

**The 2017 Summit on the Future of Europe:
Europe and Transatlantic Relations in the Era of Populism
November 6, 2017**

AGENDA

The *Summit on the Future of Europe* is an initiative of Harvard University's Minda de Gunzburg Center for European Studies (CES). Launched in 2014, this annual conference aims to convene eminent scholars and public leaders at Harvard in order to debate critical challenges facing Europe. The 2017 Summit will take place at Harvard on November 6 and will focus on "Europe and Transatlantic Relations in the Era of Populism." It is a partnership of CES, diaNEOSis Research and Policy Institute, and the WZB Berlin Social Science Center. *All sessions (excluding lunch) are open to the public. All speakers are confirmed, except where TBC is noted.*

November 5, 2017

6:00 p.m.

Private dinner (up to 10 guests) hosted by Professor Grzegorz Ekiert in honor of Ms. Palacio (TBC).
Location: TBC in Harvard Square.

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Morning sessions take place in the CES Lower Level Conference Room, 27 Kirkland Street, Cambridge, MA.

8:45 – 9:00 a.m.

Welcome & Introduction

- **Thodoris Georgakopoulos**, Editorial Director, diaNEOSis Research and Policy Institute
- **Grzegorz Ekiert**, Laurence A. Tisch Professor of Government; Director, CES, Harvard University

9:00 – 10:30 a.m.

Panel 1: Academic Freedom in the Age of Populism and Post-Truth

- **Jutta Allmendinger**, President, WZB Berlin Social Science Center; Professor of Educational Sociology and Labor Market Research, Humboldt University, Berlin; Senior Fellow, CES, Harvard University
- **Jonathan Cole**, John Mitchell Mason Professor of the University; Provost and Dean of the Faculties, Emeritus, Columbia University; Member, Board of Trustees, Central European University
- **Ersin Kalaycıoğlu**, Professor of Political Science, Sabanci University, Turkey; President (2004-2007), Işık University, Turkey; Visiting Scholar, Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard University
- **Louise Richardson**, Vice-Chancellor, University of Oxford; Senior Fellow, CES, Harvard University
- **Chair: Grzegorz Ekiert**, Laurence A. Tisch Professor of Government; Director, CES, Harvard University

10:30 – 10:45 a.m.

Coffee break

10:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Panel 2: Is the European Economy Out of the Woods?

- **Agnès Bénassy-Quéré**, Professor, University of Paris I Panthéon Sorbonne; Chair, French Council of Economic Analysis; Board Member, Banque de France

- **Daniel Gros**, Director, Centre for European Policy Studies
- **Kyriakos Pierrekakis**, Director of Research, diaNEOsis Research and Policy Institute
- **Mark Schieritz**, Economics Correspondent, *Die Zeit*
- **Chair: Peter Hall**, Krupp Foundation Professor of European Studies, Department of Government, Harvard University; Resident Faculty, CES, Harvard University

12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Luncheon Keynote

- **Ana Palacio**, Member, Spanish Council of State; Founder, Palacio y Asociados; Senior Strategic Counsel, Albright Stonebridge Group; Minister of Foreign Affairs of Spain (2002-2004) **(TBC)**

Location: Main Dining Room, Harvard Faculty Club, 20 Quincy Street, Cambridge.

Attendance at lunch by invitation only; proceedings will be livestreamed.

Afternoon panels take place in: Reading Room, Harvard Faculty Club, 20 Quincy Street, Cambridge, MA.

2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Panel 3: The Future of Transatlantic Relations

- **Ashton Carter**, Director, Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs; Belfer Professor of Technology and Global Affairs, Harvard Kennedy School; U.S. Secretary of Defense (2015-2017)
- **Karen Donfried**, President, The German Marshall Fund of the United States; Senior Fellow, CES, Harvard University
- **Elizabeth Sherwood-Randall**, Senior Fellow, Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs, Harvard Kennedy School; Deputy Secretary, US Department of Energy (2014-2017); Special Assistant to President Obama and Senior Director for European Affairs, National Security Council (2009-2013); Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Russia, Ukraine, and Eurasia (1994-1996)
- **Norbert Röttgen**, Chairman, Foreign Affairs Committee, Bundestag (2014-2017) **(TBC)**
- **Chair: Joseph S. Nye**, Harvard University Distinguished Service Professor, Emeritus, Harvard Kennedy School

4:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

Coffee break

4:15 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

Panel 4: Europe and Russia

- **Rawi Abdelal**, Herbert F. Johnson Professor of International Management, Harvard Business School; Director, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Harvard University
- **Friedbert Pflüger**, Visiting Professor & Director, European Centre of Energy and Resource Security Department of War Studies, King's College London; Founder and Managing Partner, Pflüger International; Former Deputy Minister (State Secretary), Ministry of Defense, Germany
- **Lilia Shevtsova**, Associate Fellow, Russia and Eurasia Program, Chatham House; Senior Scholar, Kathryn W. and Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies
- **Angela Stent**, Director, Center for Eurasian, Russian and East European Studies, Georgetown University; Professor of Government and Foreign Service, Georgetown University; Senior Fellow, Brookings Institution
- **Chair: Timothy J. Colton**, Morris and Anna Feldberg Professor of Government and Russian Studies, Harvard University, Faculty Associate, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Harvard University

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Private Cocktail Reception in Appreciation of Presenters (CES resident faculty, speakers & panel chairs only)

Location: Room 225, Harvard Faculty Club, 20 Quincy Street, Cambridge, MA.