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CESAA NEWS

2014 European Union Studies Association Asia Pacific Conference — EU in the Shadow of Asia? Changing Relationships between the EU and the Asia Pacific

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The conference will be hosted by CESAA with the support of the EU Centre at RMIT which will provide a venue for the event. Some support for local costs for presenters of papers will be available.

Reminder: The Call For Papers this conference closes on 31 January.

Further information is available in this e-bulletin and on the CESAA website at:
<<http://cesaa.org.au/events.htm#upcoming>>

The conference website can be accessed at:
<http://www.eucnetwork.org.nz/15/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=15:eusa-ap-conf-2014-cfp&catid=1:eusaap-news>

EU NEWS

European Elections — Website

The European Parliament has set up a special website on the 2014 European elections, taking place on 22-25 May 2014. The website features a constantly updated news section comprising articles, press releases, background notes, slideshows and infographics. In addition, there will be relevant information on the member states in the form of data sheets with information on issues such as the economy, technology, jobs, education, environment, energy and society, offering a fully interactive, visual overview of data collected from all the countries in the EU. Finally, the website also offers information on the European political parties taking part in the election, with a short description and a link to their website.

The website can be accessed at:
<<http://www.elections2014.eu/>>

European citizenship not 'for sale'

In a resolution voted on Thursday, 16 January 2014, the European Parliament stated that the EU citizenship must not have a "price tag" attached to it. MEPs are concerned about schemes established by various EU member states and in particular Malta, which result in the sale of national, and hence EU, citizenship. Parliament called on the Commission to state clearly whether these schemes respected the letter and spirit of the EU treaties and EU rules on non-discrimination.

Further information is available at:
<http://www.europarl.europa.eu/pdfs/news/expert/infopress/20140110IPR32392/20140110IPR32392_en.pdf>

PUBLICATIONS

Recent Publications

Journals

Australian and New Zealand Journal of European Studies

Volume 5 (2) is now available.

<<http://www.eucnetwork.org.nz/12/>>

EVENTS

Public Lectures & Seminars

4 February 2013 – 12.30–14.00

Battle for Kiev: EU, Russia and Ukraine's ambitions to join the European community

Speaker: Dr Alexey D. Muraviev, Head, Department of Social Sciences & International Studies, Curtin University; Coordinator of the International Relations and National Security programs; founder & director of the Strategic Flashlight forum on national security and strategy at Curtin University.

Location: Court Room 2, Building 20, Level 2, RMIT City Campus, Melbourne

One of the most significant geopolitical highlights of 2013 was the surprise decision by Ukraine to postpone signing of an agreement with the European Union (EU) during a special summit in Vilnius, Lithuania, in November 2013.

The decision to freeze discussions with the EU divided the Ukrainian society, sparked large-scale protests in the country's capital, and even raised concerns for the future of the EU political family. This seminar will consider possible reasons behind Kiev's decision to once again reorient itself towards Russia, the current state of Russia-EU relations and the future of Ukraine.

Please RSVP eucentre@rmit.edu.au by Friday 31 January for catering purposes

Further information is available at:
<<http://www.rmit.edu.au/browse;ID=ffkgvlvr9nve1>>

6 February 2013 – 13.00–14.00

The End of the Celtic Tiger: The property bubble, corporate governance and regulatory failure

Speaker: Professor Irene Lynch-Fannon, University College, Cork, Ireland; formerly visiting Professor, Cleveland Marshall College of Law and holder of the Baker Hostetler Chair, 2002–04; former European Commission expert evaluator, Marie Curie Actions under FP6, and the Academy of Sciences in Finland; formerly member, Business Regulation Forum, subsequently High Level Group on Business Regulation 2007–11; former member, Audit Review Group (UK Government); former Head, Department of Law, UCC, 1999–2002; Dean, Faculty of Law, 2000–2002

Location: Phillipa Weeks Staff Library, ANU College of Law, Building #5, ANU, Canberra

This lecture considers a particular phenomenon occurring in the Irish economy towards the end of the Celtic Tiger era, (mid 1990s to 2008), namely the growth and collapse of the property bubble. The collapse of this property bubble led to a crisis in the Irish banking sector, which was also precipitated by the global financial banking crisis.

The lecture focuses on three distinct aspects of the Irish crisis which provides a useful case study raising both questions and providing answers as this crisis has begun to move towards resolution in 2013.

