

SUMMER SCHOOL ON EU POLICY MAKING

ANALYSING HUMAN SECURITY IN TODAY'S EU

5 ECTS

MONDAY 5 - FRIDAY 16 JULY 2021 (18TH EDITION)



The programme in a nutshell:

- Intensive 5 ECTS programme
- Inter-university summer school: week 1 in Brussels, week 2 in Vienna
- Learn how EU institutions work, both in theory and in practice
- Perfect for students and professionals
- Includes in-depth study visits to prime international institutions
- Organised by a Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence on the doorstep of the main EU institutions

What you will get out of it:

- Broadened expertise on the functioning of the EU, its intricate decision-making process and the roles of various actors involved
- Insider knowledge on the 2021 focus area: human security in the EU
- Close connections with other students and professors, a network that will help boost your career
- A diverse and multicultural group of friends



The 2020 summer school organized by the Institute for European Studies was an outstanding learning experience. It helped me to better understand the decision making process within the EU and the future challenges the EU has to tackle. Despite being an online experience this year, due to the staff's dedication, professionalism and the way the lectures were organized, the summer school felt like an on site event. I am more than grateful for this opportunity to learn about the EU in a multicultural environment.

Bogdan Popescu, 2020 participant



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WEEK 1 IN BRUSSELS, WEEK 2 IN VIENNA

Explore two prime European cities and enjoy exciting study visits to prime international institutions: the European Commission, European Parliament, Council of the EU, OSCE and the UN!

Who can apply?

It is recommended to be in the final year of a Bachelor degree. Candidates from partner countries neighbouring the EU are especially encouraged to apply. All candidates must demonstrate a high level of motivation and interest in their letter of intent.

A good level of English is necessary.

What does it cost?

For updated tuition fees and study costs please check our website www.eu-summerschool.eu.

The Institute for European Studies will grant one full tuition fee waiver to one student of the summer school programme. This waiver will be attributed on the basis of merit and motivation, and will in general, but not exclusively, be granted to a student from a partner country neighbouring the EU.

What can you study?

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WEEK 1

You review the main EU institutions, decision-making procedures and key policy areas, while theoretically exploring questions of governance, participation and legitimacy. Lectures, discussions and exercises facilitated by academics and practitioners are complemented with study visits to EU institutions.

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WEEK 2

You acquire in-depth knowledge on EU policy making in a number of fields (constitutional and legal issues, foreign and security policy, human rights protection) and also focus on EU foreign relations. Lectures and interactive exchanges with experts are complemented with visits to the UN, the OSCE and the EU Delegation in Vienna.

OPTIONAL: COMBINE WITH ONLINE LEARNING PROGRAMME

The Postgraduate Certificate in EU Policy Making (25 ECTS) is a 1- or 2-year blended learning programme that combines this summer school with 5 online EU Modules accessible 24/7.

- Either you kick off in September (with the EU Modules), or in July (with the Summer School)
- Find out more on the programme's dedicated website: www.eu-postgraduate.eu

I have participated in the Summer School on EU Policy making 2020. Despite the fact the course had to be held online for the first time, due to the COVID context, the organisers managed to keep it interesting, challenging and interactive! We did workshops, brainstorming, case studies and a simulation game which enabled us to put the theory in practice with direct feedback from experts in the field. I would highly recommend the short but intensive programme for anyone with a political, societal or general European interest (so anyone actually)!

- Charlotte Vanstallen, 2020 participant

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