

## AESI FORUM 25/30 APRIL 2023



Permanent Mission of Italy  
to United Nations in New York



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### "THE VISION OF YOUTH ON THE ROOTS OF THE CRISIS"



UNITED NATIONS 25 - 27 APRIL 2023 NEW YORK

#### PROGRAMME DRAFT

##### 25 April 2023 Departure from Rome

Arrival in JFK New York

Hotel Marriot - Midtown Manhattan / Fifth Avenue +1.202.4471500

##### 26 April 2023

9.30 am

**I SESSION: PERMANENT MISSION OF ITALY TO UN NEW YORK**

**Welcome: Ambassador Maurizio Massari**

Permanent Representative of Italy to UN

**Greetings: Prof. Massimo Maria Caneva – President AESI**

**Sessions with Diplomats and Military Advisor on Peacebuilding/Peacekeeping**

11.30 am

**II SESSION: HOLY SEE MISSION TO UNITED NATIONS (25 East 39<sup>th</sup> Street)**

**Meeting with Archbishop Gabriele Caccia - Nuncio**

Permanent Observers of the Holy See to the United Nations

1.00 pm

**Lunch – Visit UN Building UN ASSEMBLY HALL / SECURITY COUNCIL**

2.30 pm

**III SESSION: PBSO / DPPA / DPO Peacekeeping – United Nations Programs**

4.00 pm

**IV Session: OCHA Humanitarian Aid Programs**

##### 27 April 2023

9.30 am

**COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY Italian Academic for Advanced Studies - Visit**

**Welcome: Italian Consul General in New York Fabrizio Di Michele**

11.30 am

**V Session: EUROPEAN UNION'S DELEGATION TO UN**

3.30 pm

Departure to Washington by train



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<https://youtu.be/0kD4rFjVJIE>



<https://youtu.be/JvmDafr6Ok8>

## AESI FORUM IN WASHINGTON



Italian Embassy in Washington



Apostolic Nunciature to United States



WITH PARTICIPATION

### WASHINGTON 28 – 30 APRIL 2023

#### PROGRAMME - DRAFT

27 April 2023 Arrival Washington

Hotel LYLE DC - 1731 New Hampshire Avenue NW +1.202.964.6750

28 April 2023

10.00 am

#### APOSTOLIC NUNCIATURE TO UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

3339 Massachusetts Ave NW Washington, DC 20008-3610

Meeting with Archbishop Christophe Pierre - Nuncio

11.30 am

#### ITALIAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON (3000 Whitehaven Street, N.W.)

Welcome: Ambassador Mariangela Zappia – Italian Embassy in WDC

Video Rome International Seminar for Peace : <https://youtu.be/JqgECF9jFyA>

Prof. Massimo Maria Caneva – AESI President

Prof. Christine Gettings, American University

*“The role of students mobility and university partnerships”*

Prof. Michelle Egan American University

*“University cooperation to support democracy in the transatlantic space”*

Prof. Mark Vlasic, Georgetown University

Q&A Session with Students

US DEPARTMENT OF STATE Visit AESI Delegation

(2018: <https://youtu.be/2quHt4F2xR8> )

29 April 2023

10.00 am

VISIT OF WASHINGTON - 12.00 pm Departure to New York

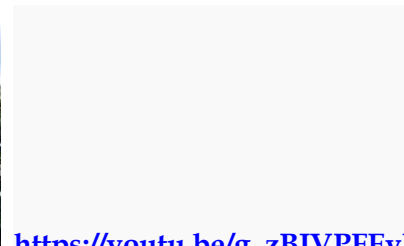
3.00 pm

Arrival in Central Station and transfer by Bus to JFK

<https://youtu.be/Vjbivp5CtwA>

### NEW YORK 29 APRIL 2023

9.00 pm Departure to Rome from JFK – 30 April 2023 Arrival in Rome



[https://youtu.be/g\\_zBIVPFeyI](https://youtu.be/g_zBIVPFeyI)



Prof. Massimo Maria Caneva. MD, PhD  
PRESIDENT AESI - ROME

One of the basic challenges for the XXI Century is international peace and development in the light of the new world balance. Today, there are problems that can only be solved by action at the global level. New strategic thinking is required to approach global issues and advance “global public goods”. Consequently, international communities must become protagonists of a new strategy to intervene in crisis areas and to promote peace, human rights and development with a strategy based on realistic and effective foreign common policy. Such a strategy must include the collaborative efforts of all the “international actors” while being rooted in the common goal of development of a strong cooperation culture of solidarity capable of understanding local needs and providing quick and efficient solutions that are at once professional and respectful of human dignity. Such a strategy must rely on cultural expertise and include expert knowledge of the theoretical elements of crisis and development management and the capability to understand the real comprehensive needs of the populations, and their historical and cultural roots in order to give effective answers to them, and to promote peace and development even in the first phases of the interventions. The traditional “academic collaboration” is distinct from the “university cooperation for peace and development” understood as a strategy of action aimed to build a more developed and peaceful society. In fact, university cooperation needs to manage and deal with a double problem of independence in order to face the challenges to which it is called: from one side, it has to tackle the problem of research, didactics and operational services naturally built into the academic structure; from the other, it has to deal with the necessity of reconciling technical-scientific interventions, that must be tailored to the real demands of the local populations whose needs become are gradually discovered as the project proceeds. When we speak about university cooperation we don’t refer only to the exchange of lecturers and researchers - which is usually the objective of traditional forms of academic collaboration - although this kind of activity may be very useful. University cooperation implies a more general strategy based on both analysis and action, of training and research in the field, of cooperation among the academy and civil institutions, diplomats and international organizations, volunteers and peace forces, in order to provide support in both the prevention and solution of crisis promoting future development.

#### VIDEO AESI EUROPA:

**PEACE IS POSSIBLE BECAUSE TO THE STUDENTS**

<https://youtu.be/TjNYGT0EyK8>

**PEACE IS URGENT**

<https://youtu.be/ia9YKZZkysA>

**SARAJEVO - UNIVERSITY COOPERATION FOR PEACE**

<https://youtu.be/W7cZt6lPVcE>

**PEACE, COMMUNICATE THE BEAUTY**

<https://youtu.be/IyIFypp7MOc>