



## Summer School on Parliamentary Democracy in Europe

8 - 19 July 2013

# The European Parliament: Organisation and Functioning



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I WEEK  
(Monday 8 - Friday 12)

## The European Parliament: Intra- and Inter- Institutional Politics

Monday, 8 July 2013  
LUISS, Viale Pola - Sala delle Colonne

9.30 Registration of participants

10.00-10.30 **Introductory remarks** by  
**Massimo Egidi**, LUISS Guido Carli Rector  
– **Carlo Lauro**, Nova Universitas President  
– **Renaud Dehousse**, Director of the  
Centre d'études européennes, Sciences  
Po-Paris

10.30-11.45 **Opening Lecture: Sergio  
Fabbrini** (LUISS Guido Carli)  
*The future of the EU: which role for the EP?*

12.00-13.30 **Roundtable** on the book  
*Democracy and Subsidiarity in the EU.  
National Parliaments, Regions and Civil  
Society in the Decision-Making Process*,  
Bologna, Il Mulino, 2013, which collects the  
contributions to the first edition of the  
Summer School. **Annalisa Ciampi**  
(University of Verona), **Filippo Donati**  
(University of Firenze) and the editors of  
the book – **Marta Cartabia** (Italian  
Constitutional Court), **Nicola Lupo** (LUISS  
Guido Carli) and **Andrea Simoncini**  
(University of Firenze) – will participate in  
the Roundtable

Afternoon. **The EP in the EU Political  
System**

15.00-16.30 Lecture 1: **Renaud Dehousse**  
(Sciences Po-Paris)

17.00-19.30 Workshop 1: **Maximiliano  
Lorenzi** (University of Aberdeen) –  
**Roberto Castaldi** (Sant'Anna School of  
Advanced Studies)

Participants:  
– **Andrea Cofelice** 'The EP as an  
international parliamentary institutions'  
– **Lilit Khayrabedian**, 'The European  
Union and its eastern partners: bilateral and  
multilateral cooperation and interparliamentary  
relations; Poland's role in the Eastern  
Partnership project as an EU member and  
initiator'

Tuesday, 9 July 2013  
LUISS, Viale Pola

Morning. **The organization of the EP**

9.00-10.30 Lecture 2: **Amie Kreppel**  
(University of Florida)

11.00-13.30 Workshop 2: **Alfredo De Feo**  
(European Parliament) – **Edoardo  
Bressanelli** (LUISS Guido Carli)

Participants:  
– **Andreja Pegan**, 'Legislative staff in  
the EP: working activities'  
– **Silje Hermansen**, '(Self-) selection  
and expertise among decision-makers in the EP'

Afternoon. **Law-making and recent  
changes in the codecision procedure**

15.00-16.30 Lecture 3: **Adrienne Héritier**  
(European University Institute)

17.00-19.30 Workshop 3 (simulation  
on the *EU law-making* in Sala  
Colonne, viale Pola): **Pierpaolo  
Settembri** (European Commission) –  
**Arlo Poletti** (LUISS Guido Carli)

## Wednesday, 10 July 2013

LUISS, Viale Pola

Morning. **Members and Political Groups in the European Parliament**

9.00-10.30 Lecture 4: **Olivier Costa** (Sciences Po-Bordeaux)

11.00-13.30 Workshop 4: **Robert Bray** (European Parliament) – **Enrico Calossi** (European University Institute & University of Pisa)

Participant:

**Goran Shibavovsky**, 'The Social Structure of the Macedonian Parliament in Seven Mandates (1991 – 2011)'

Afternoon. **EU Democracy, Parties and EP elections**

15.00-16.30 Lecture 5: **Alexander Trechsel** (European University Institute)

17.00-19.30 Workshop 5: **Lorenzo De Sio** (LUISS Guido Carli) – **Wojciech Gagatsek** (European University Institute & University of Warsaw) – **Lorenzo Mannelli** (European Parliament)

Participants:

- **Camille Kelbel**, 'Political parties at European level: still a 'missing link' between citizens and EU institutions? Toward democratization through candidate selection'

- **Lucrezia Lo Schiavo**, 'Abstaining or Protesting but Hurting Democracy'

## Thursday, 11 July 2013

LUISS, Viale Pola

Morning. **The challenge of executive democracy in Europe**

9.00-10.30 Lecture 6: **Deirdre Curtin** (University of Amsterdam)

11.00-13.30 Workshop 6: **Justus Schonlau** (Committee of the Regions) – **Raffaele Marchetti** (LUISS Guido Carli)

Participants:

- **Ludovica Coletta**, 'The United States of Europe: a realizable federal union?'

- **Rossella Lenzi**, 'Lobbies and transparency in the EP: the case of FTAs'



Afternoon.

15.00- **Visit to Institutions: Chamber of Deputies**

Meeting on *The Chamber of Deputies and interparliamentary co-operation in Europe*  
co-ordinated by **Antonio Esposito**

## Friday, 12 July 2013

LUISS, Viale Pola

Morning *The EP and EU Executive Accountability*

9.00-10.30 Lecture 7: **Ben Crum** (University of Amsterdam)

11.00-13.30 Workshop 7: **Emilio De Capitani** (European Parliament) – **Piotr Kaczynski** (European Parliament) – **Isabelle Hertner** (University of Birmingham)

Participants:

- **Stefano Speranza**, 'Interest Representation and the EU: actors, features and concrete evidences'

- **Ksenia Khirvonina**, 'The EP and the European Commission'

Afternoon. Chair, **Carmela Decaro** (LuiSS Guido Carli)

15.00 **Closing lecture** on *European Council and European Parliament: a challenging relationship?*

**Enzo Moavero Milanese** (Italian Minister of EU Affairs)

16.00 **Closing session** of the course and commencement of the certificates and diplomas for the participants in the first week of the Summer School.

