



Arbeitskreis Europäische Integration e.V.

# Workshop "Europe's Crisis: The Conflict-Theoretic Perspective " Freiburg, September 25-26, 2014

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## **Program**

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#### **Conference venue:**

University of Freiburg, "Haus zur Lieben Hand", Löwenstraße 16, 79098 Freiburg, Germany (Website: <a href="http://www.swfr.de/en/food-beverages/campus-catering/haus-zur-lieben-hand/">http://www.swfr.de/en/food-beverages/campus-catering/haus-zur-lieben-hand/</a>)

### Thursday, September 25, 2014

8:30 - 9:15	Registration
9:15 - 9:45	Welcome Address + Organizational Issues
	Tim Krieger (University of Freiburg): Between Conflict and Cooperation: Europe's Crisis from the Perspective of the Freiburg School of Economics
9:45 – 10:45	Keynote Lecture + Discussion I
	Gerald Schneider (University of Konstanz): The Euro Crisis, Austerity Measures and Strikes
10:45 – 11:15	Coffee break
11:15 – 12:35	Session I: The Distributional Dimension of the Crisis
	1. Rafał Ulatowski (University of Warsaw): Euro Crisis and the New Geography of the European Union
	2. Bernd Schlipphak (University of Münster): Widening the Gap between Winners and Losers? Citizens' Economic Perceptions and EU Attitudes in Times of Crisis
12:35 – 14:00	Lunch break at "Haus zur Lieben Hand" (Casino)
14:00 – 14:40	Session II: Conflicting Interests on Europe's Constitution(s)
	Christian Joerges (Hertie of Governance, Berlin): Integration through Law as Ideology and the Alternative of Conflicts-Law Constitutionalism
14:40 – 15:20	Session III: Political Bargaining in Europe
	Martin A. Leroch (University of Mainz): Bargaining in Times of Crisis
15:20 – 15:50	Coffee break

15:50 – 17:10	Session IV: Challenges to Implementing Reforms
	1. Maximilian Stephan (University of Freiburg): Does Collective Action Clause Discriminate Rational Holdout Investors?
	2. Francesco Nicoli (University of Trento): The Governance Trilemma: Functional and Economic Analysis of the Building of a European Fiscal Union
17:30	Meet at entrance of workshop venue to leave for evening event at winery "Staatsweingut Freiburg" (Gutsbetrieb Freiburg, Merzhauser Str. 119, 79100 Freiburg, website: <a href="http://www.staatsweingut-freiburg.de/">http://www.staatsweingut-freiburg.de/</a> ). To get there, we will take tram line no. 3 to stop "Peter-Thumb-Straße" (approx. 10 minutes).
18:00 – 19:15	Guided tour and wine tasting at "Staatsweingut Freiburg"
19:15 – 21:30	Conference dinner (at "Staatsweingut Freiburg")

# Friday, September 26, 2014

9:00 - 10:00	Keynote Lecture + Discussion II
	Kai Konrad (Max Planck Institute for Tax Law and Public Finance, Munich): Fiscal Architecture in Europe: the Samaritan's Dilemma?
10:00 - 10:20	Coffee break
10:20 - 11:40	Session V: Greece and the Crisis
	1. Martha Kontodaimon (University of Freiburg): Two-Level Reform Games in Greece
	2. Moritz Sommer (Free University of Berlin): Attributing the Crisis. A Greek-German Comparison.
11:40 – 12:20	Session VI: Conflict, Law and Economic Policy
	Stefan Oeter (University of Hamburg): Conflict at the Interface of Economic Policy and Law – Cognitive Dissonance between European Central Bank und German Constitutional Court
12:20 – 13:20	Lunch break at "Haus zur Lieben Hand" (Casino)
13:20 – 14:00	Session VII: Populism and the Crisis
	Takis S. Pappas (University of Macedonia): Populism in Europe During Crisis
14:00 – 15:20	Session VIII: Federalism and the Crisis
	1. Peter Claeys (University of Barcelona): If You Want Me to Stay, Pay: A Model of Asymmetric Federalism in Centralised Countries (tbc)
	2. Nicolas Mazuy (University of Strasbourg): Pros and Cons of Federal Transfers Financed thanks to EU Financial Transaction Tax
15:30	End of workshop