

# The Center for West European Studies The European Union Center



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## March 2005 Calendar of Events

### DISTINGUISHED VISITORS & SCHOLARS

**Hans DeJong**, Office of Transportation, Royal Netherlands Embassy

**Professor Paulette Kurzer**, Department of Political Science, University of Arizona

**Professor Anand Menon**, Director, European Research Institute, University of Birmingham

**Dr. Dorothy Robyn**, Senior Consultant, The Brattle Group

**Professor Lori Walters**, French Department, Florida State University

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➤ **THURSDAY, MARCH 3 | 3:00-5:00 PM | PUBLIC HEALTH AUDITORIUM**

**Presentation and Book Signing:**

**“Green Parrots: A War Surgeon’s Diary”**

**Gino Strada**, Emergency Life Support for Civilian War Victims

Books will be sold at the event, cash only.

Co-sponsored by the Department of French and Italian, the Graduate Program for Cultural Studies, the Graduate School of Public Health, and the Office of the Senior Vice Chancellor for Health Sciences

➤ **MONDAY, MARCH 14 | 12:00 PM | 4130 POSVAR HALL**

**“What’s For Dinner? Variations in European Support for Genetically Modified Food”**

**Professor Paulette Kurzer**, Department of Political Science, University of Arizona

Co-sponsored by the Graduate School of Public Health

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➤ **MONDAY, MARCH 14 | 4:30 PM | FRENCH NATIONALITY ROOM, 149 CATHEDRAL OF LEARNING**

**“Christine de Pizan’s Concept of the ‘Natural Women’”**

**Professor Lori Walters**, French Department, Florida State University

Co-sponsored by the Medieval and Renaissance Studies Program

For more information, visit <http://www.pitt.edu/~medren/events.html>

➤ **TUESDAY, MARCH 15 | 12:00 PM | 4130 POSVAR HALL**

***Pizza & Politics***

**“The Europeanization of Islam: The Role of the Multi-Level Structure of the EU”**

**Melissa Parker**, Ph.D. Candidate, Department of Political Science

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➤ **SUNDAY, MARCH 20 | 3:00 PM | HEINZ CHAPEL**

### **Bach and Baroque Ensemble**

**Don Franklin**, Director

The featured work in the spring concert will be the *Missa Novis Regis* by Antonio Bertali, written in the mid-seventeenth century for the Imperial Court in Vienna. Guest artists include members of the Spiritus Collective. Admission is free with Pitt ID for students, \$10 general admission, and \$5 for seniors.

Co-sponsored by the Department of Music

➤ **TUESDAY, MARCH 22 | 4:00 PM | 532 ALUMNI HALL**

### ***European Business in the Transatlantic and Global Marketplace Panel***

#### **“Impact of the Single Market on the Airline Industry”**

**Professor Martin Staniland**, Graduate School of Public and International Affairs

**Hans DeJong**, Office of Transportation, Royal Netherlands Embassy

**Dr. Dorothy Robyn**, Senior Consultant, The Brattle Group

**John Illson**, International Airline Captain and Aviation Safety Consultant

A reception will follow the panel.

Co-sponsored by the International Business Center

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➤ **TUESDAY, MARCH 29 | 12:00 PM | 4209 POSVAR HALL**

### ***Pizza and Politics***

#### **“What Membership Means and How it Matters: Talking with Czechs and Slovaks about EU Accession”**

**Lisa Pohlman**, Ph.D. Candidate, Department of Political Science

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➤ **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30 | 12:00 PM | 4217 POSVAR HALL**

#### **“From Method to Madness: Comparing the EU and US in Theory and Practice”**

**Professor Anand Menon**, Director, European Research Institute, University of Birmingham

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➤ **THURSDAY-SATURDAY, MARCH 31-APRIL 2 | HYATT REGENCY, AUSTIN, TX**

### **The European Union Studies Association’s Ninth Biennial International Conference**

Scholars and practitioners from all disciplines engaged in the study of Europe and the European Union are invited to attend.

For more information, visit <http://www.eustudies.org/conf2005.html>

➤ **MONDAY, APRIL 6 | 12:00 PM | 4217 POSVAR HALL**

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

**Professor Ramunas Vilpissavskas**, 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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