

The European Archipelago of Humanistic Thematic Networks

Third Plenary Conference

"Images of Europe"

Brussels, 1-2 June 2007

PRE-FINAL DRAFT

31 May 2007

Arrival

1 June 2007

**Venue: Flemish Academy of Sciences, Palais des Académies, rue Ducale
Brussels**

9:00: Registration

9:30: Opening Session

Welcome of the Flemish Academy

Prof. Nicea Schamp

Welcome by the European Commission

"Thematic Networks, the Archipelago and LLP: new challenges in the new programme"
Dr Ettore Deodato, European Commission

Announcements by the organisers

Plenary Session: "Images of Europe from In and Beyond Europe"

10:05 "European Culture and Citizenship: a Eurasian perspective"

Acad. Chingiz Aitmatov, Ambassador of the Kyrgyz Republic in Brussels

10:45 Coffee Break

11:10 "Allophilia, Intergroup Leadership, and the European Image"

Prof. Todd Pittinsky, Associate Professor of Public Policy at the Kennedy School of Government and Research Director of Harvard's Center for Public Leadership

11:40 "Another Dream of a Common Language. Imagining Black Europe?"

Prof Dr Gloria Wekker, Chair of Gender and Ethnicity, University of Utrecht, BEST Network

12:00 "Global Citizenship - Contrasting Views"

Prof Dr Christina Slade, Dean of Humanities at Macquarie University, Sydney, Chair of Media Theory

12:20 Panel Discussion: moderator, Maria Sticchi Damiani, Socrates Committee, National Bologna Promoter Italy

13:00 Lunch

15:00 Meeting resumes: "Organisation and objectives of the Archipelago"
Ann Katherine Isaacs (CLIOHnet", Archipelago Coordinator) and the Archipelago
"Small Group" (Martin Prchal [Polifonia], Alistair Ross [CiCe2], Victoria Thoresen, [CCN],
Elena Lamberti [ACUME], Constantin Spiridonidis [ENHSA])

16:00 Coffee Break

16:30 Break-up into Work groups

Work Group 1: European Constitution and Citizenship
Hanneke van Bruggen, Ann Katherine Isaacs

Work Group 2: European Culture, Memory, Creativity
Elena Lamberti, Martin Prchal

Work Group 3: The Thematic Network Contribution to Building a European Virtual
Museum
Anna Maria Landuit, Constantin Spiridonidis

Work Group 4: European Education and Research
Wolfgang Mackiewicz, Guðmundur Hálfðanarson

Work Group 5: The Social Dimension of Citizenship
Victoria Thoresen, Alistair Ross

16:30-17:00 Coffee Break

17:00-18:00 Working Groups resume

20:00 Dinner (in different restaurants: Working Groups will eat together)

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9:30: Meeting resumes: Work Groups continue

11:00: Coffee Break

11:30: Groups prepare reports; comments on Archipelago business

13:00: Lunch

14:30 Plenary Session:

Work Group Reports

Group 1

Group 2

Group 3

Group 4

Group 5

Concluding Round Table:

- Speakers: Todd Pittinsky, Gloria Wekker, Christian Slade;
- Representatives of the European Commission: Ettore Deodato (DG Education and Culture); Pascal Dissard (DG Research);
- Rüdiger Klein (ESF Standing Committee on Humanities),
- Representatives of ESIB; EUA; EURASHE

Organisational and Business matters

17:00: Meeting closes