

The Institute of International Economic Relations (IIER/IDOS)

## **INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE**

### **Comparing and contrasting “Europeanization”: concepts and experiences**

**14-16 May 2012**

**Athens  
(Greece)**

**LANGUAGE: ENGLISH**

#### **Conference Venue:**

**Monday 14th, Morning sessions (1 and 2):** Yannis Kranidiotis Amphitheatre, Hellenic MFA,  
1 Academias str, Athens

**Monday, 14th,** Afternoon and remainder of  
conference (Tuesday, 15 and Wednesday, 16):  
Conference Hall, Institute of International Economic  
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**PROGRAMME****DAY ONE: Monday 14 May**

**Venue: Monday morning 14th May: Inaugural Lecture and First Session: Yannis Kranidiotis Amphitheatre, Hellenic MFA, 1 Academias str, Athens**

9:30 – 10:00 *Arrival of participants*

10:00 – 10:15 *Welcome Addresses*

10:15 – 11:00 SESSION 1

**Inaugural Lecture:**

**Kevin FEATHERSTONE**, Eleftherios Venizelos Chair in Contemporary Greek Studies and Head of the European Institute and Director of the Hellenic Observatory, London School of Economics and Political Science, *The concept(s) of Europeanization*.

11:00 – 12:30 SESSION 2

**PANEL (A): THEORIES AND CONCEPTS**

**Chair: Spyros ECONOMIDES**, Senior Lecturer in International Relations and European Politics, Deputy Director of Hellenic Observatory

1. **Rosa SÁNCHEZ SALGADO**, Assistant Professor of European public policy, University of Amsterdam, *Understanding Europeanization through the usages of Europe*.
2. **Maria ANGELOPOULOU**, PhD Candidate in European Studies, University of St. Andrews, *Approaching the Europeanisation process from a cosmopolitan perspective*.
3. **Dimitris SKIADAS**, Assistant Professor of EU Governance, and **Anastasia NIKOLOUDI**, Political Science expert, both at the University of Macedonia, *EU Governance of International Relations: Effects on Europeanization*.

12:30 – 15:00 **Lunch Break**

15:00 – 15:30 *Official Registration*

**Conference Hall, Institute of International Economic Relations, 16 Panepistimiou str, Athens**

15:30 - 17:00 SESSION 3

**PANEL (B): APPLIED THEORIES**

**Chair: Dimitris BOURANTONIS**, Associate Professor, Department of International and European Economic Studies, Athens University of Economics and Business

1. **Spyros BLAVOUKOS**, Lecturer, and **George OIKONOMOU**, PhD Candidate, both at the Department of International and European Economic Studies, Athens University of Economics and Business, *Is "Europeanization" still in academic fashion? Empirical trends in the period 2001-2011*.
2. **Heike SCHRECKENBERG**, Research Assistant and PhD Candidate at the Chair of International Economics and Macroeconomics, University of Paderborn, *The European "Onion": How public support is shaping differentiated integration in Europe*.
3. **Magnus LINDH**, Lecturer, PhD Candidate, Karlstad University, *Toward Europeanized forms of regional action? The case of Värmland and Europe 2020*.

17:00- 17:30 **Coffee Break**

17:30 – 19:30 SESSION 4

**PANEL (C): THE BALKANS AND THE MEDITERRANEAN**

**Chair: Stelios STAVRIDIS**, ARAID Senior Research Fellow, University of Zaragoza

1. **Andreas KIRLAPPOS**, PhD Candidate, and **Kalliope AGAPIOU-JOSEPHIDES**, Assistant Professor, Jean Monnet Chair Holder, both at the University of Cyprus, *Europeanisation of local election political campaigns? Evidence from the 2011 local election in the Republic of Cyprus*.
2. **Altug GUNAL**, Research Assistant, Ege University, *Strategic Europeanization of Serbia. The case of cooperation with International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia*.
3. **Boyka BONEVA**, Research Fellow, Institute of International Economic Relations, Athens, *Europeanization before accession*.

*Lessons from recent enlargements and alternative influences to candidates and potential candidates in the Western Balkans.*

4. **Charalambos TSARDANIDIS**, Director, Institute of International Economic Relations, *Greece as an external factor in the Europeanization of the Western Balkans countries.*

### **DAY TWO: Tuesday 15 May**

9:30-11:00 **SESSION 5**

#### **PANEL (D): EUROPEAN DEFENCE AND REGIONAL SECURITY**

**Chair: Charalambos TSARDANIDIS**, Director, Institute of International Economic Relations

1. **Andrew LIAROPOULOS**, Lecturer, Department of International and European Studies, University of Piraeus, *European security: Searching for a common strategic culture in the shadow of great power rivalry.*
2. **Spyros BLAVOUKOS**, Lecturer, and **Dimitris BOURANTONIS**, Associate Professor, both at the Department of International and European Economic Studies, Athens University of Economics and Business, *Neutrality and European security integration? What lies ahead?*
3. **Sinem KOCAMAZ**, Lecturer, Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences, Ege University, *Europeanization through the Union for Mediterranean Policy: The dynamics of Europeanization in the Mediterranean Partner States.*

11:00–11:45 **SESSION 6**

#### **Keynote Lecture:**

**Sergio FABBRINI**, Director of the School of Government and Professor of Political Science and International Relations, LUISS Guido Carli University, *Intergovernmentalism and its outcomes: The implications of the Euro crisis on the European Union.*

11:45 – 12:15 **Coffee Break**

12:15- 14:15 **SESSION 7**

#### **PANEL (E): SOCIAL, ENVIRONMENTAL AND MIGRATION POLICIES**

**Chair: Stella LADI**, Lecturer of Europeanization and Public Policy, Panteion University of Social and Political Sciences

1. **Vasiliki KARAGEORGOU**, Lecturer, General Department of Law, Panteion University of Social and Political Sciences, *Transparency principle as an evolving principle in EU Law: Regulative contours and implications.*
2. **Tryfon KORONTZIS**, Head of Hellenic Delegation in EUROPOL, The Hague, The Netherlands, and PhD Candidate, Panteion University of Social and Political Sciences, *The European policies for illegal immigration via EUROPOL and FRONTEX in Hellas.*
3. **Emilie MEZI**, Aviation Lawyer, France, *The European Trading System or how a Directive reveals the infringement of 27 national foreign policies positions.*
4. **Rafael DURÁN**, Professor of Political Science, University of Malaga, and **Michael JANOSCHKA**, Research Professor, Autonomous University of Madrid, *Political involvement of European senior citizens living abroad. Spain as a laboratory of European citizenship practice.*

14.15 **Lunch Break**

Free afternoon

21.00 **Dinner**

### **DAY THREE: Wednesday 16 May**

9:30 – 11:30: **SESSION 8**

#### **PANEL (F): GREECE**

**Chair: Napoleon MARAVEGIAS**, Professor, Department of International and European Studies, University of Athens, President of the Hellenic University Association for European studies

1. **Rossetos FAKIOLAS**, Emeritus Professor in Economics, National Technical University, *Europeanization in Greece: Effects of the economic crisis.*

2. **Raffaele BORRECA**, PhD Candidate, University of Peloponnese, *Greek economic crisis, national political elites and Europeanization.*
3. **Dimitrios DIMITRIOU**, Board of Directors Chairman and Managing Director, Athens Urban Transport Organisation, *Results of Europeanization in Greek market: Benefits and impacts on transport.*
4. **Triantafyllos KARATRANOS**, PhD Candidate, and **Panagiotis TSAKONAS**, Associate Professor, both at the Department of Mediterranean Studies, Aegean University, *What lesson can the first EU "failing state" learn from successful socialization?*

11:30 -12:45 **Coffee Break**

12:45 - 15:00 **SESSION 9**

**PANEL (G): FOREIGN POLICIES: GREECE, SPAIN AND TURKEY**

**Chair: Susannah VERNEY**, Assistant Professor, Department of International and European Studies, University of Athens

1. **Apostolos AGNANTOPOULOS**, Lecturer, School of Law and Government, Dublin City University, *The Europeanization of national foreign policy. Explaining Greek support for Turkey's EU accession.*
2. **Stelios STAVRIDIS**, ARAID Senior Research Fellow, University of Zaragoza, *The Europeanization of Spanish foreign policy: A critical review.*
3. **Sevket OVALI**, Assistant Professor of International Relations, Dokuz Eylul University, *From Europeanization to re-nationalization: The contextual parameters of change in Turkish foreign policy.*
4. **Gonul OGUZ**, PhD, University of Reading, *The effects of the accession countries on the Europeanization process in the EU.*
5. **Gizem CAKMAK**, Research Assistant, Department of Political Science and International Relations, Yeditepe University, *Greek-Turkish relations in the post Helsinki period: Is Europe a framework providing détente?*

15:00 **Farewell Lunch**

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