

**INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR ON SOCIAL, ECONOMIC AND LEGAL  
FRAMEWORK BETWEEN EU, TURKEY AND GERMANY**

**26 November – 02 December 2016**

**Ludwigsburg, Germany**

**SEMINAR PROGRAM**

**Saturday, 26 November 2016**

10:30 Arrival in Stuttgart

13:30 Stuttgart and Esslingen Tour

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**Sunday, 27 November 2016**

Free Day – Study for presentations.

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**Monday, 28 November 2016**

10.00 Welcome presentation about Baden-Württemberg and the University of Applied Sciences in Ludwigsburg, Dorothee Staiger/ Head of International Office

10.30 Introduction of Ankara University, Faculty of Political Science, Zerrin Dağcı

11.00 Campus tour with Prof. Stefan Faiß

11.30 Welcome Speech: Rector Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Ernst

12.00 Lunch Break

**Session I: 14:00 – 16:00**

**The Legal, Fiscal and the Institutional Structure of the European Union**

**Moderator: Dr. Osman Tezgel**

**Christopher Müller**, The “classic” European institutions: European Court of Justice, European Parliament, Council of Ministers, European Commission and European Court of Justice: structure, functions and procedures

**Natalie Haas**, The legislative process in the EU under the Lisbon Treaty

**Maria Holzner**, EU - Financial and Budget Constitutions

**Theresa Laile**, The Council of Europe

**Sven Behle**, The “exotic” European institutions of the EU: European Investment Bank (EIB), European Central Bank (ECB), Transport of hazardous goods within the EU (ADR); European Economic and Social Committee (EWSA), European Court of Auditors (ERH): structure, functions and procedures

Discussion: 15:30 – 16:00

16.00 Coffee Break

**Session II: 16:30 – 18:00**

**Inequality, Political Problems and the Economic Crisis in the European Union  
Moderator: Prof. Stefan Faiß**

**Berk Orkun İsa**, Prospects of The New Industrial Revolution for Europe: Possible Effects of Industrial Revolution and an Alternative Approach to Inequality Problem.

**Marie Messner** The role of the European Central Bank in the current crisis – significance of the European Financial Stability Facility (ESFS) and European Stability Mechanism (ESB)

**Cansu Tekin**, As a Tool of Political and Economic Struggle; Housing Question in Germany and Turkey: A Comparative Analysis

Discussion: 17:30 – 18:00

18.00 Meet and Greet with the German students from HVF Ludwigsburg organized by the students' representatives

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**Tuesday, 29 November 2016**

**Session III: 10:00 – 12:30**

**The Common Issue for Turkey, Germany and the EU: Refugee Crisis  
Moderator: Prof. Dr. Jörg Dürrschmidt**

**Dr. Nuri Yesilyurt**, Syrian Crisis and the Future of Turkish Foreign Policy

**Elif Tahmiscioğlu**, EU-Turkey Relations in The Context of the European Union's Securitized Irregular Migration Policy and Turkey as a Transit Country

**Aini Putri Wulandari**, Refugee Crisis in Turkey and Europe: Prioritizing the Solution and its Implementations

**Silke Hils**, Strategies of local Integration – the case of employment programs for recognized refugees in Stuttgart

**Victoria Ziehr**, Protection of fundamental rights by the EU (significance for the European political strategies regarding asylum seekers and refugees)

Discussion: 12:00 – 12:30

12.30 Lunch Break

**Session IV: 13:30 – 15:30**

**Comparative Analysis on Turkey and EU Relations**

**Moderator: Prof. Dr. Çınar Özen**

**Levent Demirelli**, Liberalization and Privatization of the Rail in Turkey: a Comparison with the Railway Packages of European Union

**Buket Ökten**, Shifting from Europeanisation to de-Europeanisation in Turkey, AKP's Changing EU Policy

**Edo Kanlic**, Complexity of Turkish and EU Relations: Partnership for Future or Interest-Driven Relation

**Ulucan Öztürk**, Freedom of Expression on the Edge of Hate Speech - a Comparative Analysis of Turkish and German Media Discourses Concerning Refugees

**Markus Eichhorn**, The instrument of Pre- Accession Assistance (IPA) – Stabilizer for the complex relationship between the EU and the Republic of Turkey

Discussion: 15:00 – 15:30

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**Wednesday, 30 November 2016**

**Session V: 10:00 – 11:00**

**Moderator: Dr. Nuri Yeşilyurt**

**Prof. Dr. Çınar Özen**, Reconsidering Turkey - EU Relations: New Foundations for Post-Transatlantic Order

Discussion: 10:30 – 11:00

11.00 Coffee Break

**Session VI: 11:30 - 13:00**

**EU – Turkey Relations: Future Perspectives**

**Moderator: Dr. Başak Bak**

**Sebastian Fiebelkorn**, Europe's future – the Lisbon Treaty as a “European Constitution”

**Paul Wiethölter**, Turkish entry into the EU – Political and Legal situation

**Philip Kohlhaas**, Brexit – and what's next?

Discussion: 12:30 – 13:00

13.00 Lunch Break

14.00 Discussion with German politicians about the perspective of the Turkish entry into the European Union (Paul Simon aus Mannheim)

**Thursday, 1 December 2016**

09.00 Trip to Strasbourg followed by a guided tour of the European Parliament  
Guided Tour through Strasbourg

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**Friday, 2 December 2016**

Departure → End of the study trip

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