

Garnet PhD School Alumni Conference

Global Governance, Regionalism and the Role of the EU: Facing the Emergence of a Multipolar World

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Conference program
4 - 5 March 2010
Residence Palace,
Brussels



Thursday, March 4, 2010

9.00 -9.15

Welcome speech by S. **Jaumain**
(Vice-Rector for International Relations, ULB)

First Panel

Chair: M. **Telo'**
(President of the Garnet PhD
School's AC)

9.15-11.00

"European studies, Comparative studies, International Relations: innovating by mutual insemination. From the Garnet PhD School to new programs linking research and doctoral education". Participants: E. **Stadtmüller** (University of Wraclaw), L. **van Langenhove** (UNU-CRIS, Garnet PhD School Co-coordinator), H. **Schwenken** (Kassel University), J. **Goetschy** (CNRS, Paris), N. **Levrat** (Université de Genève) F. **Ponjaert** (F.R.S-Fnrs/ULB-IEE & KULeuven) & 2 PhD School Alumni

11.00 - 11.20 Coffee break

11.20 - 1.00

Debate and self-presentation of the Alumni and their individual research

1.00 - 2.00 Lunch

Second Panel

Chair: D. **Armstrong**
(University of Exeter)

2.00 - 3.45

"The end of the unipolar momentum. The role of the US between decline and revived hegemony"

J. **Zielonka** (Oxford University), A. **Caffarena** (The University of Turin), A. **Olljum** (Head of Unit DG External Relations, EC) & 2 PhD School Alumni

3.45 - 4.15 Coffee break

4.15 - 6.00

"Emerging economies and the shift of global power"

C. **Zhimin** (Fudan University, Shanghai), A. **Valladao** (Chaire Mercosur de Sciences Po, Paris), Vasco **Cal** (BEPA, European Commission) & 2 PhD School Alumni

7.00 - 7.45

Welcome Cocktail

Venue: Institut d'Etudes Européennes (ULB) - Av. F.D. Roosevelt, 39

Third Panel
Chair: J.F **Morin** (IEE-ULB)



8.00 pm (Venue: P.E Janson Room, ULB Avenue Roosevelt 48)

Lecture by I. **Wallerstein** (Yale University)

"Crise politico-économique mondiale: quels sont nos choix"
(Question time in French and English)

Friday, March 5, 2010

Fourth Panel

Chair: M. **Telo'** (ULB-IEE)

9.00 - 10.40

"The role of the EU after the new Lisbon Treaty and the UN Copenhagen conference: from regional entity to global actor?"

J. Vale de Almeida (Director-General for External Relations, EC)

Discussants: S. **Oberthür** (VUB) & 2 PhD School Alumni

10.40 - 11.00 Coffee break

11.00 - 12.30

"Perspectives on global challenges, international institutionalization and multilateral cooperation"

D. **Held** (LSE), F. **Cerutti** (University of Florence), M. J. **Rodrigues** (Advisor to the European Commission) & 2 PhD School Alumni

Fifth Panel
Chair: A. **Sapir** (ULB & Bruegel)



12.30 - 2.00 Lunch & Presentation of a new international Journal

"Global Policy" by D. **Held** (LSE) and E.M **Nag** (LSE).

Contributions by: S. **Nies** (IFRI), A. **Sapir** (ULB- Brueghel), P. **Regnier** (Le Soir), R. **Gualtieri** (EP)

Chair: J-M **Baer**
DG Research, EC

2.00 - 5.00

Roundtable organised by R. **Higgott**
(University of Warwick, Garnet NoE central coordinator)