

WB2EU SUMMER SCHOOL

5 – 9 September 2022, Cres

Venue: Center for Advanced Studies - Southeast Europe (CAS SEE), Moise Palace, Zagrad 6,
HR- 51557 Cres, <https://cas.uniri.hr/o-centru/about/>

*WB2EU - NextGeneration:
Regaining new European and democratic momentum together*

Programme

Sunday, 4 September:

Arrival

Monday, 5 September:

9.30–10.30 Opening session: *Welcome by the organisers and introduction of the participants*

10.30–10.45 Coffee break

10.45–12.30 Keynote address and open discussion with Andreas Schieder, Member of the European Parliament

"A new European momentum? How the war in Ukraine changes the future of Europe"

Chaired by the Academic Coordinators of the WB2EU project Paul Schmidt, Austrian Society for European Politics (ÖGfE) and Vedran Džihic, Austrian Institute for International Affairs (oiip)

12.30–14.00 Lunch (Pizzeria i spaghetteria Luna Rossa, Palada ul. 4b)

14.00–15.30 Open exchange with Andreas Schieder, Member of the European Parliament

"EU Enlargement – what is at stake?"

Moderated by Paul Schmidt and Vedran Džihic

15.30–19.00 Free time

19.00–20.30 Evening inspiration: *"NextGeneration sharing experiences"* with inputs by Dennis Miskic, Alice Lojic et al.

20.30 Welcome dinner (Riva, Creskih Kapetana 13)

Tuesday, 6 September:

10.00–12.00 Inputs and open discussion with Paul Schmidt and Vedran Džihic

"EU internal processes and reforms meeting democracy challenges in the Western Balkans"

12.00–13.30 Lunch (Pizzeria i spaghetteria Luna Rossa)

**Europeanisation meets democracy from below:
The Western Balkans on the search for new European and democratic Momentum**



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13.30–15.00 Creative workshop led by Senada Šelo Šabić, Senior Scientific Associate, (Institute for Development and International Relations, IRMO) and Vedran Džihic

"Democratic activism for Europe – Ideas and actions to move the region towards new horizons" – Part I

15.00–18.30 Free time

18.30–20.00 Evening inspiration: *"Democracy bottom-up: Crosscutting perspectives"* with Sanja Milotinović Bojanić, Executive Director, Center for Advanced Studies Southeast Europe (CAS SEE), University of Rijeka, Tena Prelec, Research Fellow (University of Oxford, CAS SEE) and Marko-Luka Zubčić, Fellow (CAS SEE)

20.30 Dinner (Santa Lucia, Lungomare Svetog Mikule 4)

Wednesday, 7 September:

09.30–11.00 Keynote address and open discussion with H. E. Juan González-Barba, Ambassador of the Kingdom of Spain to the Republic of Croatia

"EU enlargement – its risks and opportunities – Spanish perspective"

Chaired by Paul Schmidt and Vedran Džihic

11.00–11.30 Coffee break

11.30–13.00 Creative workshop led by Senada Šelo Šabić and Vedran Džihic

"Democratic activism for Europe – Ideas and actions to move the region towards new horizons" – Part II

13.00–14.30 Lunch (Pizzeria i spaghetteria Luna Rossa)

14.30–19.00 Free time – Exploring the island

19.00–20.30 Evening inspiration: *"From activism to politics and back"* – Talk with Nebojša Zelić, University of Rijeka and candidate of MOZEMO for the city mayor of Rijeka

20.30 Dinner (Santa Lucia)

Thursday, 8 September:

10.00–13.00 Creative workshop – with coffee breaks – led by Senada Šelo Šabić and Vedran Džihic

"Democratic activism for Europe – Ideas and actions to move the region towards new horizons" – Part III (Drafting a joint document)

13.00–14.30 Lunch (Pizzeria i spaghetteria Luna Rossa)

14.30–18.30 Free time

18.30–20.00 Presentation of the *final results – discussion – further steps*

20.00 Farewell dinner (Riva)

Friday, 9 September:

Departure

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