Further information is available at:
<<http://law.anu.edu.au/events/anu-college-law/end-celtic-tiger-property-bubble-corporate-governance-and-regulatory-failure>>

14 February 2013 – 18.00

Fra' Mauro's Map of the World

Speaker: Professor Angelo Cattaneo, researcher, Center for Overseas History, New University of Lisbon (Centro de História de Além-Mar - Universidade Nova de Lisboa – Faculdade de Ciências Sociais e Humanas)

Location: Level 4, 125 York Street, Italian Cultural Institute, Sydney

This public lecture, organised by the Italian Cultural Institute in collaboration with Biblioteca Nazionale Marciana and the National Library of Australia will focus on Fra' Mauro's remarkable Map of the World, one of the most important and famous maps of all time, created around 1450 by the Camaldolese monk Fra' Mauro in his monastery on an island in the Venetian lagoon.

Please RSVP at iicsydney@esteri.it or 02 9261 1780 as seats are limited and bookings are essential.

Further information is available at:
<http://www.iicsydney.esteri.it/IIC_Sydney/webform/SchedaEvento.aspx?id=650>

17 February 2013 – 17.30–18.30

Regulation and Redress: the emerging EU model of influencing corporate behaviours, enforcement, class actions, and ADR

Speaker: Christopher Hodges, Head, CMS/Swiss Re Research Programme on Civil Justice Systems, Centre for Socio-Legal Studies, University of Oxford; Erasmus Professor of the Fundamentals of Private Law, Erasmus University, Rotterdam; Life Member, Wolfson College, Oxford; solicitor; Visiting Professor, Leuven University Global Law School Programme (2013); Honorary Professor, Law faculty, China University of Political Science and Law Beijing (appointed until 2016); Guest Professor, Law Faculty, Wuhan University, Wuhan

Location: Sparke Helmore Theatre 1, ANU College of Law, ANU, Canberra

The EU has had a lengthy debate over whether to introduce class actions, in what form, and with what safeguards. Strong political statements have consistently been made against the 'abuse' produced by the 'toxic cocktail' of technical factors in USA. In 2013 the European Commission made its recommendation on the parameters for collective redress, which found little support. Meanwhile, other techniques of delivering redress have

been emerging, such as through expanded regulatory/criminal enforcement and consumer ADR systems, which have delivered effective, speedy and cheap redress. These new techniques may make litigation obsolete as a means of delivering redress. The EU is implementing an ambitious new framework of 'Consumer ADR' (mainly ombudsman) bodies by 2015, and is looking closely at regulatory enforcement systems and techniques. The UK has made every regulator revise its enforcement policy as part of Better Regulation policy. Several inter-related revolutions are therefore occurring at once, in regulation policy, redress, restorative justice, redress and litigation.

Please RSVP rsvp@law.anu.edu.au or tel: +61 2 6125 1096 by Friday 14 February 2014.

Further information is available at:
<<http://law.anu.edu.au/events/anu-college-law/regulation-and-redress-emerging-eu-model-influencing-corporate-behaviour-enfo>>

Call for Panels & Papers

National

2014 European Union Studies Association Asia Pacific Conference — EU in the Shadow of Asia? Changing Relationships between the EU and the Asia Pacific

Closing date: 31 January 2014

Location: Melbourne

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The following six sub-themes will be investigated from both an European and an Asia Pacific perspective:

- What is changing and what remains unchanged in relations between the EU and the Asia Pacific?
- How has a focus on Asia impacted other countries' policies towards the EU; and the EU's policies to other regions?
- How do financial and membership crises impact on the relationships between the EU and the Asia Pacific?
- What impacts do various forms of regional integration in Asia have on EU relations with the region?
- How do perceptions of 'self' and 'others' and concepts of identity influence understandings, political and economic interactions between EU and Asia Pacific?

- Do expat/migrant communities help to facilitate understanding between regions?

This conference will be multidisciplinary in focus and applications from a wide range of fields are encouraged to develop a deeper understanding of the complexities of the relationship, and to understand the broad range of areas that can be impacted by international political and economic issues.

Closing date for submissions is 31 January 2014 and information regarding acceptance of proposals will be provided by mid-February 2014. Presentation of a paper has to be confirmed within 10 working days after notification of acceptance via payment of registration fees.

