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Summer School on Europe and migration
27-29 August 2021
School of Aristotle (Naousa)
Department of Political Sciences, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

Programme

Friday, 27 August 2021

Morning	Arrival of participants
13.00	Registration
13.30	Start of the summer school. Introductory remarks by the Jean Monnet Chair-holder, Ioannis Papageorgiou, Associate professor, Department of Political Sciences, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
13.45	Keynote speech: “<u>Migration, globalisation and pandemics: Challenges and Opportunities for Europe</u>”. Professor Anna Triandafyllidou , Canada Excellence Research Chair in Migration and Integration, Ryerson University, Toronto. Q&A
14.30-16.00	Panel 1. The challenges of migration in Europe: economy, solidarity and rights, Chair Ioannis Papageorgiou <u>“The EU in troubled waters: current difficulties and future geopolitical challenges”.</u> Valeria Fargion , Associate professor of political science, Jean Monnet Chair of Politics of European integration, University of Florence. Q&A

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"Migration and Inequalities through the lens of Socio-Spatial Justice". [Apostolos Papadopoulos](#), Professor of Geography, Harokopio University of Athens.

Q&A

"The economy vs. politics controversy" [Gianluca Rocco](#), Chief of Mission and Regional Response Coordinator, International Organization for Migration, Greece.

Q&A

16.00 – 16.15 Coffee break

16.15- 17.15 Working group session 1

WG 1.1. *Is migration a solution to the economic imperatives?* Coordination [Andreas Bouroutis](#), lecturer, Department of Political Sciences, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.

WG 1.2. *How have migration policies affected European Integration so far?* Coordination [Ioannis Papageorgiou](#).

17.15- 18.15 Working group session 2

WG 2.1. *Review of empirical research on migration - a data driven approach to integration.* Coordination Ioannis Vergioglou, PhD candidate, ETH Zurich.

WG 2.2. *Framing a European policy on migration* Coordination Ioannis Papageorgiou.

20.00 Dinner at Agios Nikolaos ("4 Epoches" Agios Nikolaos).

Saturday, 28 August 2021

9.30-11.30 **Panel 2. EU asylum policies and external borders management: political and legal implications**, Chair [Andreas Bouroutis](#)

"The implications of the new Pact on Migration and Asylum on the politics of migration and asylum in Europe". Danai Papadopoulou, EU official, LIBE Committee, European Parliament.

Q&A

"The concept of solidarity in asylum policies" [Neda Noriaie-Kia](#), Head of Migration Policy Europe, Heinrich Böll Foundation.

Q&A

"External borders and the right to asylum" Adriano Silvestri, UNHCR Greece Deputy Representative – Protection Officer.

Q&A

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11.30-11.45 Coffee Break

11.45-12.45 Working group session 3

WG 3.1. *Outsourcing asylum - the impact of migration policies in EU external cooperation with third countries*, Coordination [Ioannis Papageorgiou](#).

WG 3.2. *Towards an integrated border management system*, Coordination [Maria Kavala](#), assistant professor, Department of Political Sciences, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.

12.45-13.45 Working group session 4

WG 4.1. *Legal pathways to protection in the European Union: the promises and pitfalls of refugee sponsorship*. Coordination [Tihomir Sabchev](#). Researcher, Utrecht University School of Law.

WG 4.2. *Law and asylum – the impact of courts*, Coordination Sandy Protopogerou, attorney-at-law, asylum expert.

Light lunch at the premises

15.00 Visit Giannakochori at Kyr Yianni wineries (<https://kiryianni.gr>). Wine-tasting.

20.30 Dinner in town (O Thomas, Vas. Philippou 1, Naousa).

Sunday, 29 August 2021

9.30-11.30 **Panel 3: Legal migration and integration**, Chair Ioannis Papageorgiou

“Policies on legal migration and integration– institutional and political constraints”, [Anastasia Zissi](#), Professor of Psychology, Department of Sociology, University of the Aegean.

Q&A

“Migrant integration policymaking: Reading the small print”. Rafail Tservenis, PhD candidate, researcher SciencesPo, Paris.

Q&A

“New provisions for legal migration in Europe. Opportunities and constraints”. [Andreas Bouroutis](#), lecturer, Department of Political Sciences, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.

Q&A

11.30-11.45 coffee break

11.45-12.45 **Working group session 5**

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- WG 5.1. *The multi-level governance of integration: Policies, Funding, Actors, Coordination* Rafail Tservenis and Kyriaki Menou, social support expert Safe Passage International
- WG. 5.2. *Children – a special case*, Coordination Sophia Zissakou, legal coordinator Safe Passage International and Androniki Peteinou, legal coordinator Safe Passage International
- 12.45 - 13.10 Conclusions. **“Towards a common EU migration policy”** [Margaritis Schoinas](#), Vice-President, European Commission
- 13.15 Close of the summer school by the Jean Monnet Chair-holder, [Ioannis Papageorgiou](#)
- 13.30 Light lunch at the premises. Departure of participants

The summer school language is English. The event is held under Chatham House Rule. Participants (in person or on-line) are held to respect the principles of open and inclusive dialogue.

