



# OVERVIEW OF THE CHAIR

## Chair's identity and goals

The European Commission has awarded a Jean Monnet Chair to Teresa Russo, Associate Professor of EU Law at the Department of Legal Sciences of the University of Salerno.

Jean Monnet Chairs are specialised teaching posts for university professors, aimed at deepening teaching and research in European Union studies and fostering dialogue between academia and society, both in the Member States and in other Countries.

Co-funded by the European Union, the **Jean Monnet Chair on Promoting Public Awareness on Enlargement Policy, EU Values and The Western Balkans' Accession (EUVALWEB)** aims to promote the study of EU law among students, academics, practitioners and civil society. The objective of the Jean Monnet Chair EUVALWEB is to highlight and explain **the important impact that the EU Enlargement policy has in the construction of EU identity based on its core values, as well as on the EU strategy toward the Western Balkans, specifically in the field of Cooperation on Justice and Home Affairs (JHA), that is at the core of EU and Member States legal system, as well as beyond the EU's territory.** To this end, alongside the Chair Holder, a gender-equal team of experienced and young advisors and trainers/trainers, composed of national and international academics, policy-makers and professionals, will carry out the teaching, research and dissemination activities envisaged in the project.

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The EUVALWEB Chair enjoys the support of Albanian, Bosnian, Macedonian, Montenegrin and Serbian universities, as well as civil society and Bar associations that are directly involved in its activities, and the contribution of national and international legal experts. It is also supported by Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation. The research activities are carried out within the **EUVALWEB Legal Observatory** in the following areas:

-  **Cross-Border Security (Migration and Asylum Management);**
-  **Fight Against Transnational Crimes;**
-  **Police and Judicial Cooperation;**
-  **Promotion and Protection of EU Values and Fundamental Rights.**

The main didactic, professional and scientific activities of the EUVALWEB Chair are divided into a **Chair Course**, a **Law Clinic (online and in presence)** and **two international conferences**, as well as a series of initiatives organised also in cooperation with other teaching courses of the Department of Legal Sciences of the University of Salerno, some professional categories and NGOs, as well as with other Jean Monnet Chairs and Modules.

A cycle of 2 international conferences (both online and in-person) will take place between May and June, under the guidance of the Chair Holder and Team Chair. These conferences will be organized **alternately in Italy and in one of the Western Balkan Countries** and will also be based on the papers presented during the Chair Course and the Law Clinic with the aim to find possible answers and strategies. These will encourage the active involvement of public audiences, legal practitioners, policy-makers, experts in the field of the Chair, NGOs and civil society representatives, promoting the dissemination of the EUVALWEB Chair's activities in Italy and abroad.

Each conference will be concluded with a **statement that summarizes the results achieved and proposals.**

**Participating to any of the Chair's activities is free of charge** and participants need only to **register on the Home Page of the website 'https://euvalweb.euweb.org/'**, by clicking the registration button, **alternatively or cumulatively, for the Chair Course or the Law Clinic.**

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For the Law Clinic, participation to a single (or more than one) lesson is permitted through registration on the website.

The **acknowledgement of credits and certifications for both students and professionals** is directly related to the chosen activity and more information is available below.

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**36 hours  
1 day  
a week**

**LAW  
CLINIC**



## **Law Clinic 'EU Cooperation on JHA and the Western Balkans' (both online and in-person)**

**Teacher(s): EUVALWEB Chair Holder:** Prof. Teresa Russo  
**EUVALWEB Team Chair:** Prof. Ivana Bodrožić, Dr. Andrea Cascone, Prof. Angela Di Stasi, Prof. Ana Nikodinovska Krstevska, Prof. Leonardo Pasquali, Dr. Lorenzo Salazar, Prof. Nikola Šaranović  
**Tutors:** Dr. Stefano Busillo, Dr. Emanuele Vannata

**Objectives:** EUVALWEB LAW Clinic offers a three-year **Specialisation Course on EU Cooperation on Justice and Home Affairs (JHA)**, which is one of the main areas of the EU accession process and concerns an issue of extreme political relevance for the EU. It will consist of **36 hours of training courses that will take place one day a week (usually on Friday from 2 p.m.) from March to May both in presence and on the online platform 'Microsoft Teams'**.

