

Immigration Policy after 9/11: U.S. and European Perspectives  
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Immigration policy in the United States and Europe went under the microscope after the terror attacks of 9/11. Since that time we have seen major changes in the bureaucracies that regulate immigration, but has that led to much of a change in the way that the borders are controlled, the numbers of immigrants coming into the country, asylum policy or immigrant integration? This conference will examine this broad range of issues in order to gain a better understanding of if, how and why these policies have changed in the U.S. and Europe, also with a perspective from Australia.

The Chairs of the conference will be Terri Givens (Center for European Studies, Government Department), David Leal (Public Policy Institute, Government Department) and Barbara Hines (Immigration Law Clinic, Law School).

Panel 1 – National Security & Post 9/11 Immigration Policy Discussants: Ami Pedhazur – UT,  
Gary Freeman – UT Austin  
Jim Hollifield – Southern Methodist University  
James Hampshire – University of Sussex  
Frank Bean – UC Irvine

Panel 2 -- Border Issues-- Discussant: Robert Loughran – Tindall & Foster  
John Ritchie – State Department  
Carlos Iturregui – Department of Homeland Security  
Barbara Hines – UT Austin  
Christina Boswell – Hamburg Institute of International Economics  
Jesus Montero – Spanish Government

Panel 3 – Asylum Issues --- Discussant: Karen Engle – UT  
Karen Musalo – UC Hastings  
Eiko Thielemann – London School of Economics  
Deborah Anker – Harvard University

Panel 4 – Immigrant Integration - Discussants: Cas Mudde, Emily Skop – UT  
Kitty Calavita – University of California, Irvine  
Valerie Hunt – Southern Methodist University  
Louis Desipio – University of California, Irvine  
Randall Hansen – University of Toronto

Panel 5 – Comparative Law-- Discussants: Adam Luedtke – University of Washington  
Richard Boswell – UC Hastings  
Valsamis Mitsilegas – University of London  
James Jupp – Australian National University  
Marc Rosenblum – University of New Orleans and Migration Policy Institute

Panel 6 – Overview and Wrap-up  
Gary Freeman – UT Austin  
Frank Bean – University of California, Irvine  
Cas Mudde – University of Antwerp

Keynote Speaker (Thursday afternoon)  
Demetri Papademetriou – Migration Policy Institute