

PROGRAMME

“RESILIENCE OR RESIGNATION: NATIONAL PARLIAMENTS AND THE EU”

- LSE & British Academy Conference - Alumni Theatre, 10 April 2015

9:00 Registration

9:40 Welcome address

9:45 *Keynote speech:*

Prof. Baroness Julie Smith (University of Cambridge and the House of Lords)

Morning Session “Constitutionalism, Legitimacy and the Crisis” *Chair: Dr Davor Jancic (LSE)*

10:00 *EU Constitutionalism and National Parliaments: Insiders or Outsiders?*

Speaker: Prof. Leonard Besselink (University of Amsterdam)

Discussant: Prof. Ingolf Pernice (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin)

10:30 *National Parliaments and the Separation of Power and Legitimacy in the EU*

Speaker: Prof. Peter Lindseth (University of Connecticut)

Discussant: Prof. Damian Chalmers (LSE)

11:00 *Executive Accountability to National Parliaments in EU Affairs*

Speaker: Dr Diane Fromage (EUI)

Discussant: Dr Katarzyna Granat (NYU)

11:30 Coffee break

12:00 *EMU Reform and the Impact of the Financial Crisis on National Parliaments*

Speaker: Prof. Ingolf Pernice (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin)

Discussant: Dr Davor Jancic (LSE)

12:30 *Constitutional Review and Powers of National Parliaments in EU Affairs:
Erosion or Protection?*

Speakers: Prof. Nicola Lupo (LUISS University Rome) & Dr Cristina Fasone (EUI)

Discussant: Prof. Leonard Besselink (University of Amsterdam)

13:00 Lunch break

Afternoon Session “EU Internal and External Affairs”

Chair: Prof. Damian Chalmers (LSE)

14:30 *Subsidiarity or Substance? The Future of the Early Warning Mechanism and the Barroso Initiative*

Speaker: Dr Davor Jancic (LSE)

Discussant: Dr Ian Cooper (University of Cambridge)

15:00 *National Parliaments as Safeguards of Federalism: US and EU Perspectives*

Speaker: Dr Katarzyna Granat (NYU)

Discussant: Prof. Peter Lindseth (University of Connecticut)

15:30 *The Emerging Order of Interparliamentary Cooperation in the Post-Lisbon EU*

Speaker: Dr Ian Cooper (University of Cambridge)

Discussant: Dr Cristina Fasone (EUI)

16:00 Coffee break

16:30 *National Parliaments, the European Parliament and Interparliamentary Cooperation in EU External Action: The Field Dynamics of Multilevel Actorness*

Speakers: Prof. Jan Wouters (University of Leuven) and Dr Kolja Raube (University of Leuven)

Discussant: Dr Diane Fromage (EUI)

17:00 *A Look into the Future: Are NPs the Missing Link or a Solution for European Integration?*

Speaker: Prof. Damian Chalmers (LSE)

Discussants: Prof. Jan Wouters (University of Leuven) and Dr Kolja Raube (University of Leuven)

17:30 *Closing remarks and observations:*

Dr Davor Jancic (LSE)