

GOVERNANCE AFTER LISBON

Friday 28th April 2006

Raeburn Room, Old College, University of Edinburgh, EDINBURGH.

09.45: Arrival

10.00-10.10: Welcome and Introduction – Prof. Kenneth Armstrong, Convenor ESRC Seminar Series on Lisbon Strategy.

10.10-10.35: Prof. Jonathan Zeitlin (University of Wisconsin-Madison), 'The Lisbon Strategy, the Open Method of Coordination, and the Future of EU Governance'

10.35-11.00: Prof. Iain Begg (London School of Economics), 'Is There a Convincing Rationale for the Lisbon Strategy?'

11.00-11.15 Discussant – Mr. Luc Tholoniati (former co-ordinator of Lisbon Strategy DG Empl, European Commission)

11.15-11.30 Discussion

11.30-11.45 Coffee

11.45-12.10 Dr. Susana Borrás (Roskilde University), 'Institutional Leadership: the European Commission and the Lisbon Strategy.'

12.10-12. 25 Discussant – Dr. Myrto Tsakatika (Athens University).

12.25-12.50 Discussion

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14.00-14.25 Dr. Claire Kilpatrick (Cambridge University), 'How Law-Like is the European Employment Strategy?'

14.25-14.50 Prof. Kenneth Armstrong (Queen Mary, University of London), 'Law and Lisbon; The Contestation of European Social Governance and the Future of OMC'

14.50-15.05 Discussant – Prof. Jo Shaw (University of Edinburgh)

15.05-15.15 Discussion followed by Coffee

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15.30-15.55: Prof. Claudio Radaelli (University of Exeter), 'Whither "Better Regulation" Policy for the Lisbon Agenda?'

15.55-16.10 Discussant – Scottish Exec. (Better Regulation)

16.10-16.30: Discussion and Close.



IMPLEMENTING THE LISBON STRATEGY: POLICY CO-ORDINATION THROUGH OPEN METHODS