

## 22<sup>nd</sup> CEI International Summer School

# "Minorities, Kin-States and Territorial Cooperation" University Residential Center of Bertinoro (CEUB), 12th-16th September 2016

DAY	TIME	LECTURER	AFFILIATION	LECTURE
Monday, 12th	09,30-12,30	Prof. Csaba Moldicz	Budapest Business School	"Trajectories of Regional and Territorial Cooperation in the Danube and Balkan Basin"
Monday, 12th	15.30-18.30	Adriano Remiddi, MA	IECOB, University of Bologna	"A Nursery for Ethno-Nationalism? Homeland, Territory and Belonging: the case of Yugoslav and post- Yugoslav Diaspora in Australia"
Tuesday, 13th	09,30-12,30	Prof. Balazs Vizi	National University of Public Service, Budapest	"Participation, Representation and Minorities"
	16.00-19.00	Prof. Julie Mostov	Drexel University, Philadelphia	"Politics of Gender in the Gender-State Relations"
Wednesday, 14th	09,30-12,30	David Solomons, MA	University of Bologna	"Workshop: Developping Cross-Cultural Negotiation and Communication"
	15,30-18.30	Prof. Francesco Privitera	University of Bologna	"Managing Diversities in Yugoslavia: Minorities, Territories and Self-determination"
Thursday, 15th	09,30-12,30	Prof. Dusan Janjic	Forum for Ethnic Relations, Belgrade	"Kin State Politics in SEE and the Post-Yugoslav Space"
	15,30-18.30	Prof. Nenad Markovic	Ss. Cyril and Methodius University of Skopje	''Torbeshi and Goreni Communities in Macedonia''
Friday, 16th	10,00-13,30	CEI INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE at Bertinoro Castle (CEUB)  "Breaking Down or Re-Building The Walls: Migration Crisis, Refugees and Security in Southeastern Europe"  Alma Mater Studiorum Università di Bologna - Dipartimento di Scienze Politiche e Sociali		
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#### Framework, Rationale and Purposes

Established in 1995 with the aim of creating an arena for dialogue and cooperation for youngsters from the Yugoslav successor states in war, the School has become a CEI recurrent event since then. With a strong international dimension, thanks to the active involvement of **IECOB** Institute for Central-Eastern and Balkan Europe, the **EBIN** Europe and the Balkans International Network (established in 1992 with a financial contribution of the EU), the CEI International Summer School has been attended by MA students, NGO activists, and young professionals not only from the Balkans, but from all CEI countries. In the last 20 years, the School has offered year by year from 1 to 3 courses on the following topics: diversity management, post-communist transition challenges, economic and entrepreneuships, cultural tourism, agricoltural and environmental problems.

With the 22<sup>nd</sup> edition of the School, IECOB and CEI aim to promote a one week international forum of experts and young professionals in human rights issues with the aim of stimulating a dynamic discussion on over the prospective developments related to the implementation of Minority rights in our increasingly diversified societies; the principles of territorial integrity and territorial cooperation. Furthermore, the relationships between Diaspora communities, minority rights and Kin-States will be investigated as broad global phenomena, and discussed in the framework of both the existing nation-states and the EU integration processes, while elaborating on the CEI role in these contexts.

#### **CENTRAL EUROPEAN INITIATIVE**

#### **Mission & Objectives**

The Central European Initiative (CEI) is a regional intergovernmental forum committed to supporting European integration through cooperation between and among its Member States and with the European Union (EU), other interested public institutions or private and non-governmental organisations (NGOs), as well as international and regional organisations. In order to offer a solid contribution to European integration, the CEI combines multilateral diplomacy and project management, both as donor and recipient, while also bridging European macroregions. In this context, the aim of the political cooperation is to supply the countries and their institutions with a flexible, pragmatic platform for regional cooperation, while focusing on their preparation to a future accession to the European Union (EU). In doing so, special attention is given to capacity building of the non-EU CEI Member States which, thanks to its ideal location, is pursued through know-how transfer and exchange of experience among those countries which are members of the EU and those which are not.

#### **CEI MEMBER STATES**

Albania, Austria, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Hungary, Italy, Macedonia, Moldova, Montenegro, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Ukraine.

































