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The Global Crisis and Regional Governance in the Balkans

IS THERE A THREAT TO STABILITY?

WORKSHOP

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*Friday, February 5th ~ 2.30 p.m. - 7.00 p.m.
Saturday, February 6th ~ 9.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.
~ 3.00 p.m. - 6.00 p.m.*



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Session 1 ~ Friday, February 5th ~ 2.30 p.m.-7.00 p.m.

Welcome address

Elio Ferri (*Deputy Mayor of the City of Faenza*)
Guido Sarchielli (*Pro-Rector Delegated for the Romagna Campuses, University of Bologna*)

Speakers

The Crisis, its Perspectives and the Development Model in the Balkans

Milica Uvalić (*University of Perugia*)

The Western Balkans in the Turmoil of the Global Crisis

Franjo Štiblar (*University of Ljubljana*)

Public Opinion and the Crisis' Impact on Serbia and in the Western Balkans

Srdjan Bogosavljević (*University of Belgrade*)

The Albanian World, NATO Enlargement and Challenges for Stability

Robert Craig Nation (*Strategy and Director of European and Eurasian Studies at the U.S. Army War College in Carlisle, Pennsylvania*)

Discussants

Remzi Lani (*Albanian Media Institute, Tirana*)
Vesna Bojičić-Dželilović (*London School of Economics*)

Session 2 ~ Saturday, February 6th ~ 9.30 a.m.-12.30 p.m.

Speakers

Bosnia and Herzegovina beyond the Stalemate: Redefining the Reform Agenda and Moving Forward

Renzo Daviddi (*Head of the European Commission Liaison Office in Kosovo*)

From the Global Crisis to the Balkan Institutional Crisis and Relations between Serbia and its Neighbours

Dusan Janjić (*Forum for Ethnic Relations, Belgrade*)

Political Uncertainties and Prospects for Reform in Bosnia and Herzegovina in Times of Global Crisis

Boris Tihi (*University of Sarajevo*)

The Social Impact of the Global Crisis in the Western Balkans with a Focus on Macedonia

Will Bartlett (*London School of Economics*)

Regional Cooperation in Times of Political and Economical Uncertainty

Simona Mameli (*IECOB/University of Bern*)

Discussants

Matteo Ferrazzi (*Senior Economist, UniCredit Research, Milan*)
Francesco Privitera (*University of Bologna*)

Session 3 ~ Saturday, February 6th ~ 3.00 p.m.-6.00 p.m.

Speakers

The Global Crisis and New Territorial Polarizations in Croatia

Damir Grubiša (*University of Zagreb*)

'Cultural Legacies' Contested: Local Knowledge and Coping Strategies in Kosovo during the 1980s and Today

Stephanie Schwandner-Sievers (*University of Bologna*)

Economic and Political Challenges for Stabilization in Kosovo

Ylber Hysa (*Institute of Albanian Studies, Priština/Prishtina*)

Weak Europe, Strong Balkans. How the Southeast European States might Succeed without Really Trying

Eric Gordy (*University College London*)

Discussants

Stefano Bianchini (*University of Bologna*)
Franz-Lothar Altman (*Bucharest State University*)