Further information on submission of proposals, registration and other matters is available at:

<http://www.eucnetwork.org.nz/15/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=15:eusa-ap-conf-2014-cfp&catid=1:eusaap-news>

Further information will also be provided in the next CESAA e-bulletin and on the CESAA website at:
<<http://cesaa.org.au/>>

International

The Second Euroacademia International Conference 'Identities and Identifications: Politicized Uses of Collective Identities'—Call for Papers & Panels

Closing dates:

Panel Proposals: 20 January 2014

Paper Proposals: 1 February 2014

Location: Pisa, Italy

The Second Euroacademia International Conference 'Identities and Identifications: Politicized Uses of Collective Identities', 7-8 March 2014, aims to scrutinize the state of the art in collective identities research. The conference aims to open the floor for dynamic multi-dimensional and inter-disciplinary understandings of identities in their historic formation or in the way they shape the present and future of organisations or communities. A further aim is to bring together a wide network of academics, researchers, practitioners and activists willing to share and open to debate their research on identity-related topics. Disciplinary, trans- and inter-disciplinary approaches, methodological assessments and recommendations, single case studies or cross-sectional analyses, reflective essays, experience sharing or works addressing new puzzles are all welcomed.

Further information is available at:

<<http://euroacademia.eu/conference/second-identities-and-identifications/>>

The European Conference on Politics, Economics and Law 2014

Closing date: 1 March 2014

Location: Brighton, United Kingdom

The inaugural European Conference on Politics, Economics and Law (ECPEL) 2014, jointly convened by the International Academic Forum (IAFOR) and its global university partners, will be held from 3–6 July 2014. The 2014 conference theme “Individual, Community & Society: Conflict, Resolution & Synergy” invites scholars from different research backgrounds and from a variety of disciplinary approaches, to look at the conference theme of conflict and resolution in the relations and interplay between individuals, communities, and societies, to work together in the creation of a sustainable future in an unstable world.

Further information is available at:

<<http://iafor.org/iafor/conferences/the-european-conference-on-politics-economics-and-law-2014/>>

Conferences

National

1–2 May 2014

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<http://www.eucnetwork.org.nz/15/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=15:eusa-ap-conf-2014-cfp&catid=1:eusaap-news>

More information will also be provided in the next CESAA e-bulletin and on the CESAA website at:

<<http://cesaa.org.au/>>

International

28 February – 1 March 2014

Ninth Annual Graduate Student Conference on the European Union—Brussels as Usual?: Politics and Policy in the EU

Location: Pittsburgh, USA

In many ways, the EU appears to be in a period of transition: recovering from the financial crisis, continuing to implement the Lisbon Treaty’s provisions, and awaiting a new set of European elections. Have these developments produced change in the EU’s politics and policies, or has it been Brussels as usual?

The University of Pittsburgh’s library system houses one of the largest and most complete archives of primary and secondary documents on the European Union, dating back to the beginnings of the European Coal and Steel Community. Conference presenters are given access to the archive for research while in Pittsburgh.

Further information is available at:

<<http://www.ucis.pitt.edu/euce/content/european-union-center-excellence-eusa-present>>

7 – 8 March 2014

The Second Euroacademia International Conference ‘Identities and Identifications: Politicized Uses of Collective Identities’

Location: Pisa, Italy

The Second Euroacademia International Conference ‘Identities and Identifications: Politicized Uses of Collective Identities’, focuses on the contested concept of identity. Identity, conceived to provide some unity and recognition, also exists by separation and differentiation. Few concepts have been used as much for contradictory purposes. From the fragile individual identities as self-solidifying frameworks to layered in-group identifications the idea of identity always appears in the core of debates. The conference aims to scrutinize the state of the art in collective identities research, to bring once more into debate the processes of identity making, identity building in both constructivist or de-constructivist dimensions. It is the aim of the Euroacademia conference to open the floor for dynamic multi-dimensional and inter-disciplinary understandings of identities in their historic formation or in the way they shape the present and future of organizations or communities. A further aim of the conference is to bring together a wide network of academics, researchers, practitioners and activists.

Further information is available at:

<<http://euroacademia.eu/conference/second-identities-and-identifications/>>

24 – 25 April 2014

The Future of Research in/on the EU

Location: Birmingham, United Kingdom

This two-day research conference, to be held at Aston University, Birmingham, aims to provide a friendly environment in which postgraduate students can gain experience presenting research and develop contacts with other researchers in their field. The conference is aimed at research students of all levels and proposals are welcome from students working in the field of European Studies within various disciplines.

