

## A Few Words from our Team

The Glendon International Studies Symposium is an annual initiative led completely by students to bring together a diverse community of stakeholders concerning a chosen geographic area. This year, rather than a single country, our group of 5 decided to highlight the European Union. Because of its rich and unique history, its place on the world stage as well as the increased focus in recent years on migration and separation, we thought discussing identity specifically was particularly fitting.



This process started in the classroom, where we were led by Professor Willem Maas to learn about the ins and outs of the European Union, with most of our team not knowing anything about the EU mere months ago. Throughout this process, we have built a foundation strong enough to invite leading experts in their respective fields to present their research to you through this symposium.



Without the gracious support of our sponsors, panellists, moderators, esteemed guests, the International Studies Department, as well as the wider Glendon community, none of this would have been possible. We would like to thank each and every one of you for supporting the 25th anniversary of the symposium and we hope that you all enjoy!

– Azure, Sherry, Lucas, Upanishad, Ali  
– Your Symposium Team

## Schedule of Events

9:15 – 10:00: Registration in the Centre of Excellence

10:00 – 11:30: Migration Panel in GH 102 (Manor)

- Francis Garon
- Dagmar Soennecken
- Philip Triadafilopoulos

Moderated By: James Cypher

11:30 – 13:00 Lunch in the BMO Ballroom

- Performance by the Glendon Musical Ensemble

13:00 – 14:30: EU Citizenship Panel in GH 102

- Claudia Diehl
- Willem Maas
- Agnieszka Weinar

Moderated by: Dan Berbecel

14:45 – 16:15: Identity on Different Scales Panel in GH 102

- Julian Campisi
- Antonio Cazorla-Sanchez
- Philip Giurlando

Moderated by: Sabine Dreher

16:15 – 17:00: Reception in the BMO Ballroom

- Refreshments and light snacks served

