



2023 REBUILD Annual Conference

Call for Abstracts

Next Generation EU: Furthering Economic, Legal and Fiscal Integration

Thursday 19 and Friday 20 January 2023, Dublin City University (Ireland)*

The **Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence REBUILD** and the <u>DCU Brexit Institute</u> are pleased to release this Call for Abstract for the 2023 REBUILD Annual Conference.

The **Next Generation EU (NGEU) Recovery Plan** has been the EU's response to the economic and social crisis brought on by the COVID-19 pandemic. Member States are now starting to implement the Recovery and Resilience Plans at the national level, while facing the consequences of the war in Ukraine and the energy crisis. The success of NGEU will be pivotal for the future of the European Union, in terms of its strategic development and investments, and to ensure the green transition and digital transformation across EU Member States. Other priorities include economic cohesion and competitiveness, social and territorial cohesion, institutional crisis-reaction and crisis preparedness.

Scholars are invited to submit their abstract for papers <u>covering one or more of the following issues</u>, with approaches in law and/or political economy:

- NGEU Recovery Plan and governance, its regulatory and institutional framework,
- The funding and resources in the twin green and digital transition following NGEU,
- Whether/how other challenges, such as the war in Ukraine and the energy crisis, may impact NGEU and lead to another NGEU-like programme,
- The revamping of EU's economic policy and fiscal capacity post-NGEU, including in its interactions with the European Semester,
- The implementation of NGEU, the National Recovery and Resilience Plans (NRRPs) with case studies examining the implementation in one or more Member States.

Please send your abstract (400/500 words) and a short C.V. by <u>Tuesday 18 October 2022</u> to <u>Christy.Petit@dcu.ie</u> and <u>Lucrezia.Rossi@dcu.ie</u>.

The selected abstracts will be communicated by Friday 28 October. Please note that the Conference will lead to an edited volume, so the authors will be asked to deliver a first draft paper (8,000 words including footnotes) before the Conference, i.e. by 8 January 2023. Each presenter will act as a discussant during the Conference.

Limited funding will be available for accommodation and travel (economy flights). This Conference is organised by Prof. Federico Fabbrini and Dr. Christy Ann Petit. For any queries, please contact the email addresses indicated above.

More about REBUILD

The Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence <u>REBUILD</u> stands for 'Recovery of Europe, Budget of the Union: Integration, Law & Democracy' and focuses its ongoing work and research on NGEU as a ground-breaking development in the process of European integration. It is a 3-year project (2022-2025) funded by the Erasmus+ programme.

^{*}The Conference is scheduled to take place in person, circumstances will be monitored closely in winter.