Further information is available at:

<<http://www.uaces.org/events/sfevents/research2014/>>

8 – 10 May 2014

Europe and Peace—10th Biennial Conference of the European Community Studies Association-Canada

Location: Université de Montreal, Montreal, Canada

The theme of the 10th Biennial Conference of European Communities Studies Association—Canada (ECSA-C) is Europe and Peace. The two-and-a-half-day conference will include a plenary session, a professional development day for graduate students, panels, and workshops and will evaluate, measure and explain the EU's actual contribution to the advancement of peace and reconciliation, democracy and human rights.

Further information is available at:

<<http://www.ecsa-c.ca/2014-ecsa-c-biennial/>>

26 – 27 June 2014

The 1st European Conference on Teaching and Learning Politics, International Relations and European Studies

Location: Maastricht, The Netherlands

This event, jointly organised by the British International Study Association, the European Consortium for Political Research, the Political Studies Association and the University Association for Contemporary European Studies, asks what it means to teach Politics, International Relations (IR), or European Studies (ES) to the next generation of students. What are the opportunities of educating the next generation of a knowledge society? But also what challenges will Politics, IR and ES instructors encounter, considering the overburdening availability of (electronic) information and the growing demand for skills-based education? Next to those global trends in higher education, there are also specific features of European Higher Education that need careful consideration.

Further information about the conference is available at:

<<http://www.uaces.org/events/teaching/>>

3 – 6 July 2014

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Location: Brighton, United Kingdom

The inaugural European Conference on Politics, Economics and Law (ECPEL) 2014, convened by the International Academic Forum (IAFOR) in conjunction with its global university partners, will engage in challenging interdisciplinary discussion centering on the latest ideas and research finding in Politics, Economics and Law. This year's conference sessions will be covering both policy and research and bring together experts and leaders from the academic and business world to address key contemporary issues in these social sciences, by both reflecting on the recent past, and looking forward; to exchange ideas, and share research findings. The 2014 conference theme "Individual, Community & Society: Conflict, Resolution & Synergy" invites scholars from different research backgrounds and from a variety of disciplinary approaches to look at the conference theme of conflict and resolution in the relations and interplay between individuals, communities, and societies, to work together in the creation of a sustainable future in an unstable world.

Further information is available at:

<<http://iafor.org/iafor/conferences/the-european-conference-on-politics-economics-and-law-2014/>>

1 – 3 September 2014

UACES 44th Annual Conference

Location: Cork, Ireland

The 44th annual three-day interdisciplinary UACES conference will look at all areas of contemporary European Studies from across academic disciplines including law, economics, geography, history, sociology, public policy and politics.

Further information is available at:

<<http://www.uaces.org/events/conferences/cork/>>

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

Fellowships/Scholarships

PhD research grants at the European University Institute (Florence/Italy)

Closing date: 31 January 2014

Applications to the European University Institute's (EUI) Doctoral Programs in Economics, History and Civilization, Law and Political and Social Sciences are now open.

The EUI is a unique academic institution with one of the world's largest doctoral and postdoctoral programmes in the social sciences. The EUI's intellectual community comprises of more than 1000 scholars from over 60 countries. Located in Florence, Italy, the EUI offers a structured doctoral program with excellent supervision and opportunities to participate in cutting-edge research that transcends national academic traditions.

The EUI is looking for highly motivated and qualified candidates to further complement the already outstanding quality of the current scholars. Grants for doctoral candidates are available.

Further information regarding application requirements, grants and eligibility is available via email to applyres@eui.eu or on the EUI's website at:

<http://www.eui.eu/ProgrammesAndFellowships/DoctoralProgramme/Index.aspx?utm_source=Mail_Campaign_Internal&utm_medium=Email&utm_campaign=EmailCampaignInternal2014&utm_source=PhD+Advertising+2014+-+Academics&utm_campaign=90e68c8466-PHD_Advertising_2014_Academics_List&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_ecdb3b3cd7-90e68c8466-323573913>

EABC-ANUCES Fellowship Program

Closing date: 28 February 2014

The European Australian Business Council (EABC) is one of the most high profile business organisations in Australia. It promotes a forum for business leaders to engage in high-level dialogue on economic and public policy issues with Australian and European political leaders, officials, diplomats and business delegations. The EABC-ANUCES Visiting Fellowship is a collaboration between the EABC and the Australian National University to develop and communicate research on trade investment and regulatory policy issues between Australia and the EU. The program is specifically aimed at supporting and hosting local and international scholars wishing to undertake research at the Australian National University.