In the form of in-depth and practical exercises, the Law Clinic will take a more technical/scientific approach and offer in-depth teaching on European Union issues for future professionals specializing in cross-border issues that are increasingly in demand in the labour market. Through an innovative and multidisciplinary approach, the Law Clinic promotes excellence in teaching on EU matters related to **immigration, cross-border security, combating transnational crime, police and judicial cooperation, and the promotion and protection of EU values and fundamental rights.**

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**Methodology:** Scheduled in individual stand-alone activities, all clinic topics will be held by the Chair Holder, the Team Chair, academics, legal professionals, policy makers, civil society representatives and NGOs, including from the Western Balkans, with an interdisciplinary approach. All teaching activities and open discussion will be guided by a participatory and interactive method. Some activities will be organized in cooperation with other teaching courses of the Department of Legal Sciences of the University of Salerno, some professional categories and NGOs, as well as with other Jean Monnet Chairs and Modules.

During the Law Clinic, all participants will be encouraged to prepare a series of critical questions/issues that will be collected into papers and selected by the Team Chair and discussed during one of the international conferences.

**Target groups:** undergraduate students, graduate, Ph.D. and Ph.D. candidates, legal practitioners, judges, lawyers, law enforcement, civil servants and civil society representatives, policy makers.

**ECTs and final evaluation: Foreign students on ICM or Erasmus+ mobility, who will attend the Law Clinic (at least 70%) and submit a final paper, subject to evaluation by the Team Chair, will be granted the number of 6 (six) ECTs.**

**Students of the Department of Legal Sciences of the University of Salerno, who will attend the Law Clinic and submit a final paper, will be granted from 2 (two) to 6 (six) ECTs** as required for the performance of 'other activities' pursuant to Article 10, paragraph 5 - letter d) of Ministerial Decree 270/2004. The number of ECT will be decided by the Chair Holder on the basis of **class participation (at least 70%) and substantial evaluation of the work presented.**

**The best papers will be discussed during one of the international conferences and will be published in the Open Educational Resource (OER) section of the website or in the Academic Journal of the Department of Legal Sciences of the University of Salerno 'Iura & Legal Systems', ISSN 2385-2445, or included in other scientific publications.**

**Lawyers participating in the activities of the Law Clinic will be awarded a number of professional training credits (CFP) by the Salerno Bar Association Council for each study day.**

**For PhD students, the attendance of the Law Clinic will be one of the teaching activities of the Doctorate.**

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**All the other stakeholders** will update their training and professional background with **the recognition of professional training credits.**

**Participation in a single (or more than one) lecture(s) is permitted after registration on the website.**

The Law Clinic is free of charge and participants in at least 70% of the activities of the Law Clinic will be entitled to an attendance certificate.

## Law Clinic Programme

**13 March 2023**

University of Salerno  
Department of Legal Sciences, Hall 5 – h. 2:30 P.M.

### Security Challenges in the Context of the War in Ukraine

**Teresa Russo**, Associate Professor of EU Law, Department of Legal Sciences, University of Salerno, EUVALWEB Chair Holder

**Andrea Cascone**, Adriatic and Western Balkans Director at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Italy), Member of the EUVALWEB Team Chair

**Paolo Bargiacchi**, Full Professor of International Law, University 'Kore' of Enna

**Erjon Hitaj**, Lecturer of International Law, Head of Department of Law, University 'Ismail Qemali' of Vlōre (Albania), Member of the EUVALWEB Legal Observatory

**Francesco Buonomenna**, Associate Professor of EU Law, Department of Legal Sciences, University of Salerno, Member of the EUVALWEB Legal Observatory

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**24 March 2023**

University of Salerno  
Department of Legal Sciences, Hall 3 – h. 2:30 P.M.

