

Italian Students for Individual Liberty (ISFIL) and Milton Friedman Society (SBL-MFS) are proud to announce the first European Liberty Conference, hosted by 11-12th October by Bocconi University in Milan.

The event will be an occasion for classical liberals from all over the world to discuss the future of liberty in Europe, with sessions dedicated to most important contemporary issues, from a free-market perspective, but with an eye to alternative points of view, in order to stimulate a constructive debate.

ISFIL is a national student association devoted to the cause of liberty. It gathers students from all Italian universities; its first goal is to create a unified movement of young classical liberals and to stimulate the public debate inside colleges.

SBL-MFS is a Bocconi-based student association that describes itself as pro-market, pro-individual choice, voluntarist and open to all the students that want to share this views. It promotes liberal values through various initiatives aimed at spreading the culture of liberty.

We hope you enjoy your time at the European Liberty Conference.

*Studenti Bocconiani Liberali - M. Friedman Society
Italian Students For Individual Liberty*



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EUROPEAN LIBERTY CONFERENCE

11 - 12 October 2010

Università Bocconi

10 October

7.00 pm Registration of participants and Welcome Cocktail

11 October

9.00 am **Welcome Address**
Carlo Cordasco
Alberto Manassero
Luca Mazzone

9.30 am **Inaugural Lecture**
Anthony De Jasay

9.50 am  **Session on the EU Debt Crisis
The Financial Crisis and Its
Consequences**

European Sovereign Debt Crisis
Antonio Martino

**P.I.I.G.S. in Financial Distress:
The Case of Spain**
Ignacio Conde-Ruiz

Round Table
Francesco Giavazzi
Michele Boldrin
Maria Cannata
Pierre Garelo
Alessandro De Nicola (*moderator*)

1.30 pm

Lunch Break

2.45 pm

Parallel Sessions

**Session IA
Lessons From Thatcherism**
Antonio Masala
Gabriele Vecchio (*moderator*)

**Session IB
Classical Liberalism and the Impact of
Religion on Politics**
Pasquale Annicchino
Kishore Jayabalan
Alberto Manassero (*moderator*)

**Session IC
Against Intellectual Monopoly.
Intellectual Property Rights and
Innovation**
Michele Boldrin
Gregory Engels
Kim Salvadori (*moderator*)

**The Values of Liberty in Modern
Democracies**

**Democracy and Classical
Liberalism**
Tibor Machan
Anthony De Jasay

4.00 pm **A Public Choice Approach to
Representative Democracy**
Francesco Forte

Round Table
Mario J. Rizzo
John Hasnas
Sebastiano Maffettone
Carlo Cordasco (*moderator*)

8.00 pm **End of Conference**

Dinner sponsored by Tea Party Italia

12 October

9.30 am  **Session On Global Warming
Challenges For A Sustainable
Development: Environment and
Energy**

**Do We Need Another Five-year Plan
For Renewables?**
Franco Battaglia

**Is There a Conflict Between
Environment Protection and
Economic Freedom?**
Chicco Testa

Round Table
Carlo Stagnaro
Edoardo Croci
Roberto Festa
Caroline Boin
Gustavo Cevolani
Riccardo Galli (*moderator*)

12.00 pm **Parallel Sessions**

**Session 2A
The Role of Media and Communication
For an Effective Campaign**
Claudio Velardi
Annalisa Chirico (*moderator*)

**Session 2B
Students For Liberty, a Model For
Europe**
Alexander McCobin
Carlo Cordasco (*moderator*)

**Session 2C
A Free-Market Approach to
the Internet**
Massimiliano Trovato
Daniele Venanzi (*moderator*)

1.30 pm **Lunch Break**

2.30 pm **The Fight for Liberty**

**Individual Liberties and Political
Competition**
Jim Lark

**Free Market Ideas and Developing
Nations: Innovation and
Investments**
Thomas Adedayo

Round Table
Francesco Valli
Alberto Mingardi
Emmanuel Martin
Piercamillo Falasca
Kristian Niemetz
Kishore Jayabalan
Alexander McCobin
Luca Mazzone (*moderator*)

4.00 pm **Coffee Break**

4.15 pm **Closing Lecture**
Tibor Machan

Discussion and Networking