



Venice Academy of Human Rights – Summer School

The Venice Academy of Human Rights is an international and interdisciplinary programme of excellence for human rights education, research and debate.

The 2018 [Venice Academy of Human Rights](#) will focus on “Migration, Mobility and Diversity: New Horizons for Human Rights”, under the coordination of Professor Crépeau, former U.N. Special Rapporteur on the Human Rights of Migrants from 2011 to 2017, current Director of the Centre for Human Rights and Legal Pluralism at McGill University, Canada and recently appointed 2017-2018 International Francqui Professor at Université catholique de Louvain.

THE PROGRAMME

Migration is a complex issue. It cannot be reduced to simple answers and populist formulas. One needs to delve into the complexity of human mobility and develop nuanced opinions, informed by the experience and expertise of the migrants themselves. This 2018 Venice Summer Academy is dedicated to developing such sophisticated analysis, weaving numerous threads: economic gains and costs for countries and individuals; cultural and existential anxieties; labour rights of all workers, including migrants; human rights of all, including migrants; freedom of movement regional zones; limitations of our present conception of representative democracy...

THE FACULTY

The [faculty](#) is composed by internationally acclaimed experts such as Elspeth Guild, Jean Monnet Professor ad personam at Queen Mary, University of London as well as at the Radboud University Nijmegen, Netherlands; Didier Bigo, Professor at King's College London Department of War studies and MCU Research Professor at Sciences-Po Paris, and Ryszard Cholewinski, Senior Migration Specialist in the ILO's Regional Office for Arab States in Beirut, among others. The Distinguished Opening Lecture will be held by Rainer Münz, Adviser on Migration and Demography to the European Political Strategy Centre (EPSC).

Registration deadline: 23 May 2018

Course dates: 2-7 July 2018

Venues: EIUC premises at the Monastery of San Nicolò, Venice Lido

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