



FINAL Conference of the OpenEU Debate JM Network¹
Found in translation. What's next for the future of Europe?

27-28 June 2022, BUCHAREST

DAY 1 - Monday, 27th of June

18.00-19.30 – Narratives of Europe in Times of Conflict

Reflections on Europe between the cultural and the academic world:

Welcoming Speech - Dr. **Miruna Butnaru-Troncotă**, Center of European Studies SNSPA (Bucharest) / OpenEU Debate member

- **Andrey Kurkov**, President of PEN Ukraine (online intervention)
- **Magda Cârneci**, Writer, cultural activist (PEN Romania)
- **Luis Bouza Garcia**, Associate Professor, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Spain / OpenEU Debate member

Moderator: **Radu Vancu**, Writer, Associate Professor, “Lucian Blaga” University Sibiu, Romania / President PEN Romania)

Venue: The Garden of the National Museum of Romanian Literature, Bucharest (outdoor)
8th Nicolae Crețulescu Street

19.30-20.30 – Cocktail & Networking

DAY 2 - Tuesday, 28th of June

Venue: Apollo 111 Theatre, Bucharest (indoor) 23rd Ion Brezoianu Street
With an intervention by Romanian artist **Dan Perjovschi** in the theatre lobby

9.30-10.00 Welcoming Coffee & Registration

10.00-10.30 Official Welcoming Speeches

- Prof.univ.dr. **Iordan Bărbulescu**, President of the Senate, SNSPA Bucharest / OpenEU Debate member)
- Prof.univ.dr. **Elena Garcia Guitian**, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid - Project coordinator of OpenEU Debate Network

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10.30-11.00 What's next for the Future of Europe?

- **H.E. Laurence Auer**, Ambassador of France to Romania
- **Eliza Vaș**, European Institute of Romania – “The Conference on the Future of Europe. Views from Romanian citizens”

11.00-11.30 – Found in translation? Results of the Open EU Debate Network

Collage of our project's main activities 2019-2022 – all Project and Scientific team members

11.30-11.45 Coffee break

11.45-13.00 Opening Keynote Speech

Prof.univ.dr. **Francisco Aldecoa Luzárraga** (Universidad Complutense Madrid / President European Movement, Spain)

Moderator: Prof.univ.dr. **Jordan Bărbulescu** (President of the Senate, SNSPA Bucharest / OpenEUDebate member)

Q&A session – Panel reactions to the Keynote speech – members of OpenEUdebate Scientific Committee

13.00-14.30 Lunch (in the Apollo 111 Bar)

14.30-16.30 Europe's Most Burning Topics - A Hands-on Approach

- A new economic consensus after the COVID Crisis – **Roy Cobby** (King's College London, United Kingdom)
- Future Shocks 2022. Addressing risks and building capabilities for Europe in a con- tested world – **Eamonn Noonan** (European Parliamentary Research Services, EPRS - Brussels)
- Security threats at EU's borders – **Teodor Moga** (University of Iași, Romania)
- Illiberal tendencies in CEE and Russia's aggression – **Ruxandra Ivan** (University of Bucharest, Romania)
- 15 years of Romania's EU membership and the way forward – **Andrei Țârnea** (Director, Communication and Public Diplomacy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Romania)

Moderator: Dr. **Ramona Coman** (President of the Institute for European Studies at the Université Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium / OpenEUDebate member)

16.30-17.30 Coffee Break – informal networking with all speakers in small groups



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17.30-19.00 Closing Keynote Discussion:

Europe's geopolitical re-awakening - A new role for South East Europe?

- Dr. **Claudia Wiesner** (Jean Monnet Chair and Professor of Political Science at FuldaUniversity of Applied Sciences, Germany)
- Dr. **Miruna Butnaru-Troncotă** (SNSPA, Romania / OpenEUDebate member)
- Dr. **Hatidža Jahić** (University of Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina)

Moderator: Dr. **Taru Haapala** (Universidad Autónoma de Madrid / OpenEUDebate member)

19.00-20.00 Closing Cocktail & Networking (Apollo 111 Bar)



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