

18:30-19:30

**EVENING LECTURE**

Introduction: Andreas Maurer

**Andrew DUFF** (President of the Spinelli Group; Visiting Fellow, European Policy Centre; former Member of the European Parliament)

**Europe without the British**

**Response: Roberto GUALTIERI** (tbc), (Brexit Steering Group of the European Parliament, MEP)

**The British without Europe?**

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Reception

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## *Brexit and Academia*

### Inauguration Ceremony and Symposium

**Tuesday, 6 March 2018**

Claudiasaal, Herzog-Friedrich-Str. 3, 2nd floor  
Old Town Innsbruck

# Programme

8:30-9:00	Registration		
9:00-9:30	<b>Welcome and Opening Remarks</b>  Nerys JONES, Deputy Head of Mission, British Embassy, Vienna Tilmann MÄRK, Rector, University of Innsbruck Sibylle BAUMBACH, Academic Director, BritInn		Marie-Therese WOLFRAM (Mathematics Institute, University of Warwick, Young Academy of the Austrian Academy of Sciences) We Know We'll Fail, but We'll Fail with Style
9:30-10:30	<b>KEYNOTE</b> Introduction: Sibylle Baumbach  Brian FOSTER (Donald H. Perkins Professor of Experimental Physics, Oxford University, Royal Society) <b>Brexit and Scientific Research</b>	14:30-16:00	<b>Panel 3: BREXIT AND BEYOND</b> Chair: Ilse Kranner  Werner SCHROEDER (Department of European Law and Public International Law, University of Innsbruck) Brexit Means... The UK's Post-exit Legal Relationship with the EU  Chris SURRIDGE (Chief Editor, <i>Nature Plants</i> , London) Does Brexit Matter? An International Perspective
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break		Melanie SULLY (Director, Go-Governance Institute, Vienna) Beyond Brexit
11:00-12:00	<b>Panel 1: BREXIT AND HIGHER EDUCATION</b> Chair: Helga Ramsey-Kurz  Veronika RIEDL & Helmut STAUBMANN (Department of Sociology, University of Innsbruck) How Austrian Universities Prepare for Brexit  Stefan ZOTTI (Director, Austrian Academic Exchange Service, OeAD, Vienna) Erasmus+ and Academic Mobility after Brexit	16:00-16:30	Coffee Break
		16:30-18:00	<b>Panel 4: NEXTGEN PANEL – POSSIBLE FUTURES</b> Chair: Martin Ferk  Anna Katharina HÖFLER (University of Innsbruck) International Order – The UK's Post-Brexit Approach  Vanessa GÖTZER (University of Innsbruck) The Post-Brexit European Parliament: What about those 73 Seats?
12:00-13:30	Lunch Break		
13:30-14:30	<b>Panel 2: BREXIT AND ITS IMPACT ON RESEARCHERS</b> Chair: Stefan Ehrenpreis  Maria Ana CATALUNA (Institute of Photonics and Quantum Sciences, Heriot-Watt University, Young Academy of Scotland) Brexit Observatory: Listening to the Voices of those Affected in the Research, Innovation and Higher Education Sectors		Lisa Alexandra FISCHER (University of Innsbruck) Brexit and Britain's Sustainable Development – Break Free from Old Odds or Get Lost in New Possibilities?  Maximilian HÖLLER (University of Innsbruck) Social Media and Fake News in Electoral Processes: Adding a Human Component
		18:00-18:30	Coffee Break