## Cross Border Security: What News from the EU Migration and Asylum Proposals?

**Teresa Russo**, Associate Professor of EU Law, Department of Legal Sciences, University of Salerno, EUVALWEB Chair Holder

**Ana Nikodinovska Krstevska**, Associate Professor in EU Law and EU Foreign Policy, Head of the Center for Analysis of Law and Policies, Law Faculty, University 'Goce Delčev' of Štip (North Macedonia), Member of the EUVALWEB Team Chair

**Stefano Amadeo**, Full Professor of EU Law, Department of Legal, Language, Interpreting and Translation Studies, University of Trieste

**Rossana Palladino**, Associate Professor of EU Law, Scientific Coordinator of the Jean Monnet Module 'EU-DRAW', Department of Legal Sciences, University of Salerno, Member of the EUVALWEB Legal Observatory

**Maria Adelaide Massimi**, ASGI Project Officer, Coordinator for the 'Sciabaca' and 'Oruka' Projects

**Giuliana Postiglione**, Deputy Commissioner of the State Police, Head of the Immigration Office at the Salerno Police Headquarters

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**31 March 2023**

University of Salerno  
Department of Legal Sciences, Hall 3 – h. 2:30 P.M.

## **EU Cooperation on Justice: A Focus on the Role of Lawyer and Deontological Rules**

(organized in cooperation with the Salerno Bar Association Council)

**Teresa Russo**, Associate Professor of EU Law, Department of Legal Sciences, University of Salerno, EUVALWEB Chair Holder

**Gaspare Dalia**, Lecturer of Comparative Criminal Procedural Law, Department of Legal Sciences, University of Salerno, Member of the EUVALWEB Legal Observatory

**Adriano Maffeo**, Associate Professor of EU Law, Department of Law, University "Federico II" of Naples

**Francesco Mazzei**, Lawyer, Former Secretary of the Salerno District Disciplinary Council

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**14 April 2023**

University of Salerno  
Department of Legal Sciences, Hall 3 – h. 2:30 P.M.

## The Protection of Fundamental Rights in the Framework of Mutual Recognition Instruments and the Activities of EU Bodies in Criminal Matters

**Teresa Russo**, Associate Professor of EU Law, Department of Legal Sciences, University of Salerno, EUVALWEB Chair Holder

**Jordan Daci**, Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences, Associate Professor of Constitutional Law and Human Rights Law, Albanian University of Tirana (Albania)

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**20 April 2023**

University of Salerno  
Department of Legal Sciences, Hall 2 – h. 9 P.M.

## **Integration and Cooperation Challenges in the EU Area of Freedom, Security and Justice**

(organized in cooperation with the Jean Monnet Module 'EU-DRAW', Scientific Coordinator Prof. Rossana Palladino)

**Teresa Russo**, Associate Professor of EU Law, Department of Legal Sciences, University of Salerno, EUVALWEB Chair Holder

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**Agnieszka Frąckowiak-Adamska**, Professor of University, Chair of the Department of International and European Law, Faculty of Law, Administration and Economics, University of Wrocław (Poland), Vice President of EAPIL

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**4 May 2023**

University of Salerno  
Department of Legal Sciences, Hall 3 – h. 2:30 P.M.

## **EU's Harmonization of National Criminal Law**

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Scientific Coordinator Prof. Emanuela Pistoia)

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**11 May 2023**

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## **Security Standards v. Human Rights Standards in Cross-Border Police and Judicial Cooperation**

(organized in cooperation with the Law Clinic in Forensic Science, Prof. Gaspare Dalia, DSG UNISA, and Prison Law, DSG UNISA, Prof. Girolamo Daraio, and the Jean Monnet Module 'European Criminal Justice', Scientific Coordinator Prof. Emanuela Pistoia)

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