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Jean Monnet Lecture on European Union Law

"European Crisis?"

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Barco Law Building Room 109 3900 Forbes Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15260



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is a former director and head of competition policy in the European Commission's Legal Service. He spent more than 30 years with the commission, serving, among other things, on the staff of Transport Commissioner Stanley Clinton Davis and as director for internal market issues in the Legal Service. Wainwright joined Finsbury International Policy & Regulatory Advisers (Fipra Group) in 2008 as a special adviser.

This lecture will center on the economic and political problems that currently face the

European Union (EU). It also will examine a possible scenario for recovery. On the economic front, EU countries are faced with high indebtedness, high unemployment, and low growth. Politically, eurozone countries are committed to closer economic union, while the present United Kingdom government is seeking a renegotiation of its treaty ties with the EU—with the possibility that it might exit if the renegotiation is unsuccessful.

This lecture is free and open to the public. Refreshments and a light dinner will be provided.

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