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# **THE NEXT DECADE OF EUROPEAN INTEGRATION**



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12 June 2023

Europe House, Augusta Cesarca 4-6, Zagreb

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**JEAN MONNET CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE  
“EU GLOBAL LEADERSHIP IN THE RULE OF LAW”  
and  
UNESCO CHAIR ON FREE MOVEMENT OF PEOPLE,  
MIGRATION AND INTER-CULTURAL DIALOGUE  
in cooperation with the  
REPRESENTATION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION IN CROATIA**

**Iris Goldner Lang**, Vice Dean and Head of Department of  
European Public Law, University of Zagreb - Faculty of Law

**OPENING  
9:00 - 9:45**

**Ivan Koprić**, Dean, University of Zagreb - Faculty of Law

**Dubravka Šuica**, Vice-President of the European Commission

**Andrej Plenković**, Prime Minister of the Republic of Croatia

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**Andreja Metelko-Zgombić**, Ministry of Foreign and  
European Affairs  
*Shaping the Future: The Way Ahead after Ten Years of Croatia's  
EU Membership*

**PANEL ONE  
9:45 - 11:00**

**Irena Andrassy**, Permanent Representation of the Republic  
of Croatia to the European Union  
*A More Resilient and Assertive EU - Competitiveness and Security  
in the Changing Geopolitical Circumstances*

**Ramses A. Wessel**, University of Groningen - Faculty of Law  
*CFSP Decision-Making: From Vetoes to Voting*

**Moderator:** Andrea Čović Vidović, *Representation of the  
European Commission in Croatia*

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**COFFEE BREAK**

**11:00 - 11:30**

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**Frank Hoffmeister**, European External Action Service  
*The Internal Market between Industrial Policy and Open Strategic  
Autonomy*

**PANEL TWO  
11:30 - 12:45**

**Dunja Duić**, Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek - Faculty of Law  
*EU in the Age of Artificial Intelligence: EU Regulation of Data Protection and  
Cyber Security*

**Melita Carević**, University of Zagreb – Faculty of Law  
*EU Climate Change Policy: The Path to Carbon Neutrality*

**Moderator:** Darko Polšek, *University of Zagreb - Faculty of Humanities  
and Social Sciences*



## CATERED LUNCH

12:45 - 13:45

**Jaya Ramji-Nogales**, Temple University, Beasley School of Law  
*The Future of EU Integration: A View from the United States*

## PANEL THREE

13:45-15:00

**Nicholas Whyte**, APCO Worldwide  
*The EU on the Global Stage*

**Iris Goldner Lang**, University of Zagreb – Faculty of Law  
*The Future of EU Migration Policy and Croatia's Role in It*

**Moderator:** Zoran Kurelić, University of Zagreb - Faculty of  
Political Science

## COFFEE BREAK WITH CELEBRATION CAKE

15:00 - 15:30

### Mislav Mataija

Presentation of the Book  
*"70 Years of EU Law: A Union for its Citizens"* by the Legal Service of  
the European Commission

15:30-15:45

**Mislav Mataija**, European Commission Legal Service  
*Ten Years of Croatian Preliminary References to the Court of  
Justice: A View from Brussels*

## PANEL FOUR

15:45-17:00

**Maja Gregurić**, Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs  
of the Republic of Croatia  
*Impacts of Case Law of the Court of Justice on Croatian  
Citizens and National Judicial System: Lessons Learned and  
Future Perspectives*

**Davor Petrić**, University of Zagreb – Faculty of Law  
*The Preliminary Ruling Procedure 2.0*

**Moderator:** Nika Bačić Selanec, University of Zagreb -  
Faculty of Law