

The Center for EU Enlargement Studies cordially invites you to the lecture entitled

The New Generation of Association Agreements between the EU and its East European Neighbours

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April 24 (Friday) 2015 at 2.00 p.m.

CEU, Nádor 11, 004 Smart room



Peter van Elsuwege is Professor of European Union law at University of Ghent, Belgium. He holds a PhD in law from University of Ghent (2007). His research activities focus on the law of EU external relations. Specific attention is devoted to the legal framework of the relations between the European Union and its East European neighbours. Peter Van Elsuwege is also the academic coordinator of a Jean Monnet Module on “The Legal Dimension of EU External Relations” and an affiliated member of the Centre for the Law of EU External Relations (CLEER) and the Centre for Russian International, Socio-Political and Economic Studies (CERISE).

In times of rising interest of Eastern Neighbourhood and Caucasian countries to tie its bonds stronger with the EU the lecture makes an important contribution towards a better understanding of EU’s external policy. Professor Elsuwege will discuss in a comparative perspective how the new generation of Association Agreements (AAs) are constructed, why they are unique in their nature and what constitutional challenges for the effective implementation they hold.

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