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Regional Integration and Cooperation – The EU and East Asia in 2016

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End	Friday, 12 August 2016
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PROGRAMME

Tuesday, 2 August 2016	
18:45	Arrival in Frankfurt (LH 717)
20:00	Bus transfer to Otzenhausen
22:00	Arrival in Otzenhausen and Check-In
22:15	Dinner snack
Wednesday, 3 August 2016	
from 08:00	Breakfast
09:00	Welcome address, introduction to the programme Getting to know each other Getting familiar with the European Academy Sebastian Zeitzmann, LL.M., EAO / Saarland University Welcome address by Klaus-Peter Beck, President of the ASKO-EUROPA STIFTUNG
10:00 - 12:30 <i>coffee break from 11:00 - 11:15</i>	Lecture and discussion: Why European Integration? Motives, Interests and Major Steps towards European Integration Dr. Elisabeth Schmitt, EAO
12:45	Lunch
14:00 - 17:30 <i>coffee break from 15:30 - 16:00</i>	Lecture and workshop: Backbone of European Integration - Fundamental Freedoms of the European Union Eleftherios Petropoulos, LL.M., Europa-Institut of Saarland University
18:30	Barbecue
afterwards	Free evening
Thursday, 4 August 2016	
from 08:00	Breakfast
09:00 - 11:30 <i>coffee break from 10:15 - 10:30</i>	Lecture: That strange Thing European Union: Institutions and Decision-Making Dipl.-Jur. Sebastian Zeitzmann LL.M., EAO / Saarland University
11:30 - 12:30	DESK: Presentation on the DAAD Christian Strowa, DAAD, Bonn
12:45	Lunch
14:00 - 19:00 <i>coffee breaks from 15:30 - 16:00 and 17:15 - 17:30</i>	Workshop/Simulation: That strange Thing European Union: Institutions and Decision-Making Dipl.-Jur. Sebastian Zeitzmann LL.M., EAO / Saarland University
19:30	Dinner
afterwards	Free evening
Friday, 5 August 2016	
EXCURSION TO STRASBOURG (FRANCE) in part with other Chinese-Korean student group	
from 06:00	Breakfast
06:45	Departure to Strasbourg
10:00 - 11:30	Visit to the Council of Europe
12:00	Joint lunch at a traditional Alsatian restaurant
14:00 - 15:30	Visit to the European Youth Centre Strasbourg
16:00	Free time in Strasbourg incl. dinner (individually)
19:00	Evening guided walk around historical Strasbourg
21:00	Return journey to Otzenhausen
around 23:30	Arrival in Otzenhausen
Saturday, 6 August 2016	
from 08:00	Breakfast
09:00 - 12:15 <i>coffee break from 10:30 - 10:45</i>	Presentation and discussion: May the EU Model serve as an Example for Future Regional Cooperation in South-East Asia? Dr. phil. Stefan Niederhafner, Dipl. Pol., Paris

12:30	Lunch
14:00	Departure to Saarbrücken
15:00 - 17:00	Saarbrücken, a City between Germany, France and a Distinct History Guided walk
afterwards	Free time, you may experience the Saar-Spektakel
19:30	Group dinner at Restaurant Stiefel
afterwards	Free time, you may experience the Saar-Spektakel
22:30	Return journey to Otzenhausen
around 23:30	Arrival in Otzenhausen
Sunday, 7 August 2016	
from 09:00	Breakfast
10:00 - 12:45 <i>coffee break from 11:30 - 11:45</i>	Lecture and discussion: The political and economic Relations between the EU and Asia at the Beginning of the 21st century Dr. Wolfgang Pape, Brussels
13:00	Lunch
14:30 - 18:30 <i>coffee break from 16:00 - 16:30</i>	Workshop: The EU and its Relations to Japan and Korea Dr. Wolfgang Pape, Brussels
19:00	Dinner
Monday, 8 August 2016	
EXCURSION: LUXEMBOURG CITY AND TRIER	
from 07:30	Breakfast
08:30	Departure to Luxembourg
10:00	Visit to the European Stability Mechanism
12:00	Free time, lunch (individually)
14:00	Departure to Trier
15:00	Free time in Trier - you may visit the museum Karl-Marx-Haus
15:30 - 17:00	Optional: Group visit of and tour through the museum Karl-Marx-Haus
17:30	From the Romans via Karl Marx till today: Trier – the oldest City in Germany Guided tour
19:30	Wine tasting and dinner, Winery Nell, Trier
22:00	Transfer to Otzenhausen
22:30	Arrival in Otzenhausen
Tuesday, 9 August 2016	
from 08:00	Breakfast
09:00 - 13:00 <i>coffee break from 10:45 - 11:15</i>	Lecture and workshop: Sustainable Development as a common Challenge for Europe and Asia Dr. Hannes Petrischak, Foundation Forum für Verantwortung, Saarbrücken
13:15	Lunch
14:30	Thousands of Years of History: Hike to the Celtic Circular Wall Kerstin Adam, Foundation Stiftung Europäische Kultur und Bildung, Saarbrücken <i>Please bring hiking boots!</i>
18:30	Dinner
20:00	Bowling tournament
Wednesday, 10 August 2016	
from 08:00	Breakfast
09:00 - 12:30 <i>coffee break from 10:30 - 11:00</i>	Lecture: External Policy of the European Union Prof. Dr. Mathias Jopp, Institute for European Politics, Berlin
12:45	Lunch
14:00 - 17:30	Lecture: Protecting Human Rights in Europe – a Multilevel

<i>coffee break from 15:30 - 16:00</i>	System benefiting the Citizen (and how the EU Tries to Export it) Prof. Dr. Iris Canor, COLMAN, Tel Aviv, Israel
19:00	Dinner
Thursday, 11 August 2016	HALF-DAY EXCURSION: SCHENGEN (LUXEMBOURG) AND METZ (FRANCE)
from 07:30	Breakfast
08:30 - 11:45 <i>coffee break from 10:00 - 10:15</i>	Lecture: Populism and Nationalism on the Rise? The EU in 2016 Prof. Dr. Joachim Schild, University of Trier
12:00	Lunch
13:00	Departure to Schengen
14:30	One of the Milestones of EU Integration: The Schengen Area of Borderless Travel Presentation on Schengen
15:45	Transfer to Metz
17:00 - 20:30	Free time in Metz incl. individual dinner
20:30	Transfer to Otzenhausen
22:30	Arrival in Otzenhausen
Friday, 12 August 2016	
from 09:00	Breakfast
10:00	Seminar evaluation
afterwards	Free time to pack or do some travel shopping
11:30	Lunch
12:50	Check-out
13:00	Bus transfer to Türkismühle
13:32	Train transfer to Frankfurt Airport (direct link)
15:20	Arrival at Frankfurt Airport
18:05	Return flight (LH 716)

The European Academy provides a fitness room, a multi-sport ground, a bar with pool billiards and ninepin alleys, and a party room for evening and free time activities (incl. table tennis, pool billiards and tabletop soccer).