

Federalism and Language

17-21 February 2020 in Innsbruck
24–28 February 2020 in Bolzano/Bozen



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	Monday, 17 February UNO-Saal Welcome and Introduction	Tuesday, 18 February Language in Constitutional and Political Context	Wednesday, 19 February Language in Applied Linguistics, Economics, Case Study Europe	Thursday, 20 February Federalism and Language in International Organizations	Friday, 21 February Practice
09:00-10:30	09.00-10.00 Registration and Official Opening		Multilingualism in Multilevel States Prof. Brigitta Busch	9.30-10.30 Key Note Speech Ambassador Lamberto Zannier, OSCE High Commissioner on National Minorities	
11:00-12:30	10.00-11.00 Key Note Speech Dr. Lobsang Sangay, President of the Central Tibetan Administration	Language Policies in Multilevel Systems Prof. Alan Fenna	Costs and Benefits of Language and Federalism Prof. Federico Boffa	Round Table Discussion Ambassador. Lamberto Zannier; Prof. Alexandra Xanthaki; Prof. Vesna Crnić-Grotić Chair: Prof. Francesco Palermo	Simulation Game Dr. Martina Trettel und Dr. Alice Valdesalici
	11.30-13.00 Federalism and Language – an Introduction Prof. Francesco Palermo				
LUNCHBREAK					
14:00-15.30	<i>City of Innsbruck: Reception and Guided Tour (tbc)</i>	Federal Constitutions and Language Prof. Eva Maria Belser	EU Language: Rights and Barriers Prof. Elena Ioriatti	Workshops with the three experts of the morning session	<i>Cultural Programme in Innsbruck/Tyrol</i>
16.00-17.30					
20:00-22:00	<i>Welcome Evening</i>				

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	Monday, 24 February Subnational Autonomy and Regulations of Languages	Tuesday, 25 February Federalism and Language in America, Europe and Asia	Wednesday, 26 February Federalism and Language in Africa, Practice	Thursday, 27 February Federalism and Language in Asia, Practice	Friday, 28 February Conclusion
09:00-10:30	Subnational Autonomy and the Accommodation of Linguistic Diversity: Constitutional Design and Governance Models Across Europe Dr. Elisabeth Alber	Federalism and Language in Canada Prof. Johanne Poirier	Federalism and Language in Africa Prof. Yonatan Fessha	Federalism and Language in South East Asia Prof. Joshua Castellino	Conclusion and Diploma Ceremony
11:00-12:30	Beyond Consociationalism: Linguistic Rights and Identity Politics in South Tyrol Dr. Elisabeth Alber				
LUNCHBREAK					
14:00-15:30	Visit at the South Tyrolean Parliament including discussion with Provincial Counsellors and Guided City Tour	Linguistic Diversity in India and Sri Lanka Prof. Asanga Welikala	Workshops <i>Education Governance – Dr. Elisabeth Alber; Multilingualism and Legal Language – Dr. Maria Stopfner, Dr. Elena Chiocchetti; Migration and Integration – Dr. Karl Kössler; Participation in Multilingual Environments – Dr. Martina Trettel</i>	Student Presentations	Cultural Programme in Bolzano/Bozen, South Tyrol
16:00-17:30		Federalism and Language in European Federal States Prof. Patricia Popelier			