

Matthias Waechter | Jean-Claude Vézé (eds.)

Europe

Between Fragility and Hope



Nomos

Denkart Europa | Mindset Europe

Denkart Europa|Mindset Europe presents international academic analyses and contributions on a broad range of Europe-related subjects. The book series addresses the general public worldwide and contributes to the reflection on political and societal developments in Europe. With Denkart Europa|Mindset Europe, the foundation ASKO Europa-Stiftung and Europäische Akademie Otzenhausen present the outcomes of their versatile activities. Its monographies, anthologies, essays and handbooks invite to a continuous interdisciplinary discourse on Europe.

edited by ASKO Europa-Stiftung, Saarbrücken and
Europäische Akademie Otzenhausen.



Matthias Waechter | Jean-Claude Vézé (eds.)

Europe

Between Fragility and Hope



Nomos

With the support of the German Research Foundation and ASKO-Europa-Stiftung.

The Deutsche Nationalbibliothek lists this publication in the Deutsche Nationalbibliografie; detailed bibliographic data are available on the Internet at <http://dnb.d-nb.de>

ISBN 978-3-8487-6881-3 (Print)
978-3-7489-0976-7 (ePDF)

British Library Cataloguing-in-Publication Data

A catalogue record for this book is available from the British Library.

ISBN 978-3-8487-6881-3 (Print)
978-3-7489-0976-7 (ePDF)

Library of Congress Cataloging-in-Publication Data

Waechter, Matthias / Vérez, Jean-Claude

Europe

Between Fragility and Hope

Matthias Waechter / Jean-Claude Vérez (eds.)

198 pp.

Includes bibliographic references.

ISBN 978-3-8487-6881-3 (Print)
978-3-7489-0976-7 (ePDF)



Onlineversion
Nomos