



Mission Statement: Having grown up in a Europe increasingly aware of its shared and common responsibility, we believe in the promise of the European project, European integration, and the European Union.

Vision: European Horizons is a US-based, non-partisan think-tank devoted to exploring the meaning of European identity, modernizing and reforming the concept of the social market economy, advancing the cause of European integration, and deepening transatlantic relations. To this end, European Horizons has established a network of students, professors, and European decision-makers, with links to academia, politics, civil society, and business. Together, we will engage in a constructive dialogue that will propound a platform of ideas for reforming the European Union and setting a policy vision for its future.

Opportunities: European Horizons convenes an annual European Student Conference at Yale University, hosts a Fall Policy Convention, publishes research and policy papers through its academic journal, *The Review of European and Transatlantic Affairs*, and maintains chapters across universities in the United States and Europe.



European Horizons at UW-Madison

The UW-Madison Chapter of European Horizons is a non-partisan student organization at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. Housed at the Center for European Studies with support from the Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence, the Chapter is directly affiliated with the European Horizons' headquarters at Yale University.

Student Opportunities:

Think-tank members have access to many unique social and academic opportunities. These opportunities include the ability to:

1. Apply to the annual European Student Conference at Yale University
2. Publish research and policy papers through *The Review of European and Transatlantic Affairs* academic journal
3. Publish newspaper articles in papers such as the Huffington Post
4. Network with top European students, academics, policy-makers, and business leaders
5. Engage in intellectual discussions with like-minded Europeanists
6. Gain valuable think-tank experience for future academic and career goals



Policy Areas:

European Horizons UW-Madison Chapter is open to all undergraduate and graduate students from all disciplines. However, we are particularly focused on four main policy areas:

1. European Identity
2. Social market economy
3. European Integration
4. Transatlantic Relations

Eligibility:

All members must:

1. Be in good standing at the University
2. Have a 3.0 GPA or higher
3. Attend at least 3 meetings per semester
4. Write and submit at least 1 policy paper per year
5. Have a strong interest in the European Union

To Apply:

Contact Sean Bray at spbray@wisc.edu.

The Foundations

European Horizons was founded on February 14th, 2015 at the European Student Conference 2015 at Yale University by undergraduate and graduate students from 45 American universities and College d'Europe. The idea of the think-tank sprung from a group of European students at Yale University who were inspired by their deep commitment to the future of the European ideal and the state of transatlantic relations.

Studying and living in the United States, these students aspired to use their perspective from both sides of the Atlantic to build a think-tank that could unite bright young minds in order to articulate and advance a credible plan for the future of the European Union.

After a period of preparation, we conceived the name "European Horizons" as an evocative symbol of the think-tank's focus on the future potential of the European project.

From the beginning, non-Europeans, and particularly Americans, were central to European Horizons. European Horizons was created as a think-tank open to all individuals with an honest interest in the future of the European Union, and we currently have many non-Europeans participating in our activities. We have valued this inclusiveness and are convinced that it will raise awareness about the values, vision, and actions of the European Union in countries beyond Europe.

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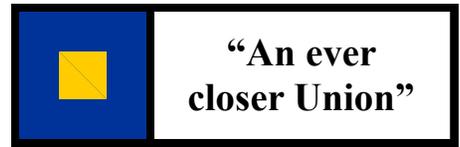
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