



Contemporary Europe Research Centre
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International Conference

THE EUROPE THAT WAS, IS, AND WILL BE

9 November 2009.

- 8:30 – 9:00 Registration, name tags and conference packs
- 9:00 – 9:30 Welcome and introductory remarks
Glyn Davis Vice Chancellor University of Melbourne
- 9:30 – 10:30 Keynote address
Douglas Webber (INSEAD, France and Singapore &
Visiting International Fellow European and EU Centre Monash University)

'The Dynamics of Post-Cold War European Integration: France and Germany and the practice of multi-speed integration in the EU'

10:30 – 11:00 MORNING TEA

11:00 – 12:30 Parallel sessions

Room 211 Germany & Eastern Europe Chair Mile Terziovski Speakers	Room 212 Memory Chair Philip Bull Speakers
<p>1. Desmond Brennan <i>Poland, Lithuania and Ukraine: 20 years of rebuilding relations</i></p> <p>2. Low Choo Chin <i>Germany: Towards the Solution of Dual Citizenship after Reunification</i></p> <p>3. Les Holmes <i>Germany: Two Decades of Unification</i></p> <p>4. Val Colic-Peisker <i>The Balkan frog prince and princess Europe? Croatian accession to the EU and the boundaries of 'European identity'</i></p>	<p>1. Adam Brown <i>Coming to terms with the past? Negotiating Holocaust Memory in 21st Century Germany</i></p> <p>2. Adam Czarnota <i>Europe as reconciliation project. On historical memory, law and divided EU</i></p> <p>3. Matt Killingworth/Gosia Klatt <i>Where does Poland fit in Europe? How political memory influences Polish MEPs' perceptions of Poland's place in Europe</i></p> <p>4. Maria Tumarkin <i>The Curve of forgetting – Battles over historical memory in the present-day Russia.</i></p>

12:30- 1:30 LUNCH
Announcement of CESAA Essay competition winners

1:30 – 3:00

Parallel sessions

Room 211 The EU and the World Chair TBC Speakers	Room 212 Russia Chair Les Holmes Speakers
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Nina Markovic <i>Towards a research agenda on the European Union's role at the United Nations</i>2. Philomena Murray <i>The EU's normative promotion of regional integration in East Asia.</i>3. Nicola Watkinson <i>Does Australia Still Need European Business - Changing Global Economics?</i>4. George Vasilev <i>EU Conditionality and Ethnic Coexistence in the Balkans</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Gerald Ginther <i>Russian Foreign Policy in the 21st Century</i>2. Anna-Sophie Maass <i>Overcoming "The Chechnya Irritant" In EU-Russia Relations (2000-2002)</i>3. Alexey Muraviev <i>Protecting Bear's Keep. The Military-Strategic Dimensions of Russia's Return as a Global Power</i>4. Peter Shearman <i>Russia's Fifth Empire: Putinism and the New Russian Empire?</i>

3:00 – 3:20

AFTERNOON TEA

3:20 – 4:50

Parallel sessions

Room 211 The EU's Crises and Future Chair Peter Dreher Speakers	Room 212 Language, Film and Media Chair Veronica Volkoff Speakers
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Iona Annett <i>Crisis and equilibrium in the development of the European Union</i>2. Jürgen Bröhmer <i>Democratic Deficit in the European Union</i>3. Michael Longo <i>Legitimacy, Lisbon and the GFC - Three knocks on the EU door</i>4. Cornelia Koch <i>The Uncertain Future of the 'Quasi-Federalist' Project in the EU – from the Ambitious Constitutional Treaty to the Shaky Lisbon Compromise</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Ludmilla A'Beckett <i>Persuasive Devices in Contemporary Russian Media: Addressing Problems in The Former Soviet Republics</i>2. Leigh Kamolins <i>European Union Language Policy in Post-Soviet EU Member States</i>3. Brian Long <i>The Nazis: Film Diplomacy Gift?</i>4. Thomas Petzold <i>Webs of languages in digital culture/power and possibilities</i>

:00 – 6:00

Keynote speaker
Prof. Graeme Gill
University of Sydney
"The Fall of the Berlin Wall Twenty Years On"

6:00 – 7:00

Reception
Announcement of Jean Monnet Thesis Prize Winners

7:15 – 9:00

Conference Dinner Graduate House