





# ROUNDTABLE

# INDEPENDENCE OF THE JUDICIARY: A CHALLENGE FOR EUROPE

25 May 2018

Palazzo del Bo – Aula Gabbin – ore 15:00

Padova University School of Law – Laurea Magistrale in Giurisprudenza

15:00 WELCOMING SPEECH BY ACADEMIC AUTHORITIES

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS: Dott. Sergio Fusaro,

President of the Padova District Court

Chair: Prof. Bernardo Cortese, DiPIC - CDE

15:30 1.ST ROUND: VIEWS FROM THE INSIDE

The Case of Poland

**Prof. dr hab. Andrzej Rzepliński** - University of Warsaw,
Former President of the Polish Constitutional Court **Klaudia Lozyk** - Judge w firmie district court Slupsk,
Pomeranian District, Poland

#### The Case of Slovenia

**Jan Zobek** - Judge, Supreme Court of the Republic of Slovenia Former Judge, Constitutional Court of the Republic of Slovenia

The Case of Turkey

Asst. Prof. Dr. Bilge Erson Asar - MEF University Istambul









# 16:30 2.ND ROUND: THE ROLE OF THE EU AND OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE

#### Art. 7 TUE and Political Procedures

Mr. Frank Engel - European Parliament – LIBE Committee Prof. Dimitry Kochenov – University of Groningen

# What Role for the ECJ?

Prof. Bernardo Cortese - University of Padova School of Law

# The Venice Commission of the Council of Europe

**Prof. Cesare Pinelli** – European Commission for Democracy through Law (CoE) and La Sapienza University of Rome

### International Law and the EU External Relations Law

Prof. Andrea Gattini - University of Padova School of Law

# 17:30 3.RD ROUND (OPEN ROUNDTABLE)

- a) Prof. Rzepliński, Judge Zobek, Judge Lozyk, Dr. Erson Asar will discuss 2.nd Round contributions
- b) Interventions from the Faculty of the University of Padova School of Law: Prof. Carlo Padula University of Padova School of Law
- c) Questions from the Floor

### 18:15 CONCLUSIONS

**Prof. Vincenzo Scotti -** former Minister of the Internal and External Affairs of the Italian Republic

#### **ORGANIZATION**

**Prof. Bernardo Cortese –** School of Law – DiPIC – CDE

Prof. Manlio Miele - President, Corso di Laurea Magistrale in Giurisprudenza

Dott. Sergio Fusaro - President, Padova District Court

