Executive Summary:

This II Workshop on *Reconceptualization of European Union Citizenship* is intended to continue the analysis of the European citizenship under construction. Special attention will be pay to recent contributions of ECJ case-law that is –progressively- giving shape to the concept. While the idea of citizenship is always a concept that excludes human beings from a legal situation that others are going to enjoy, it is necessary to reach an inclusive model of European citizenship regarding third country nationals residents and, indeed, to develop a status totally respectful with human rights (family and private life, superior interest of minors, humanitarian reasons, roots, etc.) The border between EU Law and the national law of the Member States needs to be revised in order to avoid loopholes that could risk the profile of the Rule of law.

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12.30  RECEPTION (Main Entrance)
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12.45  LUNCH

13.45  Welcome: Julio Martínez Martínez S.J. Vice-Rector for Research, Development and Innovation of Universidad Pontificia Comillas.

SESSION I:
European citizenship. Inset of the substance of European citizenship

Chair/Commentator: Cristina Gortázar Rotaeche (Universidad Pontificia Comillas)
Speakers

14.00  Dimitry Kochenov (Groningen University): UE citizenship and the multiplication of the scope ratione materiae tests: a welcome development?

14.20  Debate


15.00  Debate

15.20  Coffee Break


15.50  Debate

SESSION II:
European citizenship. The border between EU Law and the national law of the Member States

Chair/Commentator: Elspeth Guild (University of Nijmegen)
Speakers

16.10  Alina Tryfonidou (University of Reading): Redefining the Outer Boundaries of EU law: The Zambrano and McCarthy rulings

16.30  Debate

16.50  Coffee Break

17.00  Salomé Adroher Biosca (Universidad Pontificia Comillas): European citizenship and conflict of laws: dual nationality and private law matters.

17.20  Debate

17.40  Francisco Javier Moreno Fuentes (CSIC) and Alberto Martín Pérez (CSIC): Loose limits and loopholes in national and EU citizenship: Spanish nationality in the case of Western Sahara.

18.00  Debate

18.20  Dora Kostakopoulou (University of Manchester): Citizenship derogations.

18.40  Debate

21.00  Dinner

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SESSION III:
European citizenship. Social and solidarity dimension

Chair/Commentator: Dora Kostakopoulou (University of Manchester)
Speakers

9.00  Elspeth Guild (University of Nijmegen) and Paul Minderhoud (University of Nijmegen): Does European citizenship blur the borders of solidarity?

9.20  Debate

9.40  Sandra Mantu (University of Nijmegen): The temporal dimensions of EU social citizenship

10.00  Coffee Break

10.50  Annette Schrauwen (University of Amsterdam): Access and Portability of students grants and loans: where targets meet free movement.

11.10  Debate

SESSION IV:
European citizenship and integration of the Third Country Nationals. The Spanish Case.

Chair/Commentator: Salomé Adroher Biosca (Universidad Pontificia Comillas)
Speakers

11.30  José María Ruiz de Huidobro (Universidad Pontificia Comillas): Social integration of Third Country Nationals and Spanish nationality law.

11.50  Debate

12.10  Diego Acosta (Sheffield University): Long-term residents and integration: the Spanish case.

12.30  Debate

13.00  Visiting Old Madrid. Lunch