

The Center for West European Studies The European Union Center



April 2005 Calendar of Events

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS & SCHOLARS

Professor Paolo Bernardini, Visiting Fulbright Professor; Resident Director, Center for Italian and European Studies, Boston University-Padova

Dr. Andrew McLaughlin, Group Chief Economist, The Royal Bank of Scotland Group

Professor Jose Manuel Sobrino, Professor of Public International Law, International Relations, and Jean Monnet Chair of European Law, University of La Coruna, Spain

Professor Ramunas Vilpišauskas, Institute of International Relations and Political Science, Vilnius University, Lithuania; Chief Economic Advisor to the President of Lithuania

For more information regarding visitors, contact Lauren Skrabala: skrabala@ucis.pitt.edu

➤ **TUESDAY, APRIL 5 | 3:00 PM | 4217 POSVAR HALL**

“Has Europeanization Changed Anything? Accession and National Policy-Making”

Professor Ramunas Vilpišauskas, Institute of International Relations and Political Science, Vilnius University, Lithuania; Chief Economic Advisor to the President of Lithuania

Co-sponsored by the Center for Russian and East European Studies

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➤ **THURSDAY, APRIL 7 | 12:00 PM | 4217 POSVAR HALL**

“The European Constitution: A Treaty, a Constitution, or a New Act?”

Professor Jose Sobrino, Professor of Public International Law, International Relations, and Jean Monnet Chair of European Law, University of La Coruna, Spain

Co-sponsored by the Center for International Legal Education

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➤ **FRIDAY-SATURDAY, APRIL 8-9 | 2500-2501 POSVAR HALL**

Conference

“Love of Country: Making Nations in Italy’s Diasporic Private Sphere”

The focus of the conference will be discussion of papers that will be circulated in advance.

Co-sponsored by the University Center for International Studies (Global Academic Partnerships), the University of Pittsburgh Arts and Sciences Faculty Research and Scholarship Program, the Department of French and Italian Studies, and the Department of History

To receive digital versions of all papers, or for a full program, please contact kenyonz@hotmail.com

➤ **FRIDAY, APRIL 8 | 9:00 AM-4:30 PM | WILLIAM PITT UNION**
“Europe: East and West” Undergraduate Research Symposium

Co-sponsored by the Center for Russian and East European Studies

For more information about the schedule, participants and papers, please visit:

www.ucis.pitt.edu/URSymposium

➤ **TUESDAY, APRIL 12 | 3:00 PM | 4130 POSVAR HALL**

“Libertarian Ideas and State Constraints in Berlusconi’s Current Government”

Professor Paolo Bernardini, Visiting Fulbright Professor; Resident Director, Center for Italian and European Studies, Boston University-Padova

A brief farewell reception for Dr. Bernardini will follow the lecture.

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➤ **TUESDAY, APRIL 19 | 12:00 PM | 4130 POSVAR HALL**

Pizza & Politics

Tiberiu Dragu, Ph.D. Candidate, Department of Political Science

For more information, contact Steve Salas: salas@ucis.pitt.edu

➤ **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20 | 11:00 AM | 4217 POSVAR HALL**

“What’s Wrong with the Euroland Economy”

Dr. Andrew McLaughlin, Group Chief Economist, The Royal Bank of Scotland Group

Co-sponsored by the International Business Center

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➤ **THURSDAY, APRIL 28 | 4:00-5:30 PM | LOWER LOUNGE OF WILLIAM PITT UNION**

Graduation Reception for Students of the West European Studies and European Union Studies Certificate Programs

Please join us as we congratulate our departing graduates and wish them the best in their endeavors.

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