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*europa  
of ideas*

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*“Being together while maintaining differences. Being European does not mean that differences are eradicated: rather, it means that only a wider space - the European space - allows such differences to create a social and cultural heritage available to all. Thus, we must look to the future with confidence.”*

***Renzo Imbeni MEP***  
*Lisbon, March 2000*

# *europa of ideas*



*Renzo Imbeni, Mayor of Bologna from 1983 to 1993 and Vice-president of the European Parliament from 1994 to 2004, was a thoughtful and active interlocutor within the organisation of awareness campaigns dealing with European Union issues addressing young people and schools in Modena.*

*Every time he took the floor he stressed the importance of involving the citizens and civil society in the integration process of the European Union to bridge the democracy gap exacerbating the citizens' indifference and scepticism, as well as the importance of the concept of European citizenship, not to be considered as something weakening one's own local, regional and national identity, but as a new opportunity to enrich one's social, religious and individual culture.*

*The City of Modena, his birthplace, wishes to pay tribute to his memory by giving young students who are about to complete or have just completed their University curricula the opportunity to gain insight into the European Union and its democratic consolidation process, by establishing the Renzo Imbeni Summer School.*

*The course was developed in collaboration with the University of Modena and Reggio Emilia and sees the involvement of the Centre for Research and Documentation on the European Union, the "Marco Biagi" Faculty of Economics, the Faculty of Law and Faculty of Literature and Philosophy and of the Europe Direct centre in Modena.*

*Thanks to several contributions, its aim is to provide an overview of the current state of integration in the various sectors which involve the European Union, from both a political and legal-institutional point of view. The participants will have the opportunity to meet high-profile members of the academia as well as important political and institutional representatives.*

*At the end of the course, which will last one week, the three best works produced by the students shall receive a grant to be used for a traineeship period in Brussels.*

*Trainees will be hosted at the Committee for Regions, at the European Parliament and at the Liaison Office to the EU of the Region of Emilia-Romagna in Brussels.*

*We wholeheartedly thank all those who support us and helped us develop this project.*

*Prof. Giorgio Pighi*  
Mayor of the City of Modena

## *Second edition 2010*

### *The changes to make: the European Union and global challenges*

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**Monday, 27th September 2010**

## *Summer School Opening Ceremony in memory of Renzo Imbeni*

**9.30 - 12.30 am**

Teatro della Fondazione Collegio San Carlo · Via San Carlo, 5 - Modena

### *Opening addresses*

**Roberto Franchini**, President of the Fondazione Collegio San Carlo

**Aldo Tomasi**, Chancellor of the University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

**Claudio Baraldi**, Dean of Faculty of Literature and Philosophy

**Eugenio Capercione**, Dean of "Marco Biagi" Faculty of Economics

**Renzo Lambertini**, Dean of Faculty of Law

**Rita Medici Imbeni**

**Giorgio Pighi**, Mayor of Modena

### *Opening of the Summer School*

**Marco Gestri**, Scientific Director of the Summer School Renzo Imbeni

### *Welcome speeches of the partner institutions*

**Matteo Richetti**, President of Assemblea Legislativa della Regione Emilia-Romagna

**Andrea Landi**, President of Fondazione Cassa di Risparmio di Modena

**Francesca Ratti**, Deputy Secretary-General of the European Parliament

**Sonia Masini**, First vice-chairwoman of the Civex Commission at the Committee of the Regions of the EU

**11.00 am** Coffee Break

**11.30 am**

### *Commemorative speech*

**Gianni Pittella**, Vice-president of the European Parliament

## *New International Scenarios*

**3.00 - 5.30 pm**

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### *The European Union - Finding its self expression between Globalisation and Nationalism*

**Patrick Cox**, President of the European Movement International, Former President of the European Parliament

### *Security issues*

**Stefano Silvestri**, President of the Istituto Affari Internazionali

### *The EU in the world - looking ahead*

**Antonio Missiroli**, European Commission, Head of section European Dialogue, Bureau of European Policy Advisers (BEPA)

### *Chair:*

**Marco Gestri**, Scientific Director of the Summer School Renzo Imbeni

**Tuesday, 28th September 2010**

## *Culture and Social Cohesion*

**9.30 - 12.30 am**

Sala del Consiglio Comunale · Piazza Grande, 16 - Modena

### *The role of cities and territories in the governance of migration*

**Giorgio Pighi**, Mayor of the City of Modena

### *Illegal immigration and repatriation: safeguard of fundamental rights still possible?*

**Ann-Charlotte Nygard**, Senior Programme Manager at Vienna International Center for Migration Policy Development

### *Cultural Identity and Citizenship within the European political area*

**Carlo Galli**, University of Bologna

Chair:

**Mariangela Bastico**, Summer School Renzo Imbeni Scientific Committee

**3.00 - 5.30 pm**

Università di Modena e Reggio Emilia · Aula Magna del Comparto San Geminiano  
via San Geminiano 3 - Modena

### *European democracy and the Lisbon Treaty*

**Enrique Barón Crespo**, European Foundation for Information Society, Former President of the European Parliament

### *Lisbon Treaty: employment protection and competition rules*

**Donata Gottardi**, University of Verona

### *Human rights, development cooperation and social cohesion*

**Giuseppe Giliberti**, University of Urbino

### *Gender Discrimination: theories, empirical evidence and policies*

**Tindara Addabbo**, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Chair:

**Rita Medici Imbeni**, President of the Summer School Renzo Imbeni Scientific Committee

**Wednesday, 29th September 2010**

## *Climate Change and energy problems: a global approach*

**9.30 - 12.30 am**

Sala del Consiglio Comunale · Piazza Grande, 16 - Modena

### *What role for the European Union on the way to Cancún?*

**Jo Leinen**, Member of the European Parliament - Chair of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety

### *The right to know: information disclosure as an instrument of environmental governance*

**Peter H. Sand**, University of Munich

### *A green revolution to re-launch growth in Europe*

**Carlo Corazza**, Head of the European Commission Representation in Milan

Chair:

**Monica Frassoni**, President of the European Green Party

**3.00 - 5.30 pm**

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### *Resource scarcity and climate changes: challenges for the near future*

**Paolo De Castro**, Member of the European Parliament - Chair of the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

### *The run of the green economy*

**Gianni Silvestrini**, Scientific Director of Kyoto Club

### *A green revolution for Europe*

**Monica Frassoni**, President of the European Green Party

### *Fighting climate change: the role of local authorities*

**Marcello Antinucci**, Director of the Agency for Energy and Sustainable Development of Modena

Chair:

**Simona Arletti**, Town Councillor for Environment and European Affairs, Modena

**Thursday, 30th September 2010**

**Friday, 1st October 2010**

## *The person at the center of the process of integration*

**9.30 - 12.30 am**

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### *The person at the center of the process of integration*

**Martin Schulz**, Chair of the Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

### *The area of freedom, security and justice after Lisbon*

**Bruno Nascimbene**, University of Milano

### *Citizenship and rights in the European Union*

**Lucia Serena Rossi**, University of Bologna

Chair:

**Pasqualina Napoletano**, former Member of the European Parliament

**3.00 - 5.30 pm**

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### *European Union accession to the European Convention on Human Rights*

**Pasquale De Sena**, University Federico II, Napoli

### *Is the European socio-economic model collapsing?*

*From the Lisbon strategy to EU2020*

**Mario Teló**, Université Libre de Bruxelles

### *The right to health: between free choice of patients and defence of national social security systems*

**Chiara Cattabriga**, European Commission Legal Service

### *Co-operation in criminal matters and human rights protection after the Lisbon Treaty*

**Luigi Foffani**, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Chair:

**Luciano Vecchi**, Summer School Renzo Imbeni Scientific Committee

## *Governing Economic Processes*

**9.30 - 12.30 am**

Teatro della Fondazione Collegio San Carlo · Via San Carlo, 5 - Modena

### *New strategy to re-launch the Single Market*

**Mario Monti**, President of Bocconi University, former EC Commissioner

### *Towards a European financial supervision*

**Sylvie Goulard**, Member of the European Parliament

### *Promotion of business and consumer protection: a win-win situation*

**Anna Maria Corazza-Bildt**, Member of the European Parliament

### *A reformed Development Policy for European Union*

**Fabrizio Barca**, Director General in Italy's Ministry of Finance and Economy

Chair:

**Gianfranco Dell'Alba**, Director of the Delegation of the General Confederation of Italian Industry (Confindustria) in Brussels

**3.00 - 5.30 pm**

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### *A plan to re-launch the European economy*

**Alberto Majocchi**, University of Pavia, ISAE President

### *A new global governance architecture for the world economy*

**Fabrizio Pagani**, Special Political Councillor to the Secretary General and Special Legal Councillor - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

### *The Commons we eat*

**Cinzia Scaffidi**, Director of the Slow Food Study Center

Chair:

**Pier Virgilio Dastoli**, Summer School Renzo Imbeni Scientific Committee

**Saturday, 2nd October 2010**

## Re-launching the European Union as a global political actor

**9.30 - 12.30 am**

Sala del Consiglio Comunale · Piazza Grande, 16 - Modena

### *Developments in disarmament and non-proliferation: the role of the EU*

**Filippo Formica**, Deputy Director-General, Directorate General for Multilateral Political Cooperation and Human Rights, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

### *Re-launching the European Union as a global political actor*

**Mario Mauro**, Member of the European Parliament

### *New institutional framework for the EU's Common foreign and security policy*

**Antonio Tanca**, Head of Co-decision Unit, Council of the European Union

### *The European Union and the maintainance of international peace*

**Yolanda Gamarra**, University of Zaragoza

Chair:

**Alejo Vidal-Quadras**, Vice-president of the European Parliament

## *Final event of the Renzo Imbeni Summer school - 2nd edition*

**4.30 - 7.00 pm**

Sala del Consiglio Comunale · Piazza Grande, 16 - Modena

### *Farewell speeches by the authorities*

#### *Lecture by*

**Arrigo Levi**, Personal Adviser of the President of the Republic of Italy, journalist and writer

### *Awarding of diplomas*



## Renzo Imbeni

Renzo Imbeni was born in Modena on 12th October 1944 and died in Bologna on 22nd February 2005. After having obtained his secondary education diploma from the “Jacopo Barozzi” Accounting Institute in Modena, he enrolled in the Faculty of Business Economics at the University of Bologna.

His most important political tasks included: National secretary of the Young Communist Federation from 1972 to 1975 and Secretary of the Italian Communist Party in Bologna from 1976 to 1983. He participated in the foundation of the Democratic Party of the Left and was a member of the National Directorate of the Democrats of the Left until his death.

He was elected to the Bologna City Council for the first time in 1980 and was Mayor of the City of Bologna from 1983 to 1993.

From May 1991 to February 1993, in his capacity of Mayor, he chaired the Commission of European Cities. In 1989 he was elected European MP.

After his first term (1989-1994) he was Member responsible for the Commission on Civil Liberties.

He was Chairman of the European Parliament delegation on relations to the Knesset (Israeli Parliament) from 1989 to 1991. He was also the author of a report on European citizenship.

During his second term (1994-1999) he was elected Vice-president of the European Parliament, a position he maintained constantly until July 2004.

During that decade his most important tasks included: co-Chairman of the EP delegation before the COSAC (Conference of European Affairs Committee); co-Chairman on behalf of the EP of the Conciliation Committee for the Council; in addition, during his third term (1999-2004) he was charged with Multi-lateral Inter-parliamentary Relations and he was responsible of the WTO parliamentary aspects and the Euro-Mediterranean Parliamentary Forum.

On April the 1st 2009, the meeting room of the Conciliation Committee in the European Parliament was dedicated to Renzo Imbeni, to honour his memory and pay tribute to his commitment to democracy and European integration and to his role in the co-decision process.

The Conciliation Committee meeting room is located in the Spinelli Building in Brussels.

## Scientific and didactic co-ordination

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