law into investment law

Chair: Maria MATRUKOVA, ULB
Discussant(s): Ediz Bener TOPCUOGLU (Vrije Universiteit Brussel, VUB)

Strategic Autonomy: Examining an evolving concept from discursive perspectives

Chair: Ediz Bener TOPCUOGLU (College of Europe, Catholic University of Leuven)
Discussant(s): Giovanni GREVI (Brussels School of Governance, European Policy Centre, Sciences Po Paris, College of Europe)

When national interests are at the core of European ideas: Liberal Intergovernmentalism and the “Strategic autonomy” discourse

Sahil Saha BORA
Science Po Paris, University of Cambridge

The EU-NATO relationship and strategic autonomy in light of the Ukrainian crisis: A conceptual analysis

Lorenzo GUGLIELMI, Ediz Bener TOPCUOGLU (Vrije Universiteit Brussel, VUB)

EU strategic autonomy through the lens of theory: exploring India and European perspectives on the EU’s role in the nuclear trade

Martin DUDERMEL, College of Europe

Decerting the EU: examining Strategic Autonomy discourse and democracy and human rights promotion

Sara CANALI, European Diplomatic Academy (College of Europe)
THU02-R05
Location: Stevin
Good Global Governance and the EU and US
Chair(s): Katja RAUBE (University of Leuven)
Discussant(s): Katja RAUBE (University of Leuven)
Presentations of the Symposium
Doets, not words? - Transatlantic Actors between Good Global Governance and Geostategic Adaptation Katja RAUBE University of Leuven
Is opaque club government the EU's response to a geopolitical coming of age? Maarten HILLEBRANDT Utrecht University
EU-China Strategic Partnership in the Wake of X 3.0 Chen-Hui WU
The role of cities in the EU's policy towards China Tomeaz KARASIBI, Joanna CIESIELSKA-KŁUKOWSKA University of Lodz, Poland
EU-Asia-Pacific Security Relations in a Changing Geo-political Context Emil Joseph KIRCHNER University of Essex, United Kingdom

12:30pm Lunch break 2
1:30pm Honoring the legacy of Mario Telò
Location: Baudewijn
The EU in the Academy of War: A conversation with the European Foreign Affairs Review
Chair: Ramona A. Wassel, University of Groningen
Discussant: Marielle Mathieu, United Nations University
Speaker: Maria Markoos, University of Copenhagen

THU04-R01
Location: Stevin AV
4:15pm
Perceptions of the European Union in the Eastern neighbourhood and Central Asia in the context of Russia's war in Ukraine
Chair(s): Fabienne BOSSUYT (U Antwerpen, Belgium)
Discussant(s): Stephane KEUKELAERE (KU Leuven)
Presentations of the Symposium
A comparative analysis of the soft power of Russia, China, and the European Union amongst students of top universities in Kazakhstan John IRGENGORDO1, Karolina KLUCZENKA2, Natalia CHABAN3, Fabienne BOSSUYT1
Uperg1, University of Canterbury, New Zealand.
Russia's War in Ukraine and Transformation of EU Public Diplomacy: Challenges and Opportunities Natalia CHABAN1, Ele ELSTROM2
University of Canterbury, New Zealand.
Lund University, Sweden
EU perceptions among Civil Society Organisations providing social services in Abkhazia and Transnistria from defiance to partnership Galina LE PAVIC
Uperg1, Utrecht University.
External democracy promotion in times of internal EU rule-of-law crisis Olga BURLUK1, Fragana NOUCEEVA, Assem DANDASHLY2
University of Amsterdam, University of Maastricht

THU04-R02
Location: Rubens
Strategising European Security and External Action: strategic environments and partnerships
Chair(s): Robert KISSACK (Instituto Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IEI))
Discussant(s): Robert KISSACK (Instituto Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IEI))
Presentations of the Symposium
Strategising with external threats and challenges: shaping or reacting to the global environment Gustavo MULLER1, Monika SUZ2
YU Leuven, IES Drawing School.
Out of Time? Temporal Inconsistency in Mimetic Adoption – the EU’s Global Strategic Partnerships Benjamin MARTIOL, Alexander MEREADOVIC
The University of Edinburgh
The European Union and its strategic partners: engaging with global players Meltem MUTTULER-BAC, Senem AKYON-DUGOT, Egei ZUZIN Sabanci University

