



First webinar | Jean Monnet Atlantic Network 2.0 – Dialogues: on Energy & Sustainability, Trade & Economy and Security & Inequality

Meeting I: Webinar convened by FGV IIU

Agenda

Date: Day 1 - 09 March 2021

10:15 – 10:30 **Opening:
Welcome Words and Jean Monnet Network on Atlantic Studies
2 Presentation**

Renato Flôres (Director of FGV IIU - International Intelligence Unit;
JMAN 2 Co-ordinator)

10:30 – 12:00 **Panel 1 - Transborder Economic Flows from an Atlantic Perspective:
Rethinking Trade and Economic Co-operation in Times of US-
China Tech War and Covid-19**

A few suggested discussion topics:

1. US-China Tech War: future developments and impacts for the Atlantic Community
2. Covid-19 legacy on trade vulnerabilities and GVCs
3. Mercosur-EU Trade Agreement and African Continental Free Trade Area
4. Impacts of the Chinese digital currency

Presentations:

Mario Telò, ULB IEE

*“EU-China: The Comprehensive Agreement on Investments (CAI):
Bilateralism as a leverage for a new multilateralism.”*

Renato Flôres, FGV IIU

“A Future for the WTO?”

Comments:

Eduard Soler, CIDOB



Abdelaaziz Ait Ali, PCNS
Mark Aspinwall, CIDE

Moderation:

Renato Flôres, FGV IJU

Short break 12:00 – 12:20

12:20 – 13:40

Panel 2 - Energy and Sustainability:
**A Transatlantic Vision of the Green Agenda for Post-Pandemic
Recovery.**

A few suggested discussion topics:

1. Covid-19 impacts on energy production & security
2. A new impetus to sustainability and climate ventures?
3. Energy transition; wind, solar, different carbon taxes
4. New 'green winds' coming from US?

Presentations:

Daniela Stevens, CIDE

"New 'green winds' coming from US?"

Rim Berahab, PCNS

"Towards a Green Recovery in Africa? The Case of Nigeria."

Comments:

Rudericio Pimentel, former Analyst from FGV IJU

Frank Mattheis, ULB IEE

Carmen Fonseca, IPRI-NOVA

Moderation:

Anna Ayuso, CIDOB

Date: Day 2 - 10 March 2021

10:00 – 11:30

Panel 3 - Security and Inequality in Atlantic Societies:
Covid-19 and its Multilayer Impacts on the Society

A few suggested discussion topics:



1. The raise in inequality and related tensions
2. Impacts of health and economic crises on Atlantic regimes; security issues
3. A new geography of defence: the European Army?
4. Lessons for the next world (health?) catastrophe

Presentation:

Ana Pinto, IPRI-NOVA

“Covid-19 and its Multilayer Impacts on the Society”

Eva Garcia Chueca, CIDOB

“Post-pandemic recovery, an opportunity to address urban inequalities in the Atlantic region”

Salma Daoudi, PCNS

“A Pandemic of Inequalities: Vaccine Nationalism and Human Insecurity”

Elena Sánchez-Montijano & Gerardo Maldonado, CIDE

“Public perception and attitudes on migrants in the time of COVID-19”

Comments:

Susana Peralta, NOVA University of Lisbon

Moderator:

Nuno Severiano Teixeira, IPRI-NOVA

11:30 – 12:30

Wrap-up Session:

Leonardo Neves, FGV IIU

Anna Ayuso, CIDOB

Nuno Teixeira, IPRI-NOVA