

## **CALL FOR PAPERS**

**By the Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence of the University of Pécs**

As part of its "Borderless Europe" programme, the centre intends to publish an E-book during the Spring of 2014.

The publication will serve two purposes: 1. to offer colleagues, researchers, PhD students the opportunity to publish articles which then will be provided with wide and free access with the help of the Internet; 2. to support teaching activities in the fields of EU studies, integration and international studies. The book will contain two major collections: one devoted to scholarly papers, academic articles, the other one to documents. It will be published on DVD, which will be distributed to fellow centres, libraries, EU institutions, university departments, and NGOs.

The academically reviewed book under the working title "Challenges of the European Union" will be edited by Ágnes Tuka, Andrea Schmidt and István Tarrósy.

With this call the editors invite papers – after carefully and thoroughly following and meeting the Guidelines for authors, having been submitted to a spell check and prepared in proper English – in the following topics:

1. The European Union in the world: difficulties and challenges in the light of the global crisis
  - 1.1 The EU as global actor
  - 1.2 The successes and failures of neighbourhood policy: causes and solutions
  - 1.3 New member states - Croatia, relations with old-new members



2. Integration scenarios: from where to where?

2.1 Questions of economic governance

2.2 Evaluating institutional "developments" since the Treaty of Lisbon

2.3 Possibilities of serving the national interests of member states

2.4 "New" financial/budgetary priorities

2.5 About the place and assessment of policies (CAP, climate, social, labour, migration)

3. European culture = European identity, European citizens

3.1 Is the 21st century the era of the total failure of European identity?

3.2 The European Capital of Culture project and other pan-European initiatives

3.3 Cooperation in education, research and the competitiveness of the EU in these sectors

4. 2004-2014: the place, role and opportunities of new member states - assessment of 10 years

All papers must keep to the advertised deadline for submission: 2 December 2013 (Friday).

Papers are to be sent to: [jean.monnet.pecs@gmail.com](mailto:jean.monnet.pecs@gmail.com)

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## CHALLENGES OF THE EUROPEAN UNION E-book by the Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence of Pécs

### Guidelines for submission of papers

#### General requirements

All papers must be submitted in English.

All papers must keep to the advertised deadline for submission, 2 December 2013.

Files are requested to be saved in *doc* format.

Prior to submission, all papers must

- have been submitted to a spell check
- have been examined by an English specialist (preferably a native speaker) who also speaks the language of the author. Papers that fail to meet a level of comprehension by the editorial board due to *poor English* will be returned for rewriting or, in severe cases, rejected.

Papers should be minimum 22,000-25,000 characters in length (approx. 10 A/4 pages), maximum 35,000 characters.

Papers should be given 1.5 spacing, Times New Roman 12.

Paragraphs should be properly indented.

Authors should state whether they are using British or American (or other!) English, and they consequently need to stick to the chosen variant (British English is preferred).

Authors will receive electronic versions of their edited papers to provide them with the opportunity to make final comments. Here deadlines may be tight, and it is important that the author should react quickly, or else editorial and language changes will be taken as accepted.

#### Specific requirements

Sources (references) should be properly cited in the text and a bibliography at the end of the paper. Endnotes can also be added, however, they should be marked clearly in the text at a point of punctuation, and listed consecutively at the end of the paper. They should *not* be listed at the bottom of each relevant page. The use of notes in general should be kept to a minimum.

#### Citation

References should be cited in the text as follows: (Fischer et al., 1996) or (Kissinger, 1990) or (Kegley and Wittkopf, 1995: 23). See some examples:

1.) If one examines the Brundtland Report (World Commission on Environment and Sustainable Development, 1987) or the Rio Declaration of 1992, to name just two major examples, the sustainable development approach represents a global response to problems or challenges that are themselves of a global nature (ecological, economic or social).

2.) Thus, the Brundtland Report states that “sustainable development should be seen as a global objective” (World Commission on Environment and Development, 1987: 40).

→ this latter one indicates page no. 40 from where the citation was taken

3.) This is the notion of “territorial sacrifices” considered by Nijkamp in different contributions (Nijkamp et al., 1991: 160; 1992: 41).



## Bibliography

Examples:

1.) Jackson, C. (2001). A model of spatial patterns across retail property markets in Great Britain. *Urban Studies* **38**, 1445-1471.

→ here: - the name of the journal should be in italics  
- the issue of the journal should be bolded  
- the pages of the article/study referred should be given after a comma, then, closed with a full stop.

2.) Pack, J. R. (2002). *Growth and Convergence in Metropolitan America*. Brookings Institution Press, Washington DC.

→ here: - the title of the book should be in italics  
- publishing house/publisher first, city/settlement of publishing second

3.) Stiffler, B. and Watson, V. (Eds). *Dialogues in Urban & Regional Planning*. Routledge, London.

→ if the volume has an editor (or more)

4.) Glover, D. (1994). Global Institutions, International Agreements, and Environmental Issues. In: Stubbs, R. and Underhill, G. R. D. (Eds). *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*. Macmillan, Houndmills, Basingstoke, 277-288.

→ if a chapter is referred to from a book

5.) If you quote from an **Internet source**, you are required to additionally provide (after the name, title, etc.) the full address of the site and the date of download in brackets.

**Tables** should be prepared on separate sheets; they should not be embedded within the text. Each table should have an appropriate caption.

All materials from other sources which may infringe copyright laws must have copyright clearance from that source before being included in papers for the proceedings volume.

Contributions not conforming to style will be returned by the Editors.

Contributions will only be considered on the understanding that they are not under review for another publication at the same time.

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: 2 December 2013**

