



**Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> April 2016**

Hall of the Academic Senate, AR-UB 032

**10.00 Raphaela Averkorn (Siegen)**  
Welcome Address

**Panel I**  
Chair: **Gerd Morgenthaler (Siegen)**

**10.15 Panayiotis Ifestos (Piraeus)**  
The pendulum of democracy at the level of the state and at the level of the EU

**11.15 Andrew N. Liaropoulos (Piraeus)**  
The 'Liberty vs Security' dilemma in the era of cyber surveillance: The response of 'democracies'

**Lunch Break**

**14.00 Dionysis Tsirigotis (Piraeus)**  
Democracy: A state of demos or an oligarch's party state? An interpretation of modernity's notion of democracy in the modern Greek state

**15.00 Parallel Workshops I**

**17.00 Round Table: Europe in 2016**



**Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> April 2016**

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**Panel II**

**Chair: Panayiotis Ifestos (Piraeus)**

**10.15 Markos Troulis (Piraeus)**

State sovereignty and declining political participation in Europe: Canary in a coal mine?

**11.15 Aristotelis Agridopoulos (Siegen)**

Varieties of populism. The re-politicisation of Europe in times of multiple crises

**Lunch Break**

**13.30 Andreas Gkolfinopoulos (Siegen)**

Assessing the significance of brain drain in the context of the Greek crisis

**14.30 Parallel Workshops II**

**16.30 Presentations and Final Discussion**

**18.00 Closing Ceremony**