The EABC-ANUCES Visiting Fellowship supports research that is broadly relevant to EU-Australia trade and economic relations. Potential areas of research may include: trade in goods and services, the political economy of tariffs, the impact and options for dealing with non-tariff barriers, the possible use of mutual recognition as a mechanism for countering the restrictive impact of regulatory divergences between Australia and the EU and its member countries, and investment and public procurement issues. The research may contribute to current debates about the use of free trade agreements by both the EU and Australia and the prospects for such an agreement between them. Other related areas of research will also be considered.

Further information is available at:

<<http://ces.anu.edu.au/eabc-anuces-fellowship-program>>

EUC Visiting Fellowship 2014 in Singapore

Closing date: 15 March 2014

The EU Centre in Singapore is inviting applications for the EUC Visiting Fellowship in the period between May to November 2014. A supporting grant of up to €6,000 commensurate with expertise, visiting commitments and duration will be provided for the Visiting Fellow to cover travel, accommodation and subsistence allowances.

The successful Visiting Fellow will spend 4-12 weeks at the Centre, developing a research project on their own or in partnership with local researchers, and contributing to the education and outreach activities of the Centre. The Fellow would also be expected to give one research seminar and a public lecture for the Centre.

Applicants should have a PhD and demonstrable experience and expertise (substantiated by a list of publications, involvement in research projects, policy work) in any of the following research areas:

- Demographic challenges facing the EU and its member states, and related issues of migration, social cohesion and identity;
- TTIP and EU-Japan trade negotiations and implications for EU's economic reforms and competitiveness;
- EU's trade and investments in Singapore/ASEAN/Asia and overall economic partnership;
- Developments in the EU's External Action Service, Diplomacy and Common Foreign and Security Policy / Common Defence and Security Policy

Applicants without a PhD but with expert, policy and applied research experience in the above policy issues, including teaching of relevant academic modules / research seminars, conduct of training workshops could also be considered.

Further information is available at:

<<http://www.eucentre.sg/?p=6361>>

Other

Erasmus Mundus—2014 Call for proposals (EACEA/18/13)

Closing date: 3 March 2014, 12:00 CET

Erasmus Mundus is a cooperation and mobility program in the field of higher education that aims to enhance the quality of European higher education and to promote dialogue and understanding between people and cultures through cooperation with third countries. In addition, it contributes to the development of human resources and the international cooperation capacity of higher education institutions in third countries by increasing mobility between the European Union and these countries.

This Call for Proposals aims to support projects only under Action 2 of the programme.

Action 2: Erasmus Mundus Partnerships

Action 2 – STRAND 1: Partnerships with countries covered by the ENPI, DCI, IPA and ICI (ICI+) instruments (former External Cooperation Window)

Action 2 – STRAND 2: Partnerships with countries and territories covered by the Industrialised Countries Instrument (ICI)

Further information is available at:

<http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus_mundus/funding/2014/call_eacea_18_13_en.php>

Erasmus+

Closing date: 16 March – 1 October 2014 (depending on program)

Erasmus+, the new EU program for Education, Training and Youth, brings together seven existing EU program in these fields and also provides support for Sport. As an integrated program, Erasmus+ offers more opportunities for cooperation across the Education, Training and Youth sectors and easier access than its predecessors, with simplified funding rules. The program combines all current schemes for education, training, youth and sport, including the Lifelong Learning Programme (Erasmus, Leonardo da Vinci, Comenius, Grundtvig), Youth in Action and five international cooperation programs (Erasmus Mundus, Tempus, Alfa, Edulink and the program for cooperation with industrialised countries). Erasmus+ has three main targets: two-thirds of its budget is allocated to learning opportunities abroad for individuals, within the EU and beyond; the remainder will support partnerships between educational institutions, youth organisations, businesses, local and regional authorities and NGOs, as well as reforms to modernise education and training and promotion of innovation, entrepreneurship and employability.

Please note: As a general rule, organisations participating in Erasmus+ projects must be established in a Programme Country. However, some Actions are also open to participating organisations from Partner Countries such as Australia. The specific conditions for participating in an Erasmus+ project depend on the type of Action supported by the Programme. In general terms, the Programme is open to any organisation active in the fields of education, training, youth or sport. Several Actions are also open to other players in the labour markets. Please consult the Erasmus+ Programme Guide for more details.

Further information is available at:

<http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/index_en.htm>

Call for proposals 2013 EU ICI-ECP Programme for Joint Mobility Projects (JMP) and Joint Degree Projects (JDP)
(Reference: EACEA/24/2013)

Closing date: 15 May 2014

The Industrialised Countries Instrument (ICI) promotes co-operation between the European Union and seventeen industrialised and other high-income countries and territories in North America, the Asia-Pacific region and the Gulf region. One of the supported specific actions promotes "people-to-people links" with the aim to enhance mutual understanding between cultures and to facilitate the exchange of knowledge. The Industrialised Countries Instrument - Education Cooperation Programme is called ICI ECP.

