



Facing Democracy's New Risks: How to invest in resilience

Onsite / Online seminar
February, March, and April 2023
Coordinated by Fernando Vallespín

This seminar is part of the “**Democracy and tolerance**” line of work that the ILE is developing in collaboration with the Residencia de Estudiantes, and as such continues the 2021 seminar “Liberal democracy/digital democracy. Democracy and its current transformations”, and “The culture of freedom and its threats”, held in 2022.

While in the past the discussion focused on the internal dimension of democracy, the growth of populism, and non-liberal political action patterns, we will now consider those factors that test our capacity for resilience as free societies, which a war in our continent, global inequality, and the challenges of climate change have only accentuated.

The seminar seeks to assess how supranational cooperation among strong democracies is the best way to safeguard democracy and face crises.

FEBRUARY

20 19:00 h (CET)
Fernando Vallespín
Catedrático de Ciencia Política en la Universidad Autónoma de Madrid
Between present and future: the new risks that democracy faces

27 19:00 h (CET)
Luigi Ferrajoli
Professore emerito di Filosofia del diritto presso l'Università degli Studi Roma Tre
Santiago Muñoz Machado
Catedrático de Derecho Administrativo de la Universidad Complutense de Madrid y director de la Real Academia Española
Planet Earth's Constitution

MARCH

6 19:00 h (CET)
Javier Solana
Presidente del Centro de Economía Global y Geopolítica de ESADE
EU and defence policies: NATO-EU compatibility

13 19:00 h (CET)
Fernando Valladares
Director del grupo de Ecología y Cambio Global del Museo Nacional de Ciencias Naturales
Agnès Delage Amat
Professeur d'histoire contemporaine à l'Université d'Aix-Marseille
The challenges of climate change

29 19:00 h (CET)
Mary Beard
Professor of Classics at the University of Cambridge
Antonio Muñoz Molina
Escritor
What can we learn from the past to face the challenges of the future?

APRIL

10 19:00 h (CET)
Saskia Sassen
Professor of Sociology at Columbia University
What globalization is awaiting us?
Videoconference

17 19:00 h (CET)
Pablo Martín-Aceña
Catedrático de Historia e Instituciones económicas de la Universidad de Alcalá
Paloma de la Nuez
Profesora de Historia de las Ideas Políticas de la Universidad Rey Juan Carlos
Freedom and/or solidarity. The challenges of the new inequality

24 19:00 h (CET)
Heinz Bude
Professor für Makrosoziologie an der Universität Kassel
Die Paradoxien globaler Ungleichheit (The paradoxes of global inequality)



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