

PRESS RELEASE: A 'PIONEER' OF EUROPEAN EDUCATION

The EUI School of Transnational Governance is part of the Commission's 2025 education agenda

The European University Institute's School of Transnational Governance (STG) has been named as part of the Commission's plan to create a European Education Area by 2025. In a White Paper and accompanying op-ed by Jean-Claude Juncker and Tibor Navracsics released during the social summit in Gothenburg this weekend, the Commission supported the establishment of the School of Transnational Governance as a 'pioneer' of European universities.

'In more than forty years, the EUI has cultivated a unique combination of fundamental and policy-oriented research, and international ethos, creating a fertile ground for the establishment of the School of Transnational Governance,' said EUI President, Professor Renaud Dehousse. 'Through the new School, the Institute will also strengthen its relations with other institutions that provide training in the field of governance in Europe.'

Thanks to the funding by the Erasmus+ Programme, the School has entered a pilot phase, offering executive training, a fellowship programme for young leaders, and high-level policy dialogues. Policy dialogues in collaboration with the College of Europe in Bruges and Yale Law School's Schell Center for International Human Rights will take place in the coming months. A master's programme is planned for 2019/2020.

'The School of Transnational Governance aims to become the place for thinking, teaching and debating on issues of governance beyond the State,' said Miguel Maduro, Director of the School of Transnational Governance. 'We hope to bring together the best of academic expertise with policy makers and civic leaders from Europe and all over the world.'

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