

CEU hosts ETHOS annual conference from 16th to 19th January 2019

CEU and CEUR will host the annual conference of the EU-funded Horizon2020 project [ETHOS: Towards a European Theory of Justice and Fairness](#). The research consortium includes Utrecht University (UU, Utrecht, The Netherlands, coordinator), Europäisches Trainings und Forschungszentrum für Menschenrechte und Demokratie (ETC, Graz, Austria), Kozep-Europai Egyetem (CEU, Budapest, Hungary), Centro de Estudos Sociais (CES, Coimbra, Portugal), Boğaziçi University (BU, Istanbul, Turkey) and the University of Bristol (UoB, Bristol, United Kingdom).

ETHOS seeks to develop a new integrative perspective on justice and fairness, by:

- Combining conceptualizations of justice within various disciplines (philosophy, sociology, law, economy, political science) and various schools of thought (including liberal tradition, republican tradition and communitarian tradition);
- Bridging a gap between the theoretical and the empirical reflections of justice and fairness, where 'empirical' encompasses data on the discursive construction of justice in Europe, institutionalization of justice in laws, subjective experiences of (in)justice in various social domains (media, education, politics and daily life experiences) and on (non-)institutional struggles for justice.
- Accommodating multiple voices of vulnerable populations via communicative tools, workshops, focus group meetings, policy briefs, and the interactive European Landscapes of Justice. ETHOS will reach a deliberative process of attuning seemingly antagonistic voices in a harmonious concert, reflecting the mutual understanding of a European theory of justice and fairness.

The conference will bring together the project's participants to present and discuss the project findings and engage in dissemination activities. The conference includes a policy event and a workshop engaging with philosophical questions which are central to the project.

The following events will be open to the public.

Thursday 17th January, 2019

Policy event

14.00 – 15.30 *Parallel thematic workshops “Justice in policy making; redistribution, recognition and representation”*

- “Footloose Europeans”
- “Categorizing dependency and vulnerability”
- “Substantive and procedural justice”

Location: Nador 15, rooms 101, 103, 104

16.00 – 17.30 Panel Discussion “Justice in policy making; redistribution, recognition and representation”



Location: Nador 15, room 103

Friday 18th January, 2019

Keynote speeches

14.30 – 15.30 “Just Migration, Within and Into Europe”. Philippe van Parijs (Special guest professor, University of Louvain and KU Leuven / Robert Schuman Fellow, European University Institute, Florence)

17.00 – 18.00 Michael Ignatieff (CEU President and Rector)

Location: Nador 15, room 103

Friday 18th – Saturday 19th January, 2019

There will be a [philosophical workshop on justice and beliefs about justice in Europe](#).
Registration for this event is open by email to: zalam@ceu.edu

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