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# EUROPEAN POLITICAL IDENTITY: WHAT FUTURE?

**THURSDAY  
20TH NOVEMBER 2025**

**09.30  
Institutional Greetings**

**Silvia Bolognini**  
Director of the Department of Legal Sciences, University of Udine

**First session:  
The Political Significance  
of Europe: Philosophical  
Perspectives**

Chairman  
**Gabriele De Anna**  
University of Udine, Italy  
**Giuliana Parotto**  
University of Trieste, Italy  
*Sovereignism, Sovereignty  
and the Spirit of Central Europe*

**Christian Illies**  
Otto Friedrich University,  
Bamberg, Germany  
*Endings as Beginnings:  
Forging European Identity  
Through Future Engagement*

**Manca Erzetič**  
Institute Nova Revija for  
the Humanities and University of  
Ljubljana, Slovenia  
*Interculturality and the Crisis of  
European Identity*

**Lunch**

**14:30  
Second session:  
Europe's Cultural Identity:  
Aesthetical Experiences**

Chairman  
**Marco Stolfo**  
University of Udine, Italy

**Maxim Kantor**  
Pembroke College, Oxford, UK  
*Waiting for the Renaissance*

**Petr Osolsobe**  
Masaryk University,  
Brno, Czech Republic  
*Can Art Lead us to Virtue, or how  
Has the European Tradition Led to  
the Formation of Political Identity?*

**17.00-19.00  
Round Table (in Italian)  
Identità politica europea:  
quali futuri?**

Chairman  
**Rossano Cattivello**  
Journalist, Director of *Il Friuli*  
Participants

**Francisco Balaguer Callejon**  
University of Granada, Spain

**Laura Montanari**  
University of Udine

**Elisabetta Nadalutti**  
University of Udine, Italy

**Petr Osolsobe**  
Masaryk University,  
Brno, Czech Republic

**Giuliana Parotto**  
University of Trieste

**Paolo Petiziol**  
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**Harald Wydra**  
St. Catherine's College, Cambridge,  
UK

**Giangiacomo Vale**  
Cusano University, Rome, Italy

**Lamberto Zannier**  
Ambassador, former  
General Secretary of OSCE

**19.30-21.00**  
Opening of *Preghiera  
su un'isola/Prayer on an  
Island*, **Maxim Kantor's solo  
exhibition** at **Copetti Antiquari Art  
Gallery** (via Prefettura 6, Udine)

**Musical Opening  
University of Udine Sax Quartet**  
**Introductory Speech by  
Alessandro Del Puppo**  
University of Udine

**FRIDAY  
21ST NOVEMBER 2025**

**9.30  
Institutional Greetings**

**Angelo Montanari**  
Rector of the University of Udine

**Third Session: Europe and the  
Law: from International  
Relations to a New Legal Order**

Chairman, **Manuele Dozzi**  
University of Udine, Italy

**Elisabetta Bergamini**  
University of Udine, Italy  
*EU Citizenship and the Development  
of a European Identity: The  
Challenging Balance Between  
National Sovereignty and the  
Principle of Sincere Cooperation in  
Citizenship Attribution*

**Francisco Balaguer Callejon**  
University of Granada, Spain  
*The Role of Legal Culture in Building  
European Identity*

**Lamberto Zannier**  
Ambassador, former General  
Secretary of OSCE  
*The EU foreign, Security, and  
Defence Policy Under Strain at a  
Time of Crisis*

**Lunch**

**14:30  
Fourth Session:  
Europe and Political  
Institutions: Towards a new Polity**

Chairman  
**Claudio Cressati**  
University of Udine, Italy

**Harald Wydra**  
St. Catherine's College, Cambridge,  
UK  
*The limits of European identity –  
A cultural memory of borders*

**Elisabetta Nadalutti**  
University of Udine, Italy  
*The Reasons for Integration:  
Practices and Intentions in European  
Cross-Border Cooperation*

**David Engels**  
ICES University, France  
*Hesperialism - European Identity  
between globalism and Nationalism*

**Giangiacomo Vale**  
Cusano University, Rome, Italy  
*An Unresolved Political Identity: The  
European Union between  
Sovereignty, Federation, and Empire*

**20-21  
NOVEMBER 2025  
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**Scientific Organisation**

**Gabriele De Anna**  
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