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CALL FOR PAPERS

10th Annual Graduate Student Conference

“Ripple Effects” of the European Project

February 10-12, 2006

Georgetown University, Washington, DC

The EU, in its unique attempt at supranational governance, has had wide-ranging effects not only on its member states, but also on global actors outside the EU, among them individual nation-states, transnational corporations, and NGOs. The 10th Annual CGES Graduate Conference is an opportunity for Masters and Doctoral candidates from the humanities and social sciences to explore the many “ripple effects” the European project has had on global interaction and exchange.

The Conference is multidisciplinary in nature, generally with one panel from each of four disciplines: History, Cultural Studies, Political Science and Economics. Abstracts might consider addressing the following issues:

- Antecedents of responses to EU policies and institutions
- Cultural challenges and effects of the European integration project
- Political consequences of the EU on domestic actors
- Questioning the neo-liberal economic trend in Europe and its effects

At the close of the conference, two papers will be selected to receive ‘Best Paper’ awards on the basis of their academic quality, as judged by the panel commentators. Selected papers will each receive a \$250 award.

Abstracts Submission Deadline: E-mail by November 15, 2005

Abstracts should be 300-500 words (1-1.5 pages) in length and will be accepted only via email; please include a CV with your submission. Participation is limited to Master’s and Doctoral students currently enrolled in degree-granting programs. A limited number of travel grants are available. Send submissions to:

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