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**II WEEK**  
**(Monday 15 - Friday 19)**

## The Rules and Functions of the European Parliament

**Monday, 15 July 2013**  
LUISS, Viale Pola - Room 14

11.30 Registration of participants

12.00-13.30 **Opening Lecture: Marta Cartabia** (Italian Constitutional Court)  
'Courts and Rights in Europe: the construction of a legal system with multiple judicial controls'

Afternoon. ***The European Parliament and its Rules of procedures***

15.00-16.30 Lecture 1: **Olivier Costa** (Sciences Po-Bordeaux)  
17.00-19.30 Workshop 1: **Cristina Fasone** (LUISS Guido Carli) – **Simona Mangiante** (European Parliament)

Participants:

- **Carlo Cerutti**, 'Political Representation and political groups in the EP'  
- **Dessislava Cherneva-Mollova**, 'The EP's Rules of procedure and their implications for the EU institutional balance'

**Tuesday, 16 July 2013**  
LUISS, Viale Pola

Morning: ***The EP, the national Parliaments and the principle of subsidiarity***

9.00-10.30 Lecture 2: **Roberto Baratta** (Permanent Representation of Italy to the EU)

11.00-13.30 Workshop 2: **Olivier Rozenberg** (Sciences Po-Paris) - **Maria Schininà** (Italian Chamber of Deputies) - **Luigi Gianniti** (Cabinet of the Italian Minister of EU Affairs and Italian Senate)

Participants:

- **Luca Bartolucci**, 'European Parliament and the scrutiny procedure of national Parliaments, between subsidiarity principle and "political dialogue": European Parliament's rules of procedure and practice in national Parliaments'

- **Julian Van Dam**, 'The protection of national sovereignty within the EU and the practice of the principle of subsidiarity'

- **Magdalena Skulimowska**, 'The evolving role of National Parliaments in the EU affairs and the experiences of the Polish Senate'

Afternoon. ***The right of legislative initiative and the EP***

15.00-16.30 Lecture 3: **Gianluca Contaldi** (University of Macerata)

17.00-19.30 Workshop 3: **Massimo Starita** (University of Palermo) – **Paolo Zicchittu** (University of Milano Bicocca)

Participant:

- **Francesco Maria Ricciardi**, 'The role of the European Parliament in the legislative process: the legislative initiative'

**Wednesday, 17 July 2013**  
LUISS, Viale Pola

Morning. ***The European Parliament and the procedures for the revision of the Treaties***

9.00-10.30 Lecture 4: **Carlos Closa** (Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas; Global Governance Programme, European University Institute)



11.00-13.30 Workshop 4: **Barbara Guastafarro** (Pegaso University of Naples) - **Maria José Martínez Iglesias** (European Parliament, Cabinet of the President of the European Parliament)

Participants:

- *Annalisa Ambrosanio*, 'The EP and the accession of the EU to the ECHR'

- *Elena Biondi*, 'The Treaties revision procedures and the role of the European Parliament pre- and post-Lisbon'

Afternoon. *The European Parliament within the legislative process: legal framework and practice*

15.00-16.30 Lecture 5: **Amie Kreppel** (University of Florida)

17.00-19.30 Workshop 5: **Nathalie Brack** (Université Libre de Bruxelles) – **Giovanni Piccirilli** (LUISS Guido Carli)

## Thursday, 18 July 2013

LUISS, Viale Pola

Morning. *The European Parliament and the protection of fundamental rights*

9.00-10.30 Lecture 6: **Jörg Luther** (University of Piemonte Orientale)

11.00-13.30 Workshop 6: **Giuseppe Martinico** (Centro de estudios políticos y constitucionales) – **Stefania Ninatti** (University of Milano Bicocca)

Participants:

- *Elisa Chiericato*, 'The new role of the EP in discussing fundamental rights: toward the second phase of the common European asylum system?'

- *Klara Rolfart*, 'The enforcement of right of defence in Turkey: the role of the EU and of the EP'

15.00- Afternoon. *Visit to Institutions: Italian Senate*

Meeting on The Senate and interparliamentary co-operation in Europe co-ordinated by **Davide A. Capuano**

## Friday, 19 July 2013

LUISS, Viale Pola

Morning. *The European Parliament and its oversight function: addressed to whom?*

9.00-10.30 Lecture 7: **Nicola Lupo** (LUISS Guido Carli)

11.00-13.30 Workshop 7: **Giovanni Rizzoni** (Italian Chamber of Deputies) – **Lorenzo Spadacini** (University of Brescia)

Participants:

- *Francesca Fanti*, 'Citizens' control over European institutions: the right to petition and the European Ombudsman'

- *Maria Romaniello*, 'The international role of the European Parliament. The Swift Affair and the 're-assessed' European institutional balance of power'

Afternoon

15.00 Closing Lecture on *The European Parliament and the Lisbon Treaty settlement: continuity and change*

**Paul Craig** (University of Oxford)

16.30-17.30 Closing session with the Directors of the course and commencement of the certificates and diplomas for the participants in the second week or in both weeks of the Summer School.

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