

The Jean Monnet Project 'Illinois-Leuven Conversations on Transatlanticism and Europe', organized by the University of Leuven and University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign kindly invites you to

ROUNDTABLE

The Transatlantic Community Between Contestation and Cooperation *Retrench, Recalibrate or Recommit?*

Welcoming Words

Prof. **Patrick Pasture**, Director 'Master of European Studies: Transnational and Global Perspectives', KU Leuven

Part 1: 16:00-17:20

Contestation, Cooperation and Global Threats in the Transatlantic Security Community

Chair:

Prof. **Kolja Raube**, Coordinator 'Master of European Studies: Transnational and Global Perspectives' and Leuven International and European Studies, KU Leuven

Speakers:

Mr **Richard Tibbels**, Head of Division 'United States and Canada Division', MD 'Americas', European External Action Service

Mr **Alexandros Papaioannou**, Political Affairs and Security Policy Division, NATO

Prof. **Michael Smith**, University of Warwick and Guest Professor KU Leuven

Prof. **Simon Duke**, European Institute for Public Administration, Maastricht

Part 2: 17:20-18:30

Transatlantic Competition, Cooperation and Contestation in the Area of Trade and Sustainability

Chair:

Dr. **Neil Vander Most** Visiting Coordinator of Academic Programs, European Union Center, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Speakers:

Mr **Jan Vandenberghe**, Senior coordinator for EU-US relations, DG Trade, European Commission

Prof. **Katja Biedenkopf**, Leuven International and European Studies, KU Leuven

Prof. **Jan Wouters**, Director, Leuven Centre for Global Governance Studies, KU Leuven

Reception from 18:30 onwards

Date & Time

Monday, 19 March

16:00-18:30

Venue

Huis Bethlehem

Aula Wolfspoot
(BETH 00.08)

Schapestraat 34,
3000 Leuven

Registration

Participation is free.

However, due to a limited number of seats, registration is necessary by sending an email to registrations@kuleuven.be until 15 March 2018