THU04-R03
Location: Octogórnaya
Security Regionalism in Africa and External Partners: Unveiled Relationships and (Un)intended Effects
Chair(s): Arne NIEIMANN (Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz) Discussant(s): Julian BERGMANN (German Institute of Development and Sustainability (DISS))
Presentations of the Symposium
Theorising Regionalism and External Actors Johannes MUNTSCHICK Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz
Spies, bullies and quasi-members: external partners and regional organizations in Africa Frederik SOODERBAUM University of Gothenburg & Associate Research Fellow, UNU-CRIS
Evaluating the effectiveness of the ECOWAS-EU interregional partnership on peace and security in the context of the Mali crisis: A comparative analysis of the飙升, bullies and quasi-members: external partners and regional organizations in Africa Frederik SOODERBAUM University of Gothenburg & Associate Research Fellow, UNU-CRIS
The influence of the European Union’s Support on the Effectiveness of APSA Amanda GANNEGOONEN UNU-CRIS

THU04-R04
Location: Auditorium Albert II
RENPEP panel: “New challenges, new forms of European diplomacy? Theoritical considerations and empirical considerations (Part I)
Chair(s): Richard WHITMAN (University of Kent) Discussant(s): Richard WHITMAN (University of Kent)
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The EU at the forefront of the new global agenda? Climate change, sustainable development and EU diplomatic practices Anna MICHALSKI1, Nikita BREMBERGER2
1Upstate University, 2Stockholm University
New label, but old practices? Analising EU Delegations’ views on the Team Europe approach in climate and energy diplomacy
Frederika PETRI
KU Leuven
Beyond Cooperation Agreements: Third-Country Regulators de facto Participation to European agencies Thaisa DERUELLE, Sandra LAVENEX, Marie POUSSEIGNON University of Geneva, Switzerland

THU04-R05
Location: Baudewijn AV
Shifting understandings of resilience in a rapidly changing world
Chair(s): Elena KOROSTELEVA (University of Warwick, United Kingdom)
Discussant(s): Elena KOROSTELEVA (University of Warwick)
Presentations of the Symposium
Resilience 2.0: British and European approaches to resilience post- Brexit Pol BARGUES1, Ana JUNCOS2
1CITIC, 2University of Bari
Resilience in war: the case of the EU’s support for security sector reform (SSR) in Ukraine Aysa KULLENKO
University of Vienna
Complex International Relations: Rethinking the EU’s Approach to Resilience Inna PETROVA
UCL SSEES
Constructing ‘resilience imaginaries’ of the future through and community data generation Vangelis PITSIS, Jan COAFFEE
University of Warwick

THU04-R06: Trends of European cooperation with other regions
Location: Praguing
Chair: Maria Gabriela Ramos-Barrera, Politecnico Grancolombiano, CALIBRE
Discussant: Maria Gabriela Ramos-Barrera, Politecnico Grancolombiano
European Union and ASEAN: Challenges and chances Marian GRABOWSKI Jagiellonian University in Krakow, Poland
Europe’s FOMO and the rise of infrastructural interregionalism: The Global Gateway in Africa Tim ZAJONZ
Stellenbosch University, South Africa
Selecting investors: who offers the best chances to increase Latin American exports? José-Wilmar BREMBERGER1, Álvaro BARTUZER2
1University Sorbonne Nouvelle, 2University of Birmingham
Ontological security crises and social structural change: The European Union’s role in perception change in response to the Russian invasion of Ukraine Gordon FREDRICKSON, Marcel SOMMER University of Freiburg
EU as a security power: the changing threat perceptions in the Baltic Region and the Nordic member states’ changing role perceptions Anna MICHALSKI1, Douglas BREMBERGER1, Ann-Marie KROPE
1Upstate University, 2University of Amsterdam, 3University of Copenhagen
THU05R01
Location: Auditorium Albert II
RENTPanel: “New challenges, new forms of European diplomacy? Theoretical considerations and empirical considerations (Part III)Chair(s): Niklas BREMBREG (Stockholm University)
Discussion(s): Niklas BREMBREG (Stockholm University)
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The Conference on the Future of the European Union and the future of citizen involvement in EU foreign policy-making
Josephine MORGENTERN-POMORSKI, Katja RAUDE2
1University of Birmingham, UK; 2Leuven University
Countering Hybrid Interference: EU Diplomacy on High AlertElke SINNEMANN, Eugène KONDRAITOV, Elisabeth JHANNSON-NOGUES
Marianna LOWO1, Hendi MAURER2
1University College Dublin, 2Duisburg-Essen University
THU05R02
Location: Stevin
Analyzing West African countries’ engagement with the EU’s migration information campaignsChair(s): ilke ADAM (Vrije Universiteit Brussel)
Discussion(s): ilke ADAM (Vrije Universiteit Brussel)
Presentations of the Symposium
The impact of EU-funded information campaigns on migration narratives in West AfricaIlke ADAM, Omar N. CHAM, Florian TRAUNER
Vrije Universiteit Brussel
Can delegation exhaust the instrument? Testing the EU’s anti-migration propaganda against its intermediation in West AfricaJulia VAN DESEL
UUL
Does credibility beat anxiety? The mediating impact in migration information campaigns: Evidence from a field experimentSandra MORGENTERN
2University of Mannheim, MZES
THU05R03
Location: Janssens
EXTERNAL DIMENSIONS OF THE EUROPEAN GREEN DEAL: The environment-development nexus and climate diplomacyChair(s): Markus Florian PAULI (Dublin City University, Ireland), Goran DOMINONI (Dublin City University, Ireland)
Discussion(s): Goran DOMINONI (Dublin City University, Ireland), Kasturi DAS (Institute of Management Technology, Gwalior, India)
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The EU’s Carbon Border Adjustment & its Discontents: Stakeholders’ Perceptions in the German and Indian Automotive, Steel, and Aluminium IndustryMarkus Florian PAULI
Dublin City University, Ireland
The European Green Deal and "leading by example" for green transition in Africa. A critical exploration.Sara DE SIMONE, Louisa Rosemary PARKS
University of Trento
A little bit of everything: the EU’s navigation of the international regime complex on climate change 2016 – 2021Joseph EARSOM, Tom DELREUX
University of Louvain
THU05R04
Location: Rubens
Strategising European Security and External Action: strategic policies and acceptabilityChair(s): Gustavo MULLER (U University)
Discussion(s): Marie VANDENBOSCH (ESADE)
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Is Russia's war in Ukraine a critical juncture in nationalist politicians’ willingness to deploy European military force?Robert KISSACK, Eva MICHAELS, Oscar FERNANDEZ
Instytut Barometers of States Internationales (IBI)
Strategising beyond CSDP - External Action Plus and Security
Kira BRUDZINSKA, Andrea CHRISTO, Chael DANN, Vladimir CHIDYALOV, Wolter MUFFLER, Nihot MUGGURI, Lucie RYBNIKAROV
1Guistec, "The University of Edinburgh, 2Tadek University
Strategising European defence through the European defence industry
Esther SABATINO
3SS
Strategising EU decision-making in the face of new challenges: mainstreaming qualified majority voting in the Common Foreign and Security Policy
Viktor SZE
University of Groningen

7:00pm - 8:00pm Cocktail Reception
The reception will take place on the 5th floor of the Royal Library of Belgium (Monts des Arts 28, 1000 Brussels).
NB: The reception is only accessible for registered presenters of the EUA conference, please bring your badge with you.

Date: Friday, May/23
Sufficiency: The Missing Elephants in the EU Trade and Biodiversity Agenda?
Nicolas ROUX1, Johanna CORDENNER2  
1University of natural resources and life sciences, 2University of Lausanne

From policy-mixes to configurations: disentangling interlinkages in European migration-relevant policies
Matthias CZANK, Heidrun BERTRAM, Federica ZARDO  
University for Continuing Education Krems, Austria

FRI02-R05
Location: Rubens
Knowledge production in higher education: Between Europe and the Middle East
Chair(s): Jan Claudia VOLKEL1, IES Alfred Freiburg, Germany, Michelle PACES2 (Roskilde University, Denmark), Michala PAPE2 (Roskilde University, Denmark)

Presentations of the Symposium
Middle East Studies in Italy: a field in search of an identity and recognition within and outside academia
Giulia CINNI1, Claudia DE MARTINO2  
1University of Bologna, Italy, 2University of Rome

The Netherlands: teaching the enlightened student
Anna DE JONG  
University of Amsterdam

Knowledge production at a time of pandemic: navigating between Syria and the UK
Juline BEAUJOUAN  
University of Edinburgh

FRI02-R06
Location: Auditorium Albert II
Cultivating the Union’s Foreign Relations: The EES and International Diplomacy
Chair(s): Caterina CARTA (BrUSG)  
Discussant(s): Caterina CARTA (BrUSG)

In lieu of formal rules: A typology of how the EES informally coordinates a common position among EU member states in multilateral settings
Hert Tigges KOENEN, Jonas Gaji KAAS  
Aarhus University

The EU in a New World Order
Tommy Brema WIJZUSSEN, Jonas Gaji KAAS  
Aarhus University

Paradigm shifts in the politics of EU foreign policy
Knud Erik JØRGENSEN1, Laura LANDORF2  
1Aarhus University, 2Lund University

Military balancing, institutional entrepreneurship and European solidarity: Explaining the launch and design of the EU’s military assistance mission to Ukraine
Julian ROHANNYSYTH1, Julian BERGMANN2  
1Academy of International Affairs NW, Germany, 2Center for Advanced Security, Strategic and Integration Studies (CASSIS), University of Bonn; 3German Institute of Development and Sustainability (IDOS)

FRI02-R07
Location: Oscehagem
The geopolitics of the EU promoted resilience in the Eastern Neighborhood
Chair(s): Ria LAENEN (KU Leuven)  
Discussant(s): Ria LAENEN (KU Leuven)

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