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Empires Past and Present: Is the EU a New Empire?

Friday, April 6th

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Session I: 10:00-11:30 a.m.

"Empire in History: Is a New Literature Emerging?"
Patrick Manning and Daniel C. Bisbee (University of Pittsburgh)

"Europe, Asia, and the Early Modern Commercial Empire"
Martha Chaiklin (University of Pittsburgh)

Session II: 1:15 – 2:45 p.m.

"Thoughts on the Relevance of European Empires and the EU, with an Alternate Comparative Model"
Peter Karsten (University of Pittsburgh)

"Shadows of Empire: Europe's Empires and Their Legacies for Today"
Joshua Walker (German Marshall Fund)

Session III: 3:15 - 4:45 p.m.

"The EU: An Empire of the Third Generation?"
Magali Gravier (Copenhagen Business School)

"From Empire to Federation: Europe, Like America"
Josep Colomer (Georgetown University)

All sessions moderated by Elizabeth Covington, Associate Director, European Union Center of Excellence,
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