



The Centre for European Studies  
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is pleased to invite you to a talk by

## **Prof. Dr. Hans Dieter Klingemann**

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# **Cultural Diversity, European Identity, and the Legitimacy of Europe**

Hans-Dieter Klingemann is one of the world's most renowned political scientists, having made major international contributions to the study of comparative political behaviour, party politics, and political ideologies. He is the recipient of this year's prestigious John G. Diefenbaker Award, provided by the Canada Council for the Arts. In connection with this award, Prof. Dr. Klingemann is based at Simon Fraser University while conducting research on political representation and political identity. The talk engages the issue of legitimacy and identity of the European Union (EU), which has been on the public and academic agenda at least since the Maastricht Treaty (1993). The failure of the constitutional referendums in France and in the Netherlands, the subsequent rejection of the Lisbon Treaty in the Irish referendum, and the accession negotiations with Turkey provide the backdrop for two important issues addressed in the lecture: How deeply should the EU be politically integrated and how far to the East and Southeast should it be enlarged?

**Where: DT 2017, 20<sup>th</sup> Floor, Dunton Tower, Carleton University**

**When: Tuesday, March 24th, 2:30 p.m.–4:00 p.m.**

*Light refreshments will be served at 2:15 pm before the talk*

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