The Separation of Powers
A Global Constitutional Dialogue

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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

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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

Zoltan Pozsar-Szentmiklosy, Eotvos Lorand 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 Jiři Baroš & Pavel Dufek, Masaryk University
Liquid Separation of Powers and Politics in Central Europe

Stefania Leone, Irene Pellizzzone, 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:
François 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 Vedaschi, 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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