

European Studies Program

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MIAMI-FLORIDA EUROPEAN UNION CENTER OF EXCELLENCE Spring Semester Activities 2014 - January-February-March

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January 2014



Thursday, Jan. 16 | 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

FIU, MMC—Green Library—GL 156

MEUCE Videoconference with the Univ. of Pittsburgh **Conversation on Europe**

"The Big Bang 10 Years later: East Europe & the EU after expansion"

Wednesday, Jan. 22 | 1:15 pm - 3:00 pm

FIU, MMC - Graham Center—GC 140

MEUCE European Film Series—(Franco-Austrian)

"Nous nous sommes tant hais"

Tuesday, Jan. 28 | 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

FIU, MMC—Green Library—GL 220

MEUCE lecture

"The European Parliament and the Enlargement of the EU"

• Dr. Geoffrey Harris, Deputy Head,

European Parliament Liaison Office with the US Congress

Thursday, Jan. 30 | 4:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta—Miami Branch **2nd Euro Challenge Teacher Orientation**

February 2014

Tuesday, Feb. 4 | 12:00 pm - 1:15 pm

FIU, MMC—Green Library—GL 220

MEUCE lecture

"Making Sense of the Jewish Revival in Contemporary Poland"

• Dr. Geneviève Zubrzycki, Director of Polish Studies, Center of Russian, Eastern European and Eurasian Studies, University of Michigan

Wednesday, Feb. 05 | 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

FIU, MMC - Green Library—GL 220

MEUCE European Film Series — (Russian)

"Stalingrad"

Monday, Feb. 10 | 12:00 p.m. - 1:15 pm

FIU, Graham Center—GC 150

MEUCE Roundtable on "Ukraine and the EU"

• Dr. Vicki Hesli Claypool

Professor of Political Science, University of Iowa "The Politics of Protest in a Dual Mandate System: A Thermidorian Reaction to the Orange Revolution"

• Dr. Ralph Clem

Professor Emeritus, Florida International University

"Ukraine and the Revenge of Geography"

• Moderator: Dr. Tatiana Kostadinova

Associate Professor of Political Science, FIU

February 2014



Tuesday, Feb. 11 | 12:30 p.m. - 2:00 pm

FIU, Green Library—GL 220

MEUCE Roundtable

"Secularization and Religious Identity in Northern Europe and Japan"

- Dr. Jeffrey Cox, British Social, Imperial, and Religious History University of Iowa
- Dr. Steven Heine, Director of Asian Studies, FIU



Tuesday, Feb. 18 | 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

FIU, MMC—Green Library—GL 156

MEUCE Videoconference with the Univ. of Pittsburgh Conversation on Europe

"Spy Games: Technology & Trust in the Transatlantic Relationship"



Wednesday, Feb. 26 | 4:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta—Miami Branch **3rd Euro Challenge Teacher Orientation**

March 2014



Thursday, March. 13 | 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

FIU, MMC—MARC Building **Euro Challenge Competition**

Tuesday March 18 | 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

FIU, MMC—Green Library—GL 156

MEUCE Videoconference with the Univ. of Pittsburgh **Conversation on Europe**

"The Thorn the Thistle in Europe's Side?"

Thursday, March 19 | 1:15 pm - 3:30 pm

FIU, MMC - Graham Center—GC 150 **MEUCE European Film Series**

March 21-22

Coral Gables

Annual EUCE Network Meeting

Saturday, March 22 | 12:00 pm - 2:00 p.m. **Coral Gables**

MEUCE/BILAT Workshop "Horizon 2020"

March 28-29

FIU, MMC—MARC International Pavilion

Two-day EU Conference on

"Gender and Generations"