This EACEA 24/2013 ICI-ECP Call for Proposals supports co-operation with Australia, Japan and the Republic of Korea by means of Joint Degree projects (JDP) and Joint Mobility projects (JMP). Such projects focus on structured exchanges of students and faculty members and on the joint development of joint or shared curricula and joint study programs, as well as on the award of joint or double degrees in the case of Joint Degree projects.

All projects must address: development of innovative international curricula, student services, language and cultural preparation, organisational frameworks for student mobility and faculty members' mobility, evaluation, sustainability and dissemination.

In the case of Joint Degree Projects the Call is open to consortia of higher education institutions and in the case of Joint Mobility Projects the Call is open to consortia of higher education institutions or vocational and training institutions. Please see the Fact sheets for more details.

Eligible applicants must be from one of the Partner Countries and from one of the 28 countries of the European Union.

Further information is available at:

<http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/bilateral_cooperation/eu_ici_ecp/funding/call_2013_en.php>

Horizon 2020

Closing date: project dependent

Horizon 2020, the new EU Research and Innovation program, is a Europe 2020 flagship initiative aimed at securing Europe's global competitiveness. Funding is based on competitive calls that are open to everyone, also to organisations or individuals outside the EU. Participants from countries associated to the EU research framework programme (meaning those countries also contribute to the EU budget) have the same rights as EU participants; for other countries, the situation varies.

A number of calls from the 2014 budget are already open for submissions, with more to follow over the course of

the year. Funding of calls in the 2014 budget is focused on the three key pillars of Horizon 2020:

- **Excellent Science:** Around €3 billion, including €1.7 billion for grants from the European Research Council for top scientists and €800 million for Marie Skłodowska-Curie fellowships for younger researchers (see MEMO/13/1123).
- **Industrial Leadership:** €1.8 billion to support Europe's industrial leadership in areas like ICT, nanotechnologies, advanced manufacturing, robotics, biotechnologies and space.
- **Societal challenges:** €2.8 billion for innovative projects addressing Horizon 2020's seven societal challenges, broadly: health; agriculture, maritime and bioeconomy; energy; transport; climate action, environment, resource efficiency and raw materials; reflective societies; and security.

Factsheets and presentation are available at: <<https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/horizon2020/node/119>>

Further information is available at: <<http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/horizon2020/en/news/horizon-2020-launched-%E2%82%AC15-billion-over-first-two-years>>

EDITORIAL OPPORTUNITIES

Call for Editors—JCMS: Journal of Common Market Studies Annual Review of the EU

Closing date: 31 January 2014

UACES and Wiley invite applications for the role of Editor of the JCMS Annual Review.

The Annual Review, produced in association with JCMS covers the key developments in the European Union, its member states, and acceding/applicant countries.

The Annual Review is published as an issue of JCMS and therefore has very wide, global circulation online. It is also available for purchase as a self-standing book. The content of the Annual Review varies from year to year to reflect ongoing developments inside and outside the EU and to maximise the impact of the Annual Review.

Further information is available at: <<http://www.uaces.org/publications/jcms/call/>>

Call for Editors—JCMS: Journal of Common Market Studies

Closing date: 9 May 2014

UACES and Wiley invite applications for the role of Editors of the JCMS.

UACES and Wiley are seeking to appoint an interdisciplinary editorial team of senior scholars of international standing, that have clear strategic objectives and a credible delivery plan for their realisation.

The Journal is the leading interdisciplinary, international journal for research and scholarship in the field of European integration. It covers the full range of EU activities, as well as theoretical aspects of integration including comparative regionalism. The main disciplinary focus of the Journal is on political science and economics, but with important contributions from a range of other disciplines such as law, social policy and history.

The new Editorial team would commence work in January 2015.

Further information is available at: <http://uaces.org/publications/jcms/call_9_May_2014/>

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- annual subscription to the Australian and New Zealand Journal of European Studies (ANZJES)
- notification of CESAA and European Studies activities in Australia and around the world
- discounted registration at all CESAA-sponsored events.

For further information on joining CESAA, including the membership form, see the CESAA website: <<http://www.cesaa.org.au/membership.htm>>.

CONTRIBUTIONS

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