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"Europe at a crossroads between old and new nationalisms, between integration and disintegration"

Rome, Thursday, June 11, 2026

Presentation

A rigorous analysis of the past to understand the critical issues of the present.

The initiative aims to refocus on the continent's unity as a pillar of stability in an age of fragmentation.

The meeting is divided into two distinct panels, combining geopolitical debate with historical documentation.

The first panel, entitled "Europe at a Crossroads between Old and New Nationalisms, between Integration and Disintegration," will pragmatically examine the centrifugal forces undermining European cohesion, analysing the risks of a return to a logic of conflict between nation states.

The evening session will feature the presentation of Davide Fini's book: "The Pan-European Union - The Origin of the European Union (1918-1945)." The work documents the genesis of an idea of a United Europe founded on the defense of Western civilization against the totalitarianism of the 20th century.

The goal is to forcefully reaffirm that Europe is, first and foremost, a community of shared destiny and values. We are not talking about a bureaucratic abstraction, but a project born between the two world wars to ensure the survival of Europe's shared culture and roots.

Presenting Davide Fini's work means rediscovering the origins of Paneuropa: a project born for peace when Europe was still wounded by the First World War.

Together with the Friuli Venezia Giulia Region, a borderland and by definition a meeting place, and the Friuli nel Mondo organization, we wish to remind everyone that the only viable path is that of a stronger union, capable of overcoming the pressures of disintegration.

Program

3:00 P.M. - Representative Office of the Autonomous Region of Friuli Venezia Giulia, P.zza Colonna, no 355

Greeting addresses Authorities

Franco Iacop – President of Friuli in the World Organization

Introduction to the Conference

Walburga von Habsburg Douglas – International Paneuropa Movement

Gianna Di Danieli – President of Paneuropa Italia

Chair

prof. M.M. Fracanzani (former Full Professor of administrative law, Councilor Supreme Court of Cassation)

Speakers

prof. Giulio M. Chiodi (former Full Professor of Philosophy of Law and Political Philosophy)

prof. Gianluca Tracuzzi (Full Professor of Philosophy of Law at the Free Mediterranean University of Casamassima (Bari))

pres. G. Paolo Cirillo (President of the Emeritus Section of the Council of State, Professor of Administrative Law)

cons. Filippo Maria Tropiano (Councilor of the Lazio Regional Administrative Court and Deputy Head of the Legislative Office of the Ministry of Agriculture, Food Sovereignty and Forestry)

cons. Stefano Glinianski (Advisor to the Court of Auditors of Lazio and Director of the O.I.V. Farnesina)

Conclusions

Pavo Barisic (President of the International Pan-European Union, former Minister of Science and Education of Croatia)

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19:30 P.M. - Fogolâr Furlan Rome Office, Via Ulisse Aldrovandi n. 16

prof. M.M. Fracanzani: Presentation of the book *The Pan-European Union - The Origin of the European Union (1918-1945)* by Davide Fini

Followed by a convivial meeting