



The Separation of Powers

A Global Constitutional Dialogue

Inspired by Prof. Giovanni Bognetti's book: *La Divisione dei Poteri* (Giuffrè, 2001)

English edition: *Dividing Powers. A Theory of the Separation of Powers* (Wolters Kluwer, 2017)

8:00-9:00 - Coffee and Refreshments

9:00-9:15 - Welcoming Remarks

Prof. Nerina Boschiero, Dean of the Faculty of Law, University of Milan

Prof. Lorenza Violini, Head of the Department of National and Supranational Public Law, University of Milan

Prof. Marilisa D'Amico, Coordinator of DIRECT, University of Milan

Prof. Miryam Iacometti, University of Milan

9:15-10:00 - Thematic Introduction

Prof. Vincenzo Zeno-Zencovich, AIDC President, Roma Tre University

Prof. Gabriella Mangione, University of Insubria

Dr. Antonia Baraggia, University of Milan

10:00-11:30 - Roundtable Discussion: The Changing Contours of the Separation of Powers

Chair: Prof. Nicolò Zanon, Judge, Italian Constitutional Court

Prof. Patricia Popelier, University of Antwerp

Prof. Stephen Tierney, University of Edinburgh

Prof. Renata Uitz, Central European University

11:30-12:00 - Break

12:00-13:30 - Concurrent Panels I

Panel I-A: Theoretical Approaches to the Separation of Powers

Panel I-B: Separation of Powers: National Experiences

[See Concurrent Panels]

13:30-14:30 - Lunch

14:30-16:00 - Roundtable Discussion: The Separation of Powers and EU Integration

Chair: Prof. Guerino D'Ignazio, University of Calabria

Prof. Anneli Albi, University of Kent

Prof. Jürgen Bast, Justus Liebig University, Gießen

Prof. Leonard Besselink, University of Amsterdam

16:00-16:30 - Break

16:30-18:00 - Concurrent Panels II

Panel II-A: Separation of Powers and Constitutional Transitions

Panel II-B: Separation of Powers in the EU

[See Concurrent Panels]

Concluding Remarks

Prof. Giuseppe De Vergottini, University of Bologna

Bognetti Prize Award Ceremony

Convened by: Antonia Baraggia, Luca Pietro Vanoni, Richard Albert, Cristina Fasone

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Monday, May 22nd 2017, Sala Napoleonica, via Sant'Antonio 12, Milan



The Separation of Powers – Panel Session

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12.00-13:30

Panel I-A

Theoretical Approaches to the Separation of Powers

Chair: Richard Albert, Boston College

Presentations:

Eoin Carolan, University College Dublin
Revitalising the Social Foundations of the Separation of powers?

Dimitrios Kyritsis, University of Reading
Separation of Power as a Legitimacy Enhancer

Zoltán Pozsár-Szentmiklósy, Eötvös Loránd University
Direct Democracy and the Separation of Power

Steven Schwinn, The John Marshall Law School
Access to Justice and Separation of Powers

Discussant: Andrea Pin, Padua University

Panel I-B

Separation of Powers: National Experiences

Chair: Cristina Fasone, LUISS Guido Carli

Opening Presentation:

Bertrand Mathieu, Université de Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne
The Executive Power under the French 5th Republic

Presentations:

David Kosar Jiří Baroš & Pavel Dufek, Masaryk University
Liquid Separation of Powers and Politics in Central Europe

Stefania Leone, Irene Pellizzone, University of Milan
Transformation of Political Parties and Organs in Charge of
Constitution Protection: The Evolution of the Power
Structure in the Italian System

Nausica Palazzo, Graziella Romeo, Bocconi University
Who Fears the Big Government? Unorthodox Policy-Making
and Separation of Powers under the Obama Administration

Discussant: Francesco Clementi, University of Perugia

16:30-18:00

Panel II-A

Separation of Powers and Constitutional Transitions

Chair: Luca Pietro Vanoni, University of Milan

Presentations:

Francois Venter, Faculty of Law, Potchefstroom
The Separation of Powers in New Constitutions

Oguzhan Keskin, Marmara University
To Separate, or not to Separate, that's the Question: The
Turkish Case

Francesco Biagi, Max Planck Foundation for International
Peace and the Rule of Law
Separation of Powers and Forms of Government in the
MENA Region following the "Arab Spring": A Break with
the Past?

Dante Gatmaytan, University of the Philippines
Unchecked: Demagoguery and the Demise of Separation of
Powers in Philippines

Discussant: Arianna Vendaschi, Bocconi University

Panel II-B

Separation of Powers in the EU

Chair: Alessandra Osti, University of Milan

Presentations:

Diane Fromage, Maastricht University
The Transposition of EU Directives and its Impact on the
Division of Powers within Member States

Ioannis A. Tassopoulos, University of Athens
EU "Strict Conditionality" in the Historical Perspective of
the Separation of Powers

Maria Romaniello, LUISS Guido Carli
The Classical Principle of Separation of Powers Revealed
in the EU Concept of Institutional Balance

Tomasz Tadeusz Koncewicz, University of Gdansk
Unconstitutional Capture and Constitutional Recapture.
The Rule of Law and the Separation of Powers in Flux?

Discussant: Nicola Lupo, LUISS Guido Carli

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