



BASIC INCOME AND THE EURO-DIVIDEND AS SOCIOPOLITICAL PILLARS OF THE EU AND ITS MEMBER COUNTRIES

Interdisciplinary Conference at the University of Freiburg, Germany

Preliminary Program

Thursday; Oct 11 General aspects of a Basic Income	
09:00 – 10:00	<i>Registration and welcome coffee</i>
10:00 – 10:30	Welcome address of the organizers
10:30 – 11:30	Plenary Session I (<i>Malcolm Torry, Citizen's Basic Income Trust and the London School of Economics</i>): Basic Income: The idea and the details
11:30 – 12:30	Thematic Block I: The Basic Income from a philosophical and social science perspective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Télémaque Masson, School of Advanced Studies in the Social Sciences, Paris:</i> What should the amount of Unconditional Basic Income payment be? • <i>Hendrik Muijson/ Sascha Liebermann, Alanus University of Arts and Social Sciences, Alfter:</i> Family and Childhood under Pressure. Interpretive Patterns of Family and Childhood in Times of Activation Policies. The Case of Germany
12:30 – 13:30	<i>Lunch</i>
13:30 – 14:30	Plenary Session II (<i>Olli Kangas, Kela Research, Helsinki</i>): How to plan and how to destroy a promising basic income experimentation – some lessons from the Finnish experiment
14:30 – 15:30	Thematic Block II: Basic Income in Political and Monetary Theory and Practice: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Parallel Session (a): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Leire Rincon, University of Barcelona:</i> To pilot or not to pilot? Understanding the impact of basic income experimentation on policy-maker attention • <i>Hermann Aubie, Aston University, Birmingham:</i> How could UBI address urgent welfare challenges in Finland and the UK - Parallel Session (b) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Sandra Miller, Democracy Earth Foundation, San Francisco:</i> UBI in the Blockchain Age: Redefining Revolution • <i>Dirk von Heinrichshorst, Horizon.ngo, Rogätz, Germany:</i> Horizon – United Basic Income Platform
15:30 – 16:00	<i>Coffee break</i>
16:00 – 17:00	Plenary Session III (<i>Antje Schrupp, Netzwerk Care Revolution</i>): Unconditional Basic Income and Care Revolution: Why we can't have one without the other
17:00 – 18:30	Thematic block III: On the Economic Perspective and Its Analytical Tools <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Parallel Session (a): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Geoff Crocker, Basic Income Forum:</i> Basic Income Funded by Perpetual Deficit. A radical heterodox economics view • <i>Eduard Lukschand:</i> A Proposal for Financing the Universal Basic Income • <i>Hilde Latour, WiseCoLab :</i> How Self-Ownng Autonomous Machines Can Generate a Basic Income for Mankind

	<p>- Parallel Session (b)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Alexander de Roo, Chairman Vereniging Basisinkomen, Netherlands:</i> A realistic Basic Income needs two pillars. Answer to the trilemma (work incentives, inclusiveness and fiscal costs) • <i>Peter Brake, Member of BIEN outreach group:</i> Implementation of a Universal Basic Income • <i>Maximilian Sommer, Ingolstadt School of Management:</i> A feasible basic income for Germany: a micro simulation analysis on changes in labor supply, poverty, and inequality
20:00 – 22:30	<i>Conference dinner</i>

Friday; Oct 12	The Euro-Dividend: an approach for social security and societal development in the EU?
08:00 – 09:00	<i>Breakfast</i>
09:00 – 09:30	Welcome address by the rector of the University of Freiburg, <i>Hans-Jochen Schiewer</i>
09:30 – 10:00	Plenary Session IV (<i>Philippe Van Parijs, Université catholique de Louvain</i>): The Euro-Dividend: Four Arguments
10:00 – 11:00	Thematic Block IV: The Euro-Dividend from a Philosophical Perspective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Robert Ulmer, Netzwerk Grundeinkommen, Bündnis Grundeinkommen:</i> UBI and Solidary Hedonism against Authoritarian Nationalism • <i>Marcel Franke, University of Freiburg</i> UBI as a Mean to Peace: The European Case of a Toleration Premium
11:00 – 11:30	<i>Coffe break</i>
11:30 – 13:00	Thematic Block V: Political, Economic and Environmental Issues of a Euro-Dividend Implementation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Ulrich Schachtschneider, Member of Board UBIE:</i> Ecological Euro-Dividend – a Step to Unconditional Basic Income in Europe? • <i>Peter Brake, Member of BIEN outreach group:</i> Financial Feasibility of a UBI and Financing Concepts of a Euro-Dividend • <i>Bernhard Neumärker, University of Freiburg:</i> Social Sustainability and Sustainable Governance for Europe: The Euro-Dividend
13:00 – 13:30	Plenary Session V (<i>Philippe Van Parijs, Université catholique de Louvain</i>): The Euro-Dividend: Obstacles and Opportunities
13:30	<i>End of conference</i>