

**EXPERIMENT EUROPE  
MEETING V**

**BORDERS  
AND BEYOND:  
REINVENTING  
EUROPE**

**7-8 June 2017  
Istituto Svizzero di Roma, via Ludovisi 48**

**From January 2017 onwards, the conference cycle *Experiment Europe* hosted at the Swiss Institute in Rome has been taking a closer look at various aspects of Europe, ranging from notions of democracy and challenges in education, research, and innovation to political economy, the current state of welfare and security policy. A lingering sense of crisis emerged, once again, be it with respect to the European Union as a political project, unresolved economic disparities or, last but not least, rising nationalism as a populist response. In turn, this final conference of the cycle, entitled *Borders and Beyond: Reinventing Europe*, will reflect upon alternatives, not in view of easy solutions to commonly accepted problems, but in terms of alternative framings and redefined priorities.**

**The conference will open up new perspectives on the lingering crisis of “Experiment Europe,” a task that appears all the more urgent as the crisis is of a multifaceted kind – economic, social, political and philosophical – and gives rise to sharp disagreements among different actors on the direction and scope of European integration itself.**

**The conference is organized by the Swiss Institute in Rome and the Europa-Institut / Institute for European Global Studies (EIG) at the University of Basel, a leading research centre that investigates Europe from a global, historical and interdisciplinary perspective. The conference is also supported by the Italian Ministry of Cultural Heritage and Activities and Tourism (MIBACT).**

## PROGRAM

**Wednesday, 7 June 2017**  
**Via Liguria 20**

- 18.00 Welcome  
Philippe Sormani (Istituto Svizzero di Roma)
- 18.15 *Europa e filosofia, identità e differenza*  
Roberto Esposito (University of Naples, Federico II)  
in conversation with Madeleine Herren (University of Basel,  
Europa-Institut / Institute for European Global Studies)
- 19.15 Photo exhibition, Europe for Citizens info desk, and aperitif

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**The conference is public and will be held in English and Italian.**  
**Simultaneous translation is provided on Wednesday evening.**

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**Thursday, 8 June 2017**  
**Via Ludovisi 48**

### SESSION 1

- Chair: Cornelia Knab (University of Basel, Europa-Institut /  
Institute for European Global Studies)
- 10.00 *Territory, Borders and Europe's Outside*  
Teresa Pullano (University of Basel, Europa-Institut /  
Institute for European Global Studies)
- 10.40 *The 'outside' as a catalyst for the 'inside': A historical case study*  
Francesca Falk (University of Fribourg, ContemporaryHistory  
Department)
- 11.20 Break
- 11.40 *Imagining Europe Differently:  
Tolerance, Homogenization and Liberalism*  
Humeira Iqtidar (Kings College London)
- 12.20 *Where is the Place of Europe?*  
Yves Mettler (artist, Switzerland-Berlin)

### SESSION 2

- Chair: Madeleine Herren-Oesch (University of Basel,  
Europa-Institut / Institute for European Global Studies)
- 14.30 *The Merits, if any, of a Borderful World*  
Toshiki Mogami (Waseda University, Tokyo)
- 15.10 *Can a Europe of good-willing citizens prosper?*  
Daniele Archibugi (CNR Rome)
- 15.50 Break
- 16.10 *Comparazione giuridica e diritto europeo*  
Luigi Moccia (University Roma Tre)
- 16.50 *Icone culturali d'Europa: una proposta*  
Francesco Fiorentino (University Roma Tre)
- 17.30 Closing remarks and farewell drink