Conference: *What Europe? Ideals to Fight for Today*  
March 27 and 28, at the ICI Berlin Institute for Cultural Inquiry

**Schedule**

**Thursday March 27**

18:30 *Introduction: What Europe? Ideals to Fight for Today*  
Roger Berkowitz (Hannah Arendt Center, Bard College New York)

18:45 *Keynote Introduction*  
Dr. Gabriele Freitag (German Association for East European Research - DGO)

19:00 *Opening Keynote: Ukraine: Soviet Past, European Future?*  
Timothy Snyder (Yale University)

**Friday March 28**

10:30-12:00 *Opening Panel: Where is Democracy to Be Found in Europe Today?*  
Speakers:  
Ivan Krastev (Centre for Liberal Strategies, Sofia)  
Eirini Avramopoulou (ICI Berlin)  
Ulrike Winkelmann (taz Berlin)

14:00-16:00 *Panel: Is There a European Idea?*  
Speakers:  
Patrick Bahners (F.A.Z.)  
Roger Berkowitz (Hannah Arendt Center, Bard College New York)  
Walter Russell Mead (Bard College New York)

16:30-18:00 *Panel: What Use Are Europe’s Heritages in Looking to the Future?*  
Peter Baehr (Lingnan University, Hong Kong)  
Agata Lisiak (Bard College Berlin)  
Rob Riemen (Nexus Institute, the Netherlands)

18:15 *Closing Remarks*  
Catherine Toal (Bard College Berlin)

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