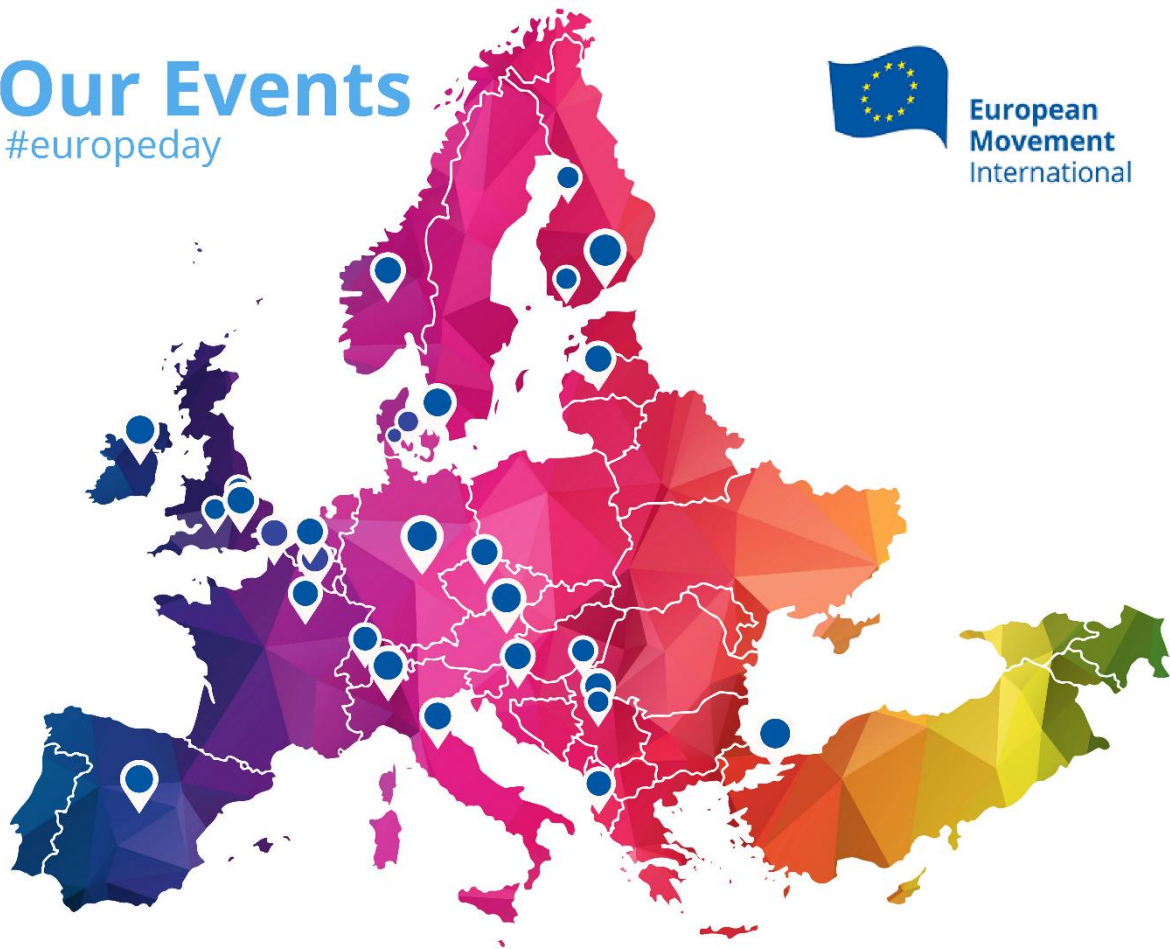


EUROPE DAY 2018 EVENTS

Our Events
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Ireland

Dublin

Large scale citizens dialogue on Europe Day featuring Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs, Simon Coveney, Minister for European Affairs, Helen McEntee and European Ombudsmen, Emily O'Reilly. The dialogue will act as a reflection on citizens engagement on the future of Europe; jobs, competitiveness and sustainable growth, youth, education and innovation; The experience of EU citizens living in Ireland and Irish citizens working in EU institutions.

UK

London

Europe Day Picnic 2018, 13th May: Join Greenwich for Europe and Lewisham East for Europe at their second annual Europe Day picnic, being held in collaboration with European Movement City & East

branch. Bake cakes, bring food, bring drink, bring games, bring flags, bring music, bring your friends and family, bring your pets, bring EU-themed things, and let's have a great day! Find out more here: http://www.europeanmovement.co.uk/europe_day_picnic_2018

Milton Keynes

Brexit – ‘what does it mean for me and my future?’: This event has been specifically designed for young people (16 to 25 year olds) and provides a unique opportunity to explore the question "What does Brexit mean for me and my future?" There will be a number of high profile guest speakers from both sides of Brexit debate. Find out more here:

http://www.europeanmovement.co.uk/brexit_what_does_it_mean_for_me_and_my_future

Salisbury

Europe Day with Salisbury for Europe, 13th May: Join EM member for a cycle and a picnic! Find out more here: http://www.europeanmovement.co.uk/europe_day_with_salisbury_for_europe

Italy

Milan

International meeting of representatives of traditional and new pro-European organisations and networks. Discussion and debate about how to enhance and empower ‘civic’ contribution and active participation in building a more integrated Europe.

Venice

The European Cultural Heritage for Citizens Festival (5th – 31st May): Event to celebrate the Festival of Europe which will host exhibitions and meetings aimed at fostering a more informed European citizenship. Find out more here:

http://www.movimentoeuropeo.it/index.php?option=com_icagenda&view=event&id=78:5-maggio-venezia-apertura-festa-dell-europa-2018-il-patrimonio-culturale-europeo-per-i-cittadini&Itemid=437&date=2018-05-05-11-00

Finland

Helsinki

EM Finland will host a major citizens festival in Helsinki city center. The theme is urban EU and the event will consist of cultural segments, speeches, games and other activities directed to citizens. Find out more here: <http://www.eurooppalainensuomi.fi/fi/event/284/1/>

Oulu

A day of celebration under the theme of "Making the EU of tomorrow" featuring music, games, speeches and other exciting activities. Find out more here- <http://eurooppa-paiva.fi/tapahtumat/oulu>

Turku

European Day on Regional Development, Economy and Politics. Europe Direct Southwest Finland organizes a full day event in the Turin City Library's Studio, Linnankatu 2. The event is open to the public and offers an interesting program of discussion and debate. Find out more here:

<http://www.eurooppalainensuomi.fi/fi/event/284/1/>

Denmark

Copenhagen

Europe day, What now, EU?: Uffe Østergård and Jens-Peter Bonde, authors of the book 'What Now EU?' come together to give a lecture on the crises facing the EU and what can be done going forward.

Odense

Celebration of Europe Day in the Royal Garden, Odense: Find out more here:

<https://europabevaegelsen.dk/event/fejring-europadagen-kongens-have-odense/>

EU debate at VUC Odense with Margrete Auken: Listen to what Pavia Jacobsen (Alternate), Margrete Auken (Socialist People's Party) and Mathias von Jessen (Radical Left) think about the EU on Europe Day 9 May 2018 and answer your own questions. The event is open to everyone. Find out more here:

<https://europabevaegelsen.dk/event/eu-debat-paa-vuc-margrete-auken/>

Defense Union - Youth Policy debate: European Youth Fyn invites you to a debate with the youth political parties on the Union of Defense- 'Should we keep the defense reservation or not?'

Aabenraa

Europe Day in Aabenraa with Region South and South Jutland!

<https://europabevaegelsen.dk/event/kom-europadag-aabenraa-region-syd-soenderjylland/>

Aarhus

Pulse of Europe in Aarhus: European Youth Aarhus is hosting their very own "Pulse of Europe" march. Along the way there will be discussion and celebration! Find out more here:

<https://europabevaegelsen.dk/event/pulse-of-europe-aarhus-2/>

Bornholm

Europe Day 'Free movie show': Free film production at Rønne Bio- Award-winning and EU-supported "Darkest Hour" about legendary British Prime Minister Winston Churchill.

Austria

Vienna

Europe Day Matinee: Austrian Commissioner Johannes Hahn joins a discussion about Europe's role in the increasingly complex geopolitical climate of today's world. There will also be a focus on what the upcoming Austrian presidency can bring in terms of confronting some of the key issues in international relations facing the union. Find out more here: <http://www.eb-austria.eu/nachrichten/matinee-zum-europatag-zukunfteu-eu-der-zukunft-welche-rolle-fuer-die-friedensmacht-europa/>

Spain

Madrid

The Faculty of Political Science at Complutense University is organizing a seminar about the future of Europe. The seminar will bring together professors, politicians and journalists for a robust debate.

Serbia

Belgrade

There will be an open-air photo booth set up in central Belgrade where passers by can take photos with EU logos to celebrate the day. A radio host from Omladinski raio Novi Sad will join EM members at an info stand to talk about Europe Day 2018 activities. Finally, EM will be organizing a film screening to celebrate European culture.

Lazarevac

Workshops for women in art and craft; debate and workshop for youth on EU myth-busting.

Smederevo

Public debate in Smederevo in cooperation with the Faculty of Political Sciences Uni. Of Belgrade on the protection of water sources.

Croatia

Zagreb

Award ceremony: The European Home of Zagreb and the European Movement Croatia are hosting an awards ceremony for an international and national competition for the youth in Croatia. The theme of this year's competition was '2018: European Year of Cultural Heritage'. Find out more here:

<http://www.europe.hr/projekti/europa-u-skoli/svecano-urucenje-nagrada-europa-u-skoli-2018/>

Award Ceremony: President of the Government of the Republic of Croatia Mr. Sc. Andreja Plenković will be presented with European Movement Croatia's most prestigious award in recognition of his work promoting Croatian interests in the international community and advocating for European values. The ceremony will be held on Europe Day at 3 pm at the European House Zagreb, Jurišićeva 1/1. Find out more here: <http://www.europe.hr/projekti/dan-europe/svecana-dodjela-nagrade-za-europski-govor-godine/>

France

The Ardennes

The Movement contributes to the organization of the Charleville-Mézières European Festival on Wednesday 9 May with the young people of the Maison des Loisirs et de la Culture and the Le Lac Social Center.

Pas-de-Calais

EM France volunteers take the inhabitants by bus to discover the projects financed by European funds in the urban community of Arras. They will also host an information stand in front of the Arras Town Hall and participate in a tribute to Simone Veil on site on Wednesday, May 9th.

Point- Saint-Marie

Informal European breakfast in the city of Pont-Saint-Marie.

Troyes

European café on the theme of "travel to Estonia" will help people to get to know Estonia, the last country to hold the presidency of the Council of the EU before passing the torch to Bulgaria in January 2018.

Haute-Garonne

The Movement is associated with art and heritage days on May 15 in Toulouse to raise awareness of cultural Europe through exhibitions, film screenings and the organization of several conferences and debates.

Île-de-France

Members are on the forecourt of the Paris City Hall on Saturday 12 and Sunday 13 May to raise awareness in the Paris region. The Movement is mobilized throughout the region, as in the Val-de-Marne where several exchanges with the inhabitants are planned from May 12.

Find out more about all of European Movement France's events here: <https://mouvement-europeen.eu/mouvement-europeen-mobilise-partout-france-fete-de-leurope/>

Germany

Berlin

'Women of Europe 2018' Award Ceremony: Since 1991, the European Movement Germany has been honoring women who, through their courageous, creative or persistent voluntary work, are particularly committed to the growing together and consolidation of a united Europe with the "Women's Europe – Germany Prize". This year, European Movement Germany is pleased to present Düzen Tekkal with the title of European Woman 2018. Find out more here: <https://www.netzwerk-ebd.de/termine/preisverleihung-preis-frauen-europas-2018/>

Latvia

'European Exam': Citizens of all ages are invited to test their knowledge of the European Union in this public online exam. Everyone who passes the European Exam will receive a certificate of participation and there will be great prizes for best performer in each age category. Find out more here: <http://www.eiropaskustiba.lv/9-maijs-piedalies-eiropas-eksamena-un-svini-kosi/>

Norway

Trøndelag

Distribution of cakes and soda in Nordre. EM Norway invites the public to come and talk and enjoy some cake!

European Café- 'PESCO EU Defense Club without Norway': What are the consequences for Norway that we are outside the EU from a defense and security policy perspective?

In connection with Europacafé there will also be an annual meeting of the European Movement in Trøndelag.

Find out more about these events here: <http://www.europabevegelsen.no/events/europadagen-i-trondheim-2/>

Turkey

Istanbul

Europe Day is being celebrated by youth and professors from Denmark, Finland, France and the Netherlands who will meet students and professors from Bilgi, Bosphorus, İstanbul, Okan, Özyeğin and Yıldız Universities. EM Turkey will host a 'world café event where 60 participants will discuss and debate a variety of issues such as migration, security, enlargement and many more. You can find out more here: <http://turabder.org/en/event/celebrating-europe-day-83/>

Switzerland*Bern*

Young European Swiss are conducting a poll in Bern on the reasons why Europe is important to people. Find out more here: <http://y-e-s.ch/?s&event-date=1525824000>

Macedonia

Events taking place in Macedonia include a best young painter competition where primary school children will get creative with the 'My message to Europe' theme; a European Flag Day where the EU and Macedonian flags will be set on top of Vodno as a mark of EU integration; and a student debate at University St. Kliment Ohridki Bitola about the future of Europe.

Albania

'Message from Europe/Message to Europe': EMA intends to undertake a set of activities that will help in informing and bringing together different parts of society to discuss the EU, the future of Albania in the EU and how to contribute towards the process of EU integration. Activities planned include open forums, workshops and opening up to the public of an an EU simulation game.