

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY AND SOCIAL RESEARCH - UNIVERSITY OF MILANO-BICOCCA in cooperation with  
THE UNIVERSITY OF SARAJEVO and THE UNIVERSITY OF EAST SARAJEVO

# RETHINKING THE CULTURE OF TOLERANCE

## THE EUROPEAN INTEGRATION AFTER THE FALL OF THE BERLIN WALL



### DATES

16-22 SEPT 2019



### CREDITS

2+2 ECTS



### TUITION

€ 250,00

INCLUDES ALL COURSES  
ACTIVITIES, VISITS, LECTURES.  
TRAVEL AND OTHER LIVING EXPENSES ARE NOT  
INCLUDED IN THE TUITION FEE



### APPLICATION DEADLINE

10 JUNE, 2019



### LOCATION

SARAJEVO,  
BOSNIA&HERZEGOVINA



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### PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The sixth edition of the Summer School, entitled “The European Integration after the Fall of the Berlin Wall”, will be hosted by the University of Sarajevo. It will mark the conclusion of the second three-year cycle of the School, which is dedicated to the thirtieth anniversary of the revolutionary year 1989.

The 2017 edition tackled the question of “Europe, Borders and Migrations” (University of East Sarajevo), while the 2018 edition was devoted to “Groups, Conflicts and Reconciliation” (University of Milano-Bicocca). The 2019 edition of the Summer School will examine problems and contradictions faced by the evolving European societies, with a focus on the post-communist countries involved in the process of integration and association with the EU over the past three decades. The fall of the Berlin wall has been celebrated as a milestone in the advance of human freedom, but it has also given rise to new concerns and issues regarding institutional and political practices as well as the everyday life of citizens within the frame of an emerging European space.

The remembrance of its legacy is crucially important today: while the ‘Iron Curtain’ has lost both its material and symbolic power, new political, social and economic cleavages and conflicts have emerged across European societies, bringing new challenges to the project of European integration.

The School will discuss European model(s) of democracy and social justice from a transnational perspective, in a post-neoliberal era marked by rampant populism and radicalization, in which we face the spectre of new walls, and new forms of intolerance, discrimination and violence.

## CONTENTS COVERED

- The European integration process and the legacy of the Berlin Wall.
- **Revolutions of 1989**: post-communism and democracy in transition.
- New **social and political conflicts** within the European society.
- Nationalism, **transnationalism**, and cosmopolitanism today.
- Yugoslav wars 1991-2001: **learning from the past**.
- **Europeanization**: a just and effective peace construction process?
- Old and new identities, old and new walls: on **toleration and difference**.
- **New inequalities**: liberal democracy and the failure of social justice.
- **Populism and renationalisation**: the spectre of intolerance, discrimination and violence.
- Toleration as toler-action and the new European political culture.

## PREREQUISITES

The School is open to MA and PhD students, post-docs and researchers, mainly but not exclusively within the field of Social Sciences and Humanities.

## ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation is not included in the tuition fee. The list of accommodation options will be provided to the selected participants in July 2019.

## IN COOPERATION WITH

The Summer School is organized in partnership with the University of Sarajevo and University of East Sarajevo, and in cooperation with the University of Milano, University of Mostar and University of Mostar "Džemal Bijedić".

## HOW TO ENROLL

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## SCHOLARSHIPS

Access to the Summer School will be **free of any fee** for selected students from Bosnia and Herzegovina, Serbia, Montenegro, Macedonia, Kosovo and Albania.

## WEB-SITE

<http://www.summerschoolbicocca.com/19-tolerance.php>



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