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	<u>SUNDAY, AUGUST 31</u>	11,30-13,00	Working groups
12,00-17,00	Arrival of participants, reception and check-in	16,30-18,00	Feedback from the groups and discussion with the speakers
17,00-17,30	Welcoming and introduction		
17,30-18,30	WHAT IS A FEDERAL STATE? (FEDERALISM VS. NATIONALISM), Francesco Ferrero, UEF-Italy Deputy Secretary General; Stefanie Scharrenbach, JEF-Germany	18,00-19,30	Regional unification processes: Africa, Middle East, South America, Hazem Hanafi, Egyptian Foreign Affairs Office; Jean Paul Pougala, African Federalist Movement; Fernando Iglesias, WFM; Jean Francis Billon, UEF-France, James Arputharaj, WFM
18,30-19,30	PLENARY DEBATE		
			<u>THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4</u>
	<u>MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1</u>		
09,30-11,00	FEDERALISM, PEACE AND ECOLOGY, Guido Montani, UEF-Italy President; Bartek Lech, European Greens	09,30-11,00	A EUROPEAN FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND A EUROPEAN CONSTITUTION: STRATEGY AND ACTION OF THE FEDERALIST ORGANISATIONS, Joan Marc Simon, UEF Secretary General; Peter Matjasic, JEF Secretary General; Chiara Cipolletta, JEF-Italy President
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	<u>TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2</u>		
09,30-11,00	THE NEED FOR A NEW GLOBAL, POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC ORDER Bill Pace, Executive Director of the World Federalist Movement, Francesco Pigozzo, JEF-Italy; Ferdinando Riccardi, Agence Europe	17,30-18,00 18,00-19,30	Feedback from the groups Discussion with the speakers
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			<u>FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5</u>
	<u>WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3</u>		
09,30-11,00	TOWARD A EUROPEAN SECURITY STRATEGY: WHAT EUROPEAN FOREIGN AND SECURITY POLICY IN THE BALKANS? Alfonso Sabatino, UEF-Italy; Ingvil Louise Nurberg, JEF-Norway International Officer; Elisabeth Alber, EURAC.	11,30-13,00	Discussion with the speakers