

- Programme -

Shaping the Future of Europe

German Pre-Presidency Conference Virtual Edition

Thursday 25 and Friday 26 June 2020
The event will be in English with no translation

Thursday, 25 June 2020

Session 1

11:00-11:15 **Words of Welcome (Video messages)**

Prof. Dr. Jaap DE ZWAAN

Secretary General of Trans European Policy Studies Association, Brussels,
Emeritus Professor, Erasmus University Rotterdam

Prof. Dr. Frank SCHIMMELFENNIG

Chairman of the Academic Advisory Board Institut für Europäische Politik, Berlin; ETH
Zurich

11:15-12:30 **Youth Ideas Panel: Shaping the Future of Europe**

Opening Remarks: Dr. Werner Hoyer, President of the European Investment Bank,
Luxembourg, President of the Institut für Europäische Politik, Berlin

Keynote by Axel DITTMANN, Director for EU Institutional Affairs, Brexit, EU
Coordination, and EU2020 Presidency, Federal Foreign Office, Berlin

Youth ideas, 4 representatives of #EngagEUrCouncil:

Simon HAPPERSBERGER, Asylum & Migration

Masa OCVIRK, Foreign Policy

Stephan NAUMANN, Climate Policy

João GOMES, Future of Europe

Moderated Discussion in view of TEPSA Recommendations

Moderation: Dr. Funda TEKIN, Director, Institut für Europäische Politik, Berlin;
Member of the Board, Trans European Policy Studies Association, Brussels

Open Plenary Discussion

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14:00-15:00 **Session 2: The EU's differentiated future after Brexit**

Axel DITTMANN, Director for EU Institutional Affairs, Brexit, EU Coordination, and EU2020 Presidency, Federal Foreign Office, Berlin

Prof. Dr. Brigid LAFFAN, Director, Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, Florence

Prof. Dr. Frank SCHIMMELFENNIG, Center for Comparative and international Studies, ETH Zurich

Dr. Funda TEKIN, Director, Institut für Europäische Politik, Berlin

Moderation: Dr. Christian FROMMELT, Director, Liechtenstein Institute, BERN

16:30-17:30 **Session 3: Roundtable discussions (parallel sessions)**

Migration and Asylum

Stephan MAYER, Parliamentary State Secretary to the Federal Minister of the Interior, Building and Community, Berlin

Prof. Dr. Jaap DE ZWAAN, Emeritus Professor, Erasmus University Rotterdam

Prof. Dr. Adriaan SCHOUT, Clingendael Netherlands Institute of International Relations / Radboud University, Nijmegen

Prof. Dr. Florian TRAUNER, Institute for European Studies, Vrije Universiteit, Brussels

Moderation: Dr. Vittoria MEISSNER, Institut für Europäische Politik, Berlin

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Enlargement and Neighbourhood Policy

Prof. Dr. Danijela JAČIMOVIĆ, Faculty of Economics, University of Montenegro,
Podgorica

Edgar GANSEN, Head of Division EU External Policies incl. EU-Enlargement, Federal
Foreign Office, Berlin

Dr. Ilke TOYGÜR, Elcano Royal Institute, Madrid

Discussant: Prof. Dr. Giorgi KHISHTOVANI, Research Director, PMC Research Center,
Tbilisi

Discussant: Dr. Yuriy YAKYMENKO, President, Razumkov Centre, Kyiv

Moderation: Dr. Katrin BÖTTGER, Director, Institut für Europäische Politik, Berlin

European Green Deal

Univ.-Prof. Dr. Christian CALLIESS, LL.M. Eur, Free University Berlin

Sabine NALLINGER, Managing Director, Foundation 2° – German Businesses for
Climate Protection, Berlin

Dr. Karsten SACH, Director-General, International and European Policy, Climate
Policy, Federal Ministry for Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety,
Berlin

Prof. Dr. Gaby UMBACH, European University Institute, Florence

Moderation: Univ.-Prof. Dr. Johannes POLLAK, Webster Vienna Private University

Friday, 26 June 2020

9:30-09:35 Words of Welcome (Video message)

Univ.-Prof. Dr. Johannes POLLAK
Chairman of the Executive Board of the Institut für Europäische Politik, Berlin;
Webster Vienna Private University

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9:35-10:30 **Session 4: Must the EU “learn to speak the language of power”?**

Prof. Dr. Stefan FRÖHLICH, Institute of Political Science, University of Erlangen-Nuremberg

Sebastian GROTH, Director for Policy Planning, Federal Foreign Office, Berlin

Dr. Nicoletta PIROZZI, Istituto Affari Internazionali, Rome

Moderation: Prof. Dr. Senem AYDIN-DÜZGİT, Istanbul Policy Center, Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences, Sabanci University, Istanbul

11:30-12:30 **Session 5: Roundtable discussions (parallel sessions)**

Institutional Reforms in Times of Crisis Management

Dr. Katrin AUER, Institute for Advanced Studies Vienna

Gaby BISCHOFF, Member of the European Parliament, Brussels

Jim CLOOS, Deputy Director-General of the General Secretariat of the Council of the European Union, Brussels

Prof. Dr. Wolfgang WESSELS, Center for Studies in Turkey and the European Union, University of Cologne

Moderation: Prof. Dr. Michael KAEDING, Department of Political Science, University of Duisburg-Essen

European Social Cohesion and Social Security

Prof. Dr. Iain BEGG, European Institute, London School of Economics and Political Science

Dr. Hrvoje BUTKOVIĆ, Institute for Development and International Relations, Zagreb

Prof. Dr. Miriam HARTLAPP, Center for Comparative Politics of Germany and France, Free University, Berlin

Dr. Rolf SCHMACHTENBERG, State Secretary at the Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs, Berlin

Moderation: Pola SCHNEEMELCHER, Economist, Paris

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Youth ideas

Students from:

#EngagEUrCouncil

University of Magdeburg

University of Passau

Moderation: Julia KLEIN, University of Magdeburg; Julian PLOTTKA, University of Passau; Jana SCHUBERT, Institut für Europäische Politik, Berlin

12:35-13:00 **Concluding Remarks**

Prof. Dr. Lucia MOKRÁ

Chairperson of the Board, Trans European Policy Studies Association, Brussels;
Institute of European Studies and International Relations, Comenius University,
Bratislava

Jim CLOOS

Deputy Director-General of the General Secretariat of the Council of the European
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