

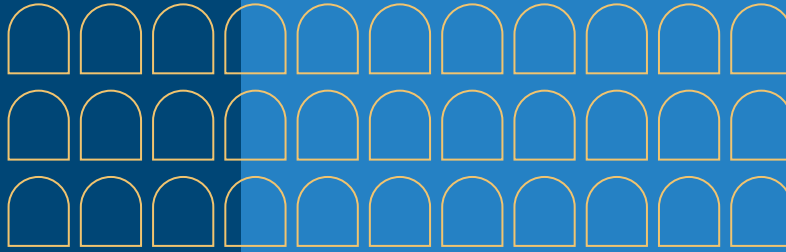
# OPENING DOORS TO THE FUTURE



**The European University Institute (EUI)  
is a transnational hub of interdisciplinary research  
and higher learning dedicated to social sciences  
and the humanities.**

**Founded in 1972 by the original Member States  
of the then European Communities, the EUI  
unites scholars, practitioners and policy-makers  
to study and address the most pressing  
challenges facing the world today.**





Situated in the hills above Florence, Italy, the EUI's beautiful campus offers researchers a stimulating intellectual climate where they can pursue doctoral and postdoctoral research in economics, history, law, and political and social science. In addition, the Institute offers an innovative master's programme in transnational governance, as well as summer schools and a full calendar of executive education opportunities.

The EUI is also home to the Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, which focuses on interdisciplinary policy research, and the School of Transnational Governance (STG), dedicated to training leaders in policy-making beyond the state.

## THE EUI COMMUNITY

The EUI's numbers reflect the diversity, uniqueness and inclusive philosophy of its multicultural academic community. The Institute is greater than the sum of its parts. Its far-reaching and interconnected network is multiplied by a collective purpose: to contribute to the betterment of society through cutting-edge research, shared knowledge, open dialogue and pioneering problem-solving.

# 23

MEMBER STATES

# 900+

SCHOLARS FROM

# 80+

COUNTRIES

# 300+

FACULTY, ACADEMIC  
AND RESEARCH STAFF

# 100+

KEY INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS  
IN RESEARCH, EXCHANGE AND  
EDUCATIONAL INITIATIVES

# RESEARCH AND TRAINING

Rooted in rigorous research and driven by intellectual curiosity, the EUI provides an inspiring environment for doctoral and postdoctoral researchers and senior fellows. Its state-of-the-art facilities include an extensive social sciences research library and the official Historical Archives of the European Union. Interdisciplinary work is strongly encouraged and throughout the academic year the Institute offers a variety of workshops, conferences and skills training sessions.

## RESEARCH-INTENSIVE PHDS

The EUI's fully-funded, four-year doctoral programmes in economics, history, law, and political and social sciences prepare researchers for careers in research and teaching, as well as high-level positions in government, international organisations and the private sector.

### Economics

The EUI's Department of Economics focuses on a wide range of topics in the fields of microeconomics, macroeconomics and econometrics.

In addition to coursework and electives, PhD researchers receive training in public presentation and career building, preparing them for prominent roles at distinguished universities and major institutions worldwide.

### History

The EUI's Department of History focuses on global, comparative and transnational approaches to the history of Europe in the world since 1400.

The Department encourages critical reflection on the research, writing, teaching and dissemination of history across national borders, and empowers researchers to relate and apply historical research to contemporary challenges.

### Political and Social Sciences

At the EUI's Department of Political and Social Sciences, research spans the fields of comparative politics, international relations, sociology, and social and political theory in Europe and beyond.

The Department supports an innovative approach to research projects and doctoral theses, and offers practical workshops focused on data collection and analysis.

### Law

The EUI's Department of Law is committed to the study of law in a comparative and contextual manner, with a special focus on European and international law.

Courses and seminars are interactive and research-oriented, and designed to enhance both academic knowledge and professional skills.

## POSTDOCTORAL AND SENIOR FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMMES

Several well-established fellowship programmes welcome top scholars and practitioners to the EUI's vibrant academic community.

While many are funded by the EU, most are open to applicants from around the world.

### Max Weber Fellowships

Fully-funded one and two-year fellowships for recent international PhD graduates in the social sciences.

### Jean Monnet Fellowships

One-year fellowships at the Robert Schuman Centre for early-career scholars who have obtained their doctorate at least five years prior to the programme start date.

### Marie Skłodowska-Curie Research Fellowships

Awarded by the European Commission to support researchers at all stages of their careers, the EUI is a host institution for this programme.

### Fernand Braudel Senior Fellowships

An opportunity for senior academics to spend up to ten months in one of the EUI's academic departments.

### STG Policy Leader Fellowships

Five or ten-month fellowships for early and mid-career policy professionals from around the world.

### STG Young African Leadership Fellowships

An opportunity aimed at mid-career professionals from African countries funded by the European Union.



# REAL-WORLD ENGAGEMENT

Solving today's global challenges will not happen overnight, or singlehandedly. Impactful and lasting change requires international collaboration and innovative leadership. The EUI reaches across borders to recruit top academic talent, create enduring research networks, and secure the participation of world-renowned experts.

The Institute's programmes ensure researchers of all disciplines and degrees acquire hands-on skills, international exposure and real-world insight into critical issues facing today's society.



## EXECUTIVE EDUCATION

The EUI's executive education courses equip professionals from policy, diplomacy, NGOs, media and the private sector with the tools essential to tackling cross-border issues. Executives gain fresh insight into their respective fields, hone key skills and broaden their professional networks, enhancing their leadership performance and impact.

Prominent international experts, with extensive academic and political experience, teach the seminars, focusing on topics such as artificial intelligence, banking and finance, energy, gender, migration, peace and security, and trade.

## TRAINING CURRENT AND FUTURE POLICYMAKERS

The EUI's School of Transnational Governance trains current and future leaders in the methods, skills and theory of global governance, supporting them in developing policy-

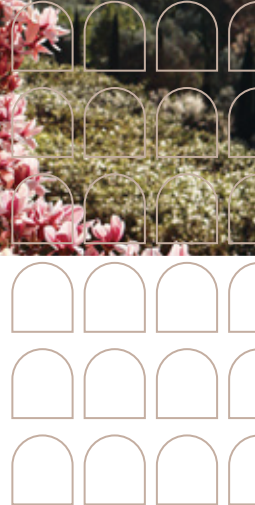
making strategies that transcend national borders. The School offers executive training seminars and policy leader fellowships as well as a two-year Master in Transnational Governance.

## POLICY RELEVANT RESEARCH

The Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies creates connections across social science disciplines and acts as a bridge between academia and the world of practice. Established in 1993 to complement the EUI's four academic departments, it carries out both basic and

policy-oriented research and collaborates with other centres of excellence around the world. The Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies is home to several major research programmes including: the Global Governance Programme, the European Governance and

Politics Programme, the Migration Policy Centre, the Florence School of Regulation, the Middle East Directions Programme, the Florence School of Banking and Finance and the Centre for Judicial Cooperation.





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