

CONVERSATIONS ON EUROPE

FREE TRADE OR PROTECTIONISM?

Isolationism amidst globalization

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For the first installment of the *Conversations on Europe* series for 2016-17, our panel of experts will discuss the debate over free trade that has gained political traction in both the EU and the U.S. of late. What are the arguments being made for or against protectionism or fair trade on both sides of the Atlantic? How do we account for the rising hostility to NAFTA and TPP here in the U.S. and to TTIP and continued economic union in Europe? What are the post-Brexit vote implications?

Audience participation is encouraged. To join remotely, contact kal68@pitt.edu.

Panelists:

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Moderator:

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