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European Leadership Workshop 2025 Plurality in Europe – Venice as a Case Study for Interreligious and Worldview Relations

7 -11 October 2025
Venice, Italy

@
San Servolo
30100 Venice
Italy

Il Centro Tedesco di Studi Veneziani
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**DIALOGUE
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Federal Government Commissioner
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Federal Foreign Office

Tuesday, 7 October 2025

6.00 pm **Individual Arrival & Check-In**
@ San Servolo

7.00 pm **Informal Get-Together & Joint Dinner**
@ tba

Welcome

Jo Frank | Director DialoguePerspectives e.V.

Keynote

Prof. Dr. Rafael Arnold | University of Rostock

Wednesday, 8 October 2025

tba Breakfast

9.30 am **Excursion I: Jewish Life in Venice**
Prof. Dr. Rafael Arnold | University of Rostock
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1.30 pm Break

3.00 pm **Introduction to the Work of the German Study Centre**
Dr. Richard Erkens
@ Palazzo Barbarigo della Terrazza

3.15 pm **Session I: Contemporary Sufi Arts: Mediating Islam between
Universality and Particularity**
Francesco Piraino
@ Palazzo Barbarigo della Terrazza

5.00 pm **Artist Talk with Deniz Utlu**
@ Palazzo Barbarigo della Terrazza

6.00 pm **Get-Together**
@ Palazzo Barbarigo della Terrazza

Thursday, 9 October 2025

tba Breakfast

9.45 am **Excursion II: Venice as Refuge**
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- 12.30 pm Lunch
@ San Servolo
- 1.30 pm **World Café**
@ San Servolo
- 3.30 pm Coffee Break
@ San Servolo
- 4.00 pm **Session II: Planetary Ghetto: Past, Present, Future Misunderstandings**
Shaul Bassi
@ San Servolo
- 6.00 pm **Input: Interreligious Dialogue**
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Friday, 10 October 2025

- tba Breakfast
- 9.30 am **Excursion III: Plurality and Contemporary Challenges to Venice's Present and Future**
Matteo Gabrielli
@tba
- 12.45 pm Lunch
@ San Servolo
- 1.45 pm **Session III: Policy Lab: Concrete Strategies for a Pluralistic Europe (development of policy paper draft)**
Jo Frank
@ San Servolo
- 3.45 pm Coffee Break
@ San Servolo
- 4.15 pm **Session IV: Presentation of Policy Paper Drafts**
Jo Frank
@ San Servolo
- 5.45 pm **Closing Plenary Session: Summary, Reflection and Farewell**
Jo Frank
Prof. Dr. Rafael Arnold
@ San Servolo
- 7.00 pm **Informal Get-Together**
@ tba

Saturday, 11 October 2025

Departure

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Breakfast

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