



NEWSLETTER

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New Café Evropa

Welcome to the first newsletter of August.

During July, the 20th **European Summer School** took place in Prague. The program, which focused on the complexity of climate change and the EU's approach and solutions to this ever-growing problem, attracted 21 students from all over the world to Prague.

On Tuesday 25th of July, the first episode of the **new Café Evropa podcast: Generation Z discusses Europe - Why do we need to talk about the EU?** (in Czech) was released. The main goal of this podcast is focusing on the guests' personal views on European topics and the role of the Czech Republic in the European Union. The guests of the first interview were the influencer Sváťa Berek and the head of the Representation of the European Commission in the Czech Republic, Monika Ladmanová. The podcast is available in all podcast apps.

We would like to invite you to the upcoming debate, which takes place as part of the **Café Evropa** debate cycle, and will take place during the Prague Pride Festival. Come and listen to the debate of Adéla Horáková (*lawyer, Jsme fér*), Marcel Kolaja (*Member of the European Parliament, Pirates, Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance*) and Viktor Kunderák (*Director, Department of Human Rights and Protection of Minorities, Government Office*) on Wednesday 9. 8. to the Expo58 on the topic: **Café Evropa: What is the EU doing for the rights and protection of LGBT+ people?** The debate will be moderated by Czesław Walek (*director, Prague Pride Forum*) and held in Czech language.

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EUROPEAN SUMMER SCHOOL IN PRAGUE



The European Summer School took place in Prague from July 8 to July 15, which welcomed 21 students from all over the world in this year's jubilee twentieth year. The report from the eight-day summer school can be read [here](#).





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Policy Paper | Quo Vadis? Ensuring fair taxation in the digital economy

In her policy paper, our Junior Researcher, Silke Maes, discusses the challenges posed by the increasing digitalization of the economy to tax systems. Read the policy paper [here](#).

Policy Paper | Securing Green Transition

Our Senior Research Fellow, Kateřina Davidová and Research Associate, Jonathan Lyons, in partnership with the Global Policy Research Group, have collaborated on a study that examines the secure and sustainable supply of critical raw materials (CRMs) that are key to green technologies. Read the study [here](#).



 

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Upcoming events



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The debate will be held in Czech language.

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