

Support by:  
Patrocinio di: REGIONE LAZIO  
Assessorato per le Politiche Sociali  
PROVINCIA DI ROMA  
COMUNE DI ROMA

Segreteria Scientifica:  
Prof. Pasquale Sandulli  
Prof. Giulio Prosperetti  
Prof. Edoardo Ales  
Dott. Vincenzo Nasti  
Dott.ssa Paola Bozzao  
Dott. Giorgio Verrecchia

e-mail:  
e.ales@unicas.it  
giove00@libero.it

Segreteria Organizzativa:  
dSA da Schio Associati Srl  
V.le Bruno Buozzi, 77  
00197 - ROMA  
ITALY  
tel. +39 06 36006705  
fax. +39 06 32506505  
e.mail: info@daschioassociati.com

Convegno organizzato nell'ambito della ricerca  
cofinanziata dal MIUR  
*"Un nuovo metodo d'integrazione Comunitaria alla  
prova: il coordinamento aperto delle politiche per  
l'occupazione e per l'inclusione sociale"*



*EISS 2004 CONFERENCE ROME*  
*23 - 25 September 2004*  
Rome - Italy

## FEDERALISM AND SUBSIDIARITY IN SOCIAL SECURITY

## FEDERALISMO E SUSSIDIARIETÀ NELLA SICUREZZA SOCIALE

*CONFERENZA ANNUALE DELL'ISTITUTO  
EUROPEO DI SICUREZZA SOCIALE  
ROMA 2004*

*23 - 25 settembre*  
Roma - Italia



Cassa  
Forense

Pens Plan  
Centrum

## Programme

### Thursday 23 September

09.00 - 11.00 Presidium Meeting

11.00 – 13.00 Bureau Meeting

#### *First Session*

(University of Rome “La Sapienza” Faculty of Sociology  
Via Salaria, 113)

13.00 – 15.00 Registration of Participants

15.00 – 15.30 Opening and Welcome

**Prof. Jos Berghman**  
President EISS-KU Leuven

**Prof. Pasquale Sandulli**  
President Italian Section EISS  
University of Rome “La Sapienza”

15.30 – 17.30 Social Security and subsidiarity

#### *Multi-level Approach to Social Security: an Historical Perspective*

**Prof. Lorenzo Gaeta**  
University of Siena

#### *Social security and subsidiarity: in search of concepts and models*

**Dr. Steven Vansteenkiste**  
Minister President's Office of The  
Flemish Government

#### *How small can beautiful be, and how large would become ugly? The question of optimal size, spatial demarcations and risk calculus for sustainable local governance*

**Prof. Ajeet Mathur**  
University of Tampere

17.30 – 18.00 Discussion

18.00 – 19.00 EISS General Assembly

19.30 Reception and Major Welcome  
Sala della Protomoteca - Campidoglio

### Friday 24 September

(Cassa Forense Hall – Via E. Q. Visconti, 8)

#### *Second Session*

9.30 – 11.00 Subsidiarity and Welfare States

#### *The Nordic Social Security Model and the Subsidiarity principle*

**Prof. Lotta Westerhäll**  
Business School of Gothenburg

#### *Vertical Subsidiarity in the Italian “Federal” Experience: a Work in Progress*

**Prof. Maurizio Cinelli**  
University of Macerata

11.00 – 11.30 Coffee Break

11.30 – 13.30 Panel Dedicated to Social  
Insurance Bodies

INPS  
*Centrum Pens Plan*

13.30 – 15.00 Lunch

#### *Third Session*

15.00 – 18.15 Federalism and Subsidiarity

#### *The Legitimacy of Community Social Rights. Comparing Ideal-typical Models of European Federalism*

**Prof. Stefano Giubboni**  
University of Firenze

#### *Decentralization of the Old - Age pensions in the Federal States: A comparative analysis*

**Prof. Jesus Ruiz-Huerta Carbonel**  
University of Madrid Complutense  
**Dr. José Manuel Díaz Pulido**  
University of Essex

#### *Subsidiarity in old-age security in the enlarged European Union*

**Prof. Maciej Zukowski**  
University of Poznan

17.15 – 17.30 Coffee Break

#### *Horizontal Subsidiarity in Pensions: an EU Law Perspective*

**Prof. Silvano Piccininno**  
University of Rome “La Sapienza”

18.15 – 19.15 Discussion

20.30 Social Dinner

### Saturday 25 September

#### *Fourth Session*

(Lateran University, Facoltà di Diritto civile - Piazza San Giovanni in  
Laterano)

9.00 – 9.30 Welcome by the Academic Authorities

**S.E. Mons. Rino Fisichella**  
Rector Lateran University  
**Prof. Rev. Gaetano De Simone**  
Dean Facoltà di Diritto civile

9.30 – 11.00 Social Security and the Open Method  
of Coordination

#### *Social Federalism, Subsidiarity and Open Method of Coordination*

**Prof. Theodoros Sakellariopoulos**  
Panteion University Athens

#### *The ‘open method of coordination’ as an instrument for implementing the principle of subsidiarity?*

**Prof. Jürgen Kohl**  
University of Heidelberg

11.00 – 11.15 Presentation of the Research  
Group on the Open Method of  
Coordination

11.15 – 11.30 Coffee Break

11.30 – 12.30 General Discussion

12.30 – 13.00 Conference Conclusions  
**Prof. Frans Pennings**  
University of Utrecht

13.00 – 14.00 Light Lunch

14.00 – 19.00 Cultural Programme