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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

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Renzo Imbeni, Mayor of Bologna from 1983 to 1993 and Vice-president of the European Parliament from 1994 to 2004, spoke thoughtfully on issues relating to the European Union and his contribution to communicating their relevance to young people and the world of education was indispensable.

When he took the floor he always stressed the importance of involving citizens and civil society in the process of integration of the European Union in order to reduce the gap of democracy which induces a sense of non-belonging and disinterest among the citizens.

He gave credence to the concept of European Citizenship, not to undermine local, regional and national identity, but to embrace a renewed and enriched social, religious and individual culture.

The City of Modena, his birthplace, wishes to pay tribute to his memory by giving young graduates who have just completed their University education the opportunity to undertake further study into the European Union and its process of democratic consolidation.

Thanks to the many speakers, its aim is to provide an overview of the current state of integration within the fields which involve the European Union, from both a political and a legal-institutional point of view. The participants will be able to meet high-profile members of the Academia as well as important political and institutional representatives.

The course was developed together with the University of Modena and Reggio Emilia and the Collegio San Carlo Foundation of Modena, with the support of the Cassa di Risparmio Foundation of Modena and the collaboration of the European Movement Italy. It sees the involvement of the Centre for Research and Documentation on the European Union, of the Departments of Economics "Marco Biagi", of Law and of Literature and Philosophy and of the Europe Direct information centre in the City of Modena.

At the end of this one-week course, two 4-month apprenticeships with the European Parliament in Brussels will be awarded to the participants who successfully pass the evaluation and exam during the Summer School.

The Summer School Renzo Imbeni was granted the High Patronage of the President of the Republic of Italy Giorgio Napolitano as well as the patronage of the European Parliament, the Legislative Assembly of the Emilia-Romagna, the Emilia-Romagna Region, the European Commission Representation in Italy and the Committee of the Regions of the European Union.

We owe our deep gratitude to all those who support us and have helped us develop this project.

Prof. Giorgio Pighi
Mayor of the City of Modena

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Opening Ceremony

9.30am - 1pm

Theatre of the Collegio San Carlo Foundation · Via San Carlo, 5 - Modena

Opening addresses

Roberto Franchini, President of the Collegio San Carlo Foundation

Andrea Landi, President of the Cassa di Risparmio di Modena Foundation

Aldo Tomasi, Rector of the University of Modena e Reggio Emilia

Giorgio Pighi, Mayor of the City of Modena

Speeches of the partner institutions

Pier-Virgilio Dastoli, President of the European Movement Italy

Emilio Dalmonte, European Commission Representation in Italy

Sonia Masini, Committee of the Regions of the European Union

Luciano Vecchi, Legislative Assembly of the Emilia-Romagna Region

Coffee break

11:00 am

Course presentation

Rita Medici Imbeni, President of the Renzo Imbeni Foundation

Marco Gestri, Scientific Director of the Summer School Renzo Imbeni

Opening Speech

Martin Schulz, President of the European Parliament

Economic and financial governance

3.30pm - 6pm

Theatre of the Collegio San Carlo Foundation · Via San Carlo, 5 - Modena

An authentic European response to the economic and financial crisis

Gianni Pittella, Vice-president of the European Parliament

The European Central Bank and the Euro crisis

Lucrezia Reichlin, London Business School

Problems and perspectives of the European fiscal union

Maria Cecilia Fregni, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Chair

Andrea Landi, President of the Cassa di Risparmio di Modena Foundation

Tuesday 4th September 2012

Growth and development policies

9.30am - 1pm

Town Council Hall · Piazza Grande, 16 - Modena

The financial crisis and the euro storm

Marco Onado, University Bocconi, Milan

Cooperate to grow. Social protagonism as a key to a new quality growth

Giuliano Poletti, President of Legacoop

Politics and economics: relationship models

Carlo Galli, University of Bologna

Chair

Sergio Paba, Vice-Rector of the University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

The Mediterranean area, a new challenge for Europe

3pm - 6pm

Town Council Hall · Piazza Grande, 16 - Modena

Arab Spring: was it worth it?

Pier Antonio Panzeri, Member of the European Parliament - Chair of the Delegation for relations with Maghreb countries and the Arab Maghreb Union

Perspectives of the Arab spring vis-à-vis the European economic crisis

Rocco Cangelosi, Vice-President of the European Movement Italy

Revolution and democracy in the Arab world: the Tunisian case

Hamadi Redissi, University of Tunisi

Chair

Pasqualina Napoletano, Former Member of the European Parliament (1989-2009)

Wednesday 5th September 2012

In search of a European identity

9.30am - 1pm

Department of Law · via San Geminiano, 3 - Modena

Tackling Europe's participation deficit

Julian Priestley, Former European Parliament Secretary-General (1997 - 2007) - President of the European Public Policy Advisers (EPPA)

Does a European identity exist?

Antonio Padoa-Schioppa, University of Milan

Democratic and identity deficit in the EU

Lucia Serena Rossi, University of Bologna

Chair

Luigi Foffani, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

The external relations of the European Union

3pm - 6pm

Town Council Hall · Piazza Grande, 16 - Modena

Pierre Vimont, Executive Secretary-General of the European External Action Service (EEAS)

Carlos Carnero, Director of the Fundación Alternativas, Former Member of the European Parliament (1994-2009) and Ambassador in special mission for Spain's European Integrator

Federiga Bindi, Director of the Italian Institute of Culture in Brussels

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Luciano Vecchi, Scientific Committee Summer School Renzo Imbeni

Thursday 6th September 2012

Energy and environmental policies for the economic recovery

9.30am - 1pm

Town Council Hall · Piazza Grande, 16 - Modena

*Renewable sources and Energy efficiency:
a leading role in the European energy market*

Giulio Volpi, European Commission, Directorate General for Energy

The anti-cyclical role of the sustainability policies

Marzio Galeotti, University of Milan

Out of the crisis with a green new deal

Monica Frassoni, Co-chairperson of the European Green Party

*Protection from climate change and impact on local economy:
ideas and experiences from München*

Joachim Lorenz, City of München, President of Climate Alliance

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Simona Arletti, Town Councillor for Environment, City of Modena

Regional policies and social cohesion

3pm - 6pm

Town Council Hall · Piazza Grande, 16 - Modena

The CAP reform: which future after 2013

Paolo De Castro, Member of the European Parliament

The reformed CAP: or the waiver to an active policy

Luigi Costato, University of Ferrara

The cohesion policy and the new challenges of Europe 2020

Paola Bertolini, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Supporting the social policies

Donata Gottardi, Università di Verona

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Mariangela Bastico, Summer School Renzo Imbeni Scientific Committee

Friday 7th September 2012

The European Union and the management of migration flows

9.30am - 1pm

Town Council Hall · Piazza Grande, 16 - Modena

European Union: mobility and migration

Stefano Manservigi, European Commission, Director General for Home Affairs

The migration policy of the EU after the Lisbon Treaty

Adelina Adinolfi, University of Florence

The principle of solidarity between Member States in the management of immigration

Marco Gestri, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

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Giorgio Pighi, Mayor of Modena

Democracy, rights and European institutions

3pm - 6pm

Town Council Hall · Piazza Grande, 16 - Modena

A democratic decalogue for the European crisis

Enrique Barón-Crespo, former European Parliament President

Representative democracy and participatory democracy in the perspective of the political union

Pier-Virgilio Dastoli, President of European Movement Italy

The reform perspectives of the European human rights protection system

Andrea Saccucci, Second University of Naples

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Patrizio Bianchi, Councillor of the Emilia-Romagna Region

Saturday 8th September 2012

Closing ceremony

Theatre of the Collegio San Carlo Foundation · Via San Carlo, 5 - Modena

9am - 1pm

Final test for the students

3.45pm

Closing ceremony

Awarding of diplomas

5pm

Final concert presented by the
Corale Gioacchino Rossini of Modena



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 appointments 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 posts 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 headed the Multilateral 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.

The RENZO IMBENI Foundation was established in 2011 with a mission to promoting “Europe and its rights” and to bringing the citizens of the Emilia-Romagna region closer to their European institutions. On the 31 January 2012 the Foundation obtained recognition as a legal entity and is currently completing its constituent phase.

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