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Europe's Futures Cres Symposium 2021

Institute for Human Sciences IWM
in cooperation with University of Rijeka's Centre
for Advanced Studies in Southeastern Europe

June 21 – 23
Moise Palace
Cres, Croatia

Europe's Futures – Ideas for Action is a strategic partnership initiative of Institute for Human Sciences and ERSTE Foundation



After a long period of virtual encounters, Europe's Futures – Ideas for Action 2020-2021 Fellows hold in person their final symposium on the island of Cres on the premises of the renaissance Moise Palace. Fellows shall present their projects and policy proposals and discuss the key challenges facing Europe today.

They shall also set the groundwork for the establishing of Europe's Futures Fellows Alumni Network that is to continue in a multiplicity of ways the impactful activity in fostering a stronger Europe based on democratic principles and the rule of law.

This will also be a unique opportunity to establish co-operation with the Center for Advanced Studies Southeast Europe (CAS SEE) and the University of Rijeka.

Moise Palace is a North Adriatic cultural monument of considerable historical, artistic and symbolic importance, located in the old town centre of Cres. It is at once a unique forum and space for intellectual creativity and collective work that fosters innovative ideas and leads to actual change. Moise Palace, its *genus loci*, create one of the most inspiring spaces for dialogue, exchanges and future-shaping thought in Europe.

Monday 21 June 2021

20.00 **Welcome dinner** at Riva restaurant

Tuesday 22 June 2021 | at Moise Palace

09.30 – 09.45 **Welcome and introduction**
by Ivan Vejvoda and Hedvig Morvai

09.45 – 10.45 **Srdan Cvijić**
Eroding Trust: Serbian Democracy from 5 October 2000 to COVID-19
Comments: **Zsuzsanna Szelényi**
Moderated by: **Leszek Jazdzewski**

11.00 – 12.00 **Alison Smale**
Who is Telling Us What? Why? And How? The Media in Central and Eastern Europe in 2020
Comments: **Tim Judah**
Moderated by: **Grigorij Mesežnikov**

12.10 – 13.40 **Lunch** at Riva restaurant

14.00 – 15.30 **Public debate Moise Dialogues**
Rethinking Democracy After Pandemics
with Lisa Herzog and Jonathan Wolff
<https://cas.uniri.hr/moise-dialogues-re-thinking-democracy-after-pandemics/>

16.00 – 17.00 **Julia De Clerck-Sachsse**
Narrative Making in the European Capital
Comments: **Luke Cooper**
Moderated by: **Bernd Marin**

20.00 **Dinner** at Riva Restaurant

Wednesday 23 June 2021 | at Moise Palace

09.30 – 10.30 **Ioannis Armakolas**
Learning from the Prespa Agreement: Is there a 'Southeast European way' of settling disputes or should there be one? Lessons for the European Union.
Comments: **Stefan Lehne**
Moderated by: **Isabelle Ioannides**

10.45 – 11.45 **Teresa Reiter**
Missing Pages of European history: The EU's Historic Role in Why Western Balkans Enlargement is Stuck
Comments: **Kristof Bender**
Moderated by: **Niccolo Milanese**

12.00 – 13.00 **Dimitar Bechev**
The EU Periphery and Revisionist Powers
Comments: **Rosa Balfour**
Moderated by: **Peter Krekó**

13.05 – 14.30 **Lunch** at Riva restaurant

16.30 – 17.30 **The Promise of Europe debate** with Rosa Balfour, Nikolina Židek, Erhard Busek and Stefan Lehne,
Moderated by: **Ivan Vejvoda**

17.45 – 19.45 **Alumni network planning session**
Moderated by: **Hedvig Morvai**,
with interventions from **Boris Marte** and **Ivan Vejvoda**

20.00 – 23.00 **Cres Beach Grill** at Šumice restaurant
Powered by **Filip Ćirić** (a pioneer of fine dining in Serbia and Michelin star candidate) and friends

Participants

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