

# Important Programme Updates as of 29 May 2026

1 June

## ① 14:30-15:30 Panel 2-D

✗	<b>Panel 2-D @ Room D</b>	<b>EU's External Action in a Multipolar World</b> Chair: Haba, Kumiko
	Chang, Chen-Yu	Pursuing Strategic Autonomy of the EU and its Limitations: A Case of France
	Ma, Zhe	Centralisation, Visibility, and Flagship Action: Tracing the Evolution of EU External Action from Lisbon to the von der Leyen Commission



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	Nakajima-Wickham, Elissa <sup>↵</sup>	The Death of the Brussels Effect in the Digital Economy? Entering an Era of Weaponized Interdependence in EU-US Relations <sup>↵</sup>

## ② 17:15-18:15 Panel 4-B

✗	<b>Panel 4-B @ Room B</b>	<b>EU's Cultural Diplomacy</b> Chair: Enverga III, Manuel
	Yasuda, Chinatsu	How Does the EU Support Ukraine Culturally? EU Cultural Policy as a Tool of Crisis Response
	Sikorska, Iryna	Beyond Traditional Diplomacy: The EU Instruments for Intercultural Dialogue and International Relations in a Time of Crisis, and the Expanding Role of Universities



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	Reali, Mishel <sup>↵</sup>	The Political Economy of EU-Japan Space Cooperation <sup>↵</sup>

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## ③ 9:30-10:30 Panel 5-D

✗	<b>Panel 5-D @ Room D</b>	<b>EU-Japan Relations</b> Chair: Hirotaka Watanabe
	Reali, Mishel	The Political Economy of EU-Japan Space Cooperation
	Pang, Bing	Institutional Space and Corridors: Rethinking EU-Japan Technology Governance and Industrial Cooperation



Panel 5-D is cancelled.

④ 14:30-15:30 Panel 8-C

✗	<b>Panel 8-C @ Room C</b>	<b>The Future of the EU-Japan Relationship</b> Chair: Tsuruoka, Michito
	Chiba, Chihiro E.	Money, Sovereignty, and the Lender of Last Resort: Japan-EU Cooperation for Democratic Market Order
	Ponjaert, Frederik	From Flying Butress to Lifebouy: JEEPA in Times of Receding Multilateralism and Mounting Geopolitical Competition



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⑤ 14:30-15:30 Panel 8-D

✗	<b>Panel 8-D @ Room D</b>	<b>EU and Central Asia</b> Chair: Ueda, Junko
	Nurgaliyeva, Lyailya	The EU-Kazakhstan Strategic Partnership: Focus on Kazakhstan-Germany Economic Cooperation
	Purevdorj, Munkhselenge	The Dispute Settlement Institutes in the Mining Sector of Mongolia from European Countries Perspectives: International Investment Agreement Clause Issues Regarding the Rights of the Host State and Investors



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⑥ 16:00-17:00 Panel 9-C

✗	<b>Panel 9-C @ Room C</b>	<b>EU-Asia Relations</b> Chair: Cheeppensook, Kasira
	Paramitaningrum, Paramitaningrum	The Role Sustainable Gastronomy in the EU-ASEAN Partnership: The Preliminary Research
	Yeh, Hung-Lin	EU-Taiwan Relations under Trump's Second Term: An International Relations Perspective on the Shift from Strategic Autonomy to Multilateralism
	Kuroda, Tomoya	EU-Asia Pacific Relations at Dawn: The Making of ASEM and the Role of Japan in Europe-Asia Relations



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Please note that the programme and speakers are subject to change.

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