

**The Spring School: Refugee and Asylum Policy in the EU –
Current Challenges for Central Europe**

Budapest, 18-22 April, 2016

PROGRAM

Sunday

17/04/2016

Arrival of the students

Monday

18/04/2016

Arrival, official opening and the beginning of The Spring School	
9:30-10:00	<i>Registration</i>
10:00-11:00	Getting together of the students
11:00 – 11:30	Official opening of the Spring School
10:30-12:00	“European values in the time of migration crises”
12:00 – 13:00	<i>Lunch break (individually)</i>
13:00 – 14:30	<u>Student Workshop</u> : A German “summer fairytale” – “Willkommenkultur” of the German Civil Society in the late Summer of 2015
14:30 – 15:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>
15:00 – 17:00	“Hungarian civil society responses to the migration crisis – Discussion with representatives of NGO’s supporting refugees” (by <i>representatives of the Hungarian Interchurch Aid and Hungarian Charity Service of the Order of Malta</i>)
18:00	Opening party and getting together of the students

Tuesday

19/04/2016

Asylum Practices and Integration Policies – different Perspectives	
10:00 – 12:00	“Key factors for successful integration – the case of MIPEX”
12:00 – 13:00	<i>Lunch break (individually)</i>
13:00 – 15:00	<u>Student Workshop</u> : “Asylum Practice and Integration Policy in Germany”
15:00 – 15:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
15:30 – 17:30	<u>Student Workshop</u> : “Asylum Practice and Integration Policy in Hungary”
18:00 – 19:00	<i>Dinner</i>
19:00	Theme movie

Wednesday

20/04/2016

Problems and perspectives for the future – Europeanization and Securitization of asylum policy?	
10:00 – 12:00	Student Workshop: Legal Framework of the European Asylum and Migration Policy
12:00 – 13:00	<i>Lunch break (individually)</i>
13:00 – 14:30	“The importance of border protection – Frontex and the future of the EU Border Regime”
14:30 – 15:00	<i>Coffee break</i>
15:00 – 17:00	“The nexus between migration and security”

Thursday

21/04/16

Changing perspective and political implications	
10:00 – 11:30	"Policy aspects overseas – experiences of migration management in the United States"
12:00 – 13:00	<i>Lunch break (individually)</i>
13:00 – 16:00	"Border regimes and migrant flows – German and Hungarian Perspectives"
16:30 – 17:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>
17:00 – 18:00	"Roma integration in Hungary"

Friday

22/04/16

Challenges of the Asylum Crisis, Closing Remarks	
10:00 – 12:00	"Culture of welcome vs. anti-immigrant movements – Saxony between openness and PEGIDA"
12:00 – 13:00	<i>Lunch break (individually)</i>
13:00 – 14:30	"Mitteleuropäische Gesellschaften zwischen Heimat, Moderne und Migration."
14:30 – 15:00	<i>Coffee break</i>
16:00 – 17:30	"The European Union and 'Solidarity – Conclusion and Closing Results"