



Mnemonic Constitutionalism: Memory as 'Shield' and 'Sword' of Constitutions

14:30 - Opening remarks:

Giacomo Delledonne, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna
Memory and constitution: framing the debate

14:50 - I Session: Conceptualizing Mnemonic Constitutionalism

Chair: **Rebecca Livia Veneziano**, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna

Uladzislau Belavusau, University of Amsterdam

Mnemonic Constitutionalism: history, citizenship, ritual — and some
Constitution

Barbara Henry, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna

Play of mirrors among remembrance, oblivion, "suppression" in the
public sphere

Q&A

16:30 - Coffee Break

16:50 - II Session – Memory as Shield and Sword:

Comparative Perspectives

Chair: **Roberto Taysier Mahajnah**, Università Bocconi

Giuseppe Martinico, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna

The instrumentalization of history in European constitutionalism:
comparative perspectives

Carna Pistan, Center for constitutional studies and democratic
development

Constitutionalism and collective memory in Southeastern Europe: law,
nationalism, and the politics of exclusion

Q&A

Concluding Remarks

Giacomo Delledonne, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna

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