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29.11.2012 20H00 FLAGEY - STUDIO 4

THE EUROPEAN DREAM IN TIMES OF CRISIS

A debate between the American author of
*The European Dream: How Europe's Vision of the Future
Is Quietly Eclipsing the American Dream*

JEREMY RIFKIN

and the Indian Professor and political scientist

RAJEEV BHARGAVA

chaired by the Belgian journalist
MIA DOORNAERT

Free entrance - Language of the event: English

Mandatory online registration: <http://deburen.eu/en/events/detail/the-european-dream-in-times-of-crisis>

29.11.2012 GOETHE-INSTITUT

14:30 - 15:45

Workshop on Demography and Mobility

16:15 - 17:30

Workshop on Concepts of Power

30.11.2012 GOETHE-INSTITUT

09:30 - 10:45

Workshop on Economy and Ecology

11:15 - 12:30

Workshop on Dimensions of Culture

*GETTING SMALLER - DIMENSIONS AND PERSPECTIVES OF A SHRINKING EUROPE

Today's EU is the result of a process lasting over 60 years that has seen member states gradually adapt to new European realities. The concept of Getting Smaller is closely connected to the notion of sharing sovereignty and decision making-responsibilities. Today, such notions are becoming increasingly important as economic crises, geopolitical shifts and questions about language and identity put new strains on the EU. The ability to take example from the longer standing member states and the decisions, good and bad, they have taken in the past, seems to be essential. Can we turn these new European realities to our advantage and how? Which strategies would enable us to make good use of our experience of Getting Smaller?

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