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CONSTITUTIONALITY, POWERS AND LEGITIMACY OF EU AGENCIES OR AGENCY-LIKE BODIES

Deirdre Curtin | RSCAS, EUI

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Sala Europa and Sala Belvedere

Villa Schifanoia, Via Boccaccio 121 - Firenze

10 - 11 NOVEMBER 2016

DRAFT PROGRAMME

10 NOVEMBER

9.30 Welcome by Deirdre Curtin | RSCAS, EUI

(Sala Europa)

10.00 - 11.15 EU agencies in the EU’s institutional landscape

Chair: Deirdre Curtin | RSCAS, EUI

10.00 Unfinished constitutionalization: the politicised agency administration and its consequences

Michelle Everson | Birbeck

Ellen Vos | Maastricht University

10.15 Common Approach on Decentralised Agencies

Milena Mihaylova | European Commission

10.30 Discussant: Herwig Hofmann | University of Luxembourg

10.40 - 11.15 Discussion

11.15 - 11.45 Coffee break
11.45 - 13.15  

**Parallel sessions**

**Panel 1: EU agencies and Banking (Sala Europa)**

Chair: **Michelle Everson** | Birbeck

11.45  
Some reflections on the governance and accountability of the Single Resolution Board

**Marta Bozina Beros** | Juraj Dobrila University of Pula

12.00  
SSM and ECB: better married or divorced?

**Anna Damaskou** | University of London

12.15  
Harmonization after Centralization: Explaining the Growing Prominence of the European Securities and Markets Authority in European Financial Sector Governance

**Aneta Spendzharova** | University of Maastricht

12.30  
Discussant: **Daniele D’Alvia** | Birkbeck

**Panel 2: EU agencies, their relation with stakeholders and the external dimension (Sala Belvedere)**

Chair: **Herwig Hofmann** | University of Luxembourg

11.45  
Political and stakeholders’ ties in European Union Agencies

**Ixchel Pérez Durán** | Institut Barcelona d’Estudis Internacionals (IBEI)

12.00  
Constitutional limits to the EU agencies’ external relations

**Merijn Chamon and Valerie Demedts** | Ghent European Law Institute

12.15  
The evolution of the BEREC system governance: from cooperation forum to executive agency?

**Maria Luce Marinello** | AGCom

12.30  
Discussant: **Jacopo Alberti** | University of Milan

12.40 - 13.15  
Discussion

13.15 - 14.15  
Lunch

14.30 - 17.15  

**Parallel sessions**

**Panel 3: EU agencies and transparency (Sala Europa)**

Chair: **Giacinto della Cananea** | Roma Tor Vergata

14.30  
Comparing transparency policies at EFSA and EMA

**Dominic Way** and **Ragnar Löfstedt** | King’s College London

14.45  
Who owns the information in EU agencies? The ownership of the information and the challenge of transparent governance

**Emilia Korkea-aho** | University of Helsinki
Päivi Leino-Sandberg | University of Eastern Finland
15.00
Legitimacy through transparency: an assessment of the European agencies’ legal framework and practice granting access to information
Anamarija Musa | University of Zagreb

15.15 - 15.45
Coffee break

15.45
Enhancing trust in EU agencies through transparency and independence: recent developments in EU case law regarding potential risks to public health or the environment
Wybe Douma | M.C. Asser Institute

16.00
Discussants: Simone Gabbi | EFSA and University of Parma
Noel Wathion | EMA

16.15 -17.15
Discussion

Panel 4: EU agencies, Procedure and Courts
(Sala Belvedere)
Chair: Christian Joerges | Hertie School of Governance

14.30
Procedural rule-making of European supervisory agencies (ESAs): an effective tool for legitimacy?
Maurizia De Bellis | Roma Tor Vergata

14.45
Agencies and access to justice
Angela Ward | Court of Justice of the EU

15.00
When National Courts Meet European Regulatory Networks
Kathryn Wright | University of York

15.15 - 15.45
Coffee break

15.45
Discussant: Carlo Tovo | University of Bologna

16.00 - 17.15
Discussion

11 November

9.30 - 11.00
Panel 5: EU agencies, accountability and legitimacy
(Sala Europa)
Chair: Johannes Pollak | Institute of Advanced Studies, Vienna

9.30
Democratic accountability and legitimacy of European agencies: is there a role for national parliaments?
Charikleia Vlachou | Université d’Orléans

9.45
Reputation, Politics and the European Regulatory State: Revisiting the Credibility Thesis
Madalina Busuioc | University of Exeter
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