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PEACE, SCIENCE AND ART OF SOLIDARITY

EU YOUTH CHALLENGES WITNESS AND ARTISANS OF TRUE PEACE

University Cooperation, Peace Process, International Relations, Diplomacy, Solidarity

ACADEMIC YEAR 2027

DRAFT PROGRAM

26 JANUARY 2027 ESPERIENZA EUROPA EU 3.30 pm

EU LEADERSHIPS AND CHALLENGES FOR PEACE DIPLOMACY

EASTERN EUROPE AND THE MIDDLE EAST

16 FEBRUARY 2027 ESPERIENZA EUROPA EU 3.30 pm

IA INNOVATION AND HUMAN CREATIVITY

16 MARCH 2027 CASD PALAZZO SALVIATI 10.00 am

TODAYS' CHALLENGES OF SECURITY AND DEFENSE

13 APRIL 2027 ESPERIENZA EUROPA EU 3.30 pm

CONCENTRATIONS OF INDUSTRIAL AND ECONOMIC POWER

SOCIAL AND ECOLOGICAL CHALLENGES

18 MAY 2027 **THE HOLY SEE DIPLOMACY FOR PEACE**

22 JUNE 2027 VILLA MADAMA DIPLOMATIC INSTITUTE 4.00 pm

NEW CHALLENGES OF DIPLOMATIC CARRER





POPE LEO XIV *"A world, sadly, crippled by wars and the rhetoric of war. This is a pollution of reason, which, from the geopolitical level, invades every social relationship. The simplification that creates enemies must therefore be corrected, especially in universities, through an appreciation of complexity and the wise exercise of memory. In particular, the tragedy of the twentieth century must not be forgotten. The cry, "Never again war!", of my Predecessors, so in keeping with the rejection of war enshrined in the Italian Constitution, spurs us on to a spiritual alliance with the sense of justice that dwells in the hearts of young people, with their vocation not to shut themselves away behind ideologies and national borders. For example, over the past year, the increase in military spending worldwide, and particularly in Europe, has been enormous: let us not call "defence" a rearmament that increases tensions and insecurity, depletes investment in education and health, undermines trust in diplomacy, and enriches elites who care nothing for the common good. We must also keep a watchful eye on the development and application of artificial intelligence in both military and civilian contexts, to ensure that they do not absolve humans of responsibility for their choices and do not exacerbate the tragedy of conflicts. What is happening in Ukraine, Gaza and the Palestinian territories, Lebanon and Iran illustrates the inhuman evolution of the relationship between war and new technologies into a spiral of annihilation. Study, research and investment must move in the opposite direction: let them be a radical "yes" to life! Yes to innocent life, yes to young life, yes to the life of peoples who invoke peace and justice!"*



ALCIDE DE GASPERI *"At the origin of this European civilization is Christianity. I do not mean introducing any sectarian or exclusive policy, in appreciation of our history. I just want to talk about a common European legacy, of that unitary moral which enhances the person and the responsibility of the human being "(Alcide De Gasperi)*



ROBERT SCHUMAN



WITH JEAN MONNET

"Europe will not be made all at once, or according to a single plan. It will be built through concrete achievements which first create a de facto solidarity. Democracy owes its origin and development to Christianity. It was born when man was called to realize the dignity of the person in individual freedom, respect for the rights of others and the love of neighbour. Before Christian message these principles had not been formulated, nor they ever became the spiritual basis of an authority system."(Robert Schuman)



KONRAD ADENAUER *"We Europeans must exercise together also foreign policy, only this purpose can really help us."(Konrad Adenauer) "In the long term the future of the West is not so much threatened by a political tension as from the danger of standardization, uniformity of thought and feeling; in short, from all over the life system, the escape from responsibility, with the only self-concern. This risk can really become fatal for the cultural progress"(Konrad Adenauer)*