



## **REGIONALISM IN HARD TIMES: 30<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF JEAN MONNET ACTIVITIES**

In the framework of the 30th anniversary of Jean Monnet activities, this roundtable aims to discuss the challenges currently faced by regional organizations in Europe and South America.

Contemporary concerns include the rise of far-right populist parties across EU Member States and the success of the Greens as a political force in the European Parliament's recent elections. This event will consider the new political landscape and its institutional implications for addressing key issues and policy areas of the 2019 EU political agenda.

As far as South America is concerned, initiatives to foster political and social integration seem to be out of government's political priorities. Political leaders' recent decision on the suspension of direct elections at the Mercosur Parliament and recent efforts in order to relaunch the Andean Community indicate the need to reorient Regionalism in the contemporary multi-level and multipolar world system.

The development of Regionalism in different regions follows distinct paths with the involvement of multiple actors and alternative formats. In this context, participants will share their thoughts about the past and present of Regionalism in Europe and South America. They will also look to the future to identify some of the major staging posts ahead.

With the support of the EU Delegation to Brazil and jointly organized by the Jean Monnet Chair on Comparative Regionalism, the Jean Monnet Network on Atlantic Studies and the FGV School of International Relations, the event will gather experts who are past or current beneficiaries of Jean Monnet activities.

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**Location:** FGV, Praia de Botafogo, 190, Rio de Janeiro, 12th floor.

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<b>9:00 – 9:30</b>	Registration and Coffee break
<b>9:30 – 10:00</b>	<b>Opening:</b> <i>Costanzo Fisogni (Delegation of the European Union to Brazil)</i> <i>Renato Galvão Flôres Junior (Director of the Jean Monnet Network on Atlantic Studies, FGV's International Intelligence Unit)</i> <i>Paula Wojcikiewicz Almeida (Jean Monnet Chair, Getulio Vargas Foundation Law School in Rio de Janeiro - FGV Direito Rio)</i>
<b>10:00 -10:45</b>	<b>Keynote:</b> <i>Mario Telò (Jean Monnet Chair ad personam, Université Libre de Bruxelles- IEE; Advisor to the European Commission (2002-2007), responsible of the network of Jean Monnet Chairs; to the European Parliament (2003); and to the European Council Presidency (2000; 2007).</i>
	<b>Moderator:</b> <i>Paula Wojcikiewicz Almeida (Jean Monnet Chair, Fundação Getulio Vargas - Rio de Janeiro School of Law - FGV Direito Rio)</i>
	<b>Discussants:</b>
<b>10:45 – 11:15</b>	<i>Renato Galvão Flôres Junior (Director of the Jean Monnet Network on Atlantic Studies, FGV's International Intelligence Unit)</i>
<b>11:15 – 11:45</b>	<i>Paulina Astroza Suárez (Jean Monnet Chair, Universidad de Concepción, Chile)</i>
<b>11:45 – 12:15</b>	<i>Andrea Hoffmann (Jean Monnet Network, Instituto de Relações Internacionais da Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro)</i>
<b>12:15 – 12:45</b>	<i>Carolina Moehlecke (FGV School of International Relations)</i>
<b>12:45 – 13:15</b>	<b>Discussion and Q&amp;A</b>
	Lunch

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<b>Costanzo Fisogni</b>	<p>Costanzo Fisogni is a public servant at the Delegation of the European Union to Brazil (since 2018), specifically working with the Service for Foreign Policy Instruments (FPI) Regional Team – Americas.</p> <p>He has previously served in other EU Delegations, in Paraguay (2006 – 2012) and Nicaragua / Panama (2012-2018), as policy officer and program manager in fields such as public diplomacy, press and information, human rights and state modernization. Mr. Fisogni also took part to the UN peacekeeping mission in Haiti (MINUSTAH) between 2004 and 2005 as a civil affairs officer.</p> <p>He holds a PhD in international organizations from the Catholic University of Milan, a Master in Human Rights and Conflict management (Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, in Pisa, Italy) and a Bachelor Degree in international relations from the same Catholic University.</p>
<b>Mario Telò</b>	<p>Jean Monnet Chair ad personam, Université Libre de Bruxelles-IEE since 1995, President of the Institute of European studies between 2005 and 2009, he teaches International relations, coordinates several international research networks, as GREEN Senior scholar (7th FP, including 16th world class universities), and Central coordinator of the global doctoral program GEM (Globalization, Europe and Multilateralism), funded by DG Culture and education for the period 2010-2015.</p> <p>He served as advisor to the European Commission, DG research (High level Group on social sciences and humanities, 2002-2007) , DG Culture (responsible of the network of J.Monnet Chairs collaborating to the White Book on EU Governance), the European Parliament (2003:Rasmussen Report on Mastering Globalization), and to the European Council Presidency (in 2000 and in 2007).</p>

<p><b>Paula Wojcikiewicz Almeida</b></p>	<p>Jean Monnet Chair, sponsored by the European Commission at the Getulio Vargas Foundation Law School (2015-currently). Director of the Jean Monnet Module (2011- 2014).</p> <p>Professor of International Law, Getulio Vargas Foundation Law School in Rio de Janeiro (since 2008). Associate Researcher at the Institute of International and European Law at the Sorbonne (IREDIES). Nominated Brazilian member of the ILA Committee on the Procedure of International Courts and Tribunals. Chair of the Interest Group on 'International Courts and Tribunals' of the Latin American Society of International Law (LASIL). Member of the ESIL Interest Group on International Courts and Tribunals. Qualified as 'maître des conférences' in Public Law (France, CNU). Masters of Law (Master II Recherche) in Public International and European Law – Université Paris XI, Faculté Jean Monnet. Doctorate with honors <i>summa cum laude</i> in International and European Law at the <i>Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne</i>. Researcher at the Centre for Studies and Research in International Law and International Relations of The Hague Academy of International Law (2010). Post-doctoral Visiting scholar at the Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public Law and International Law (2014). Visiting professor at the École de droit de la Sorbonne - Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne (2019).</p>
<p><b>Renato Galvão Flôres Junior</b></p>	<p>Director of the Jean Monnet Network on Atlantic Studies, FGV's International Intelligence Unit.</p> <p>PhD. Professor at the Graduate School of Economics – EPGE/FGV, Rio de Janeiro; former President of the Steering Committee of programme PEP (Poverty and Economic Policy), based in Canada; President of the Brazilian chapter of the European Community Studies Association; Member of the Advisory Board of the Chaire Mercosur, at Sciences Po, Paris, and Member of the Board of CEBRI – Brazilian Centre for International Relations. Former Member of the Permanent Group of Experts of the Committee on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures, WTO, Geneva, where he also acted as negotiator for the Fourth Protocol of the Agreement on Telecommunications, after the Uruguay Round. He held important positions in the Brazilian government, at the federal (Ministry of Planning) and state (Rio de Janeiro) levels. He has worked with international organisations (the IDB, the World Bank, the OECD Development Centre) and foreign affairs' ministries.</p>

<p><b>Paulina Astroza Suárez</b></p>	<p>Awarded with a Jean Monnet Module (2010-2013), Cátedra Jean Monnet (2017-2020) and a Jean Monnet project (2018-2020). She has been in charge of the evaluation of the European Commission for Jean Monnet projects (2014 and 2015). Currently, she has a project sponsored by the Regional Government of the Biobío Chile Region about the internationalization of the Region (paradiplomacy).</p> <p>Associated Professor at the Juridical and Social Science Faculty of the Concepción University (Chile). She is also Director and founder of the European Study Program at the same University since 2002.</p> <p>She has been teaching Public International Law, International Relations and Political European Integration. She has a Diploma on International Relations and Political Science, a Masters in International Relations and Political Science, and Doctorate in Political and Social Science from UCLouvain, Belgium. Member of the Ministry's of Foreign Affairs Advisory Council for Bolivia's application to the International Court of Justice.</p>
<p><b>Andrea Hoffmann</b></p>	<p>Member of the Jean Monnet Network on "Crisis-Equity-Democracy for Europe and Latin America" (2017-currently).</p> <p>Associated Professor at the International Relations Institute of the Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro. She was Visiting Professor at the Free University of Berlin (2012-2015), University of Erfurt (2012-2012) and London School of Economics (2008-2010). Researches and publishes about legitimacy and democracy in international politics, international organizations, and regional integration in Latin America and Europe, among others.</p>
<p><b>Carolina Moehlecke</b></p>	<p>Professor at the School of International Relations at the Fundação Getulio Vargas and PhD candidate in the Department of Government at the University of Texas at Austin. Carolina researches topics of international political economy and international institutions. Specifically, she looks at how corporations use international law to affect domestic regulation in countries where they invest in and trade with, with a focus on the regulatory regimes of environmental protection and public health. She holds a M.A. in Political Science from the University of Texas and a B.A. in International Relations from Centro Universitário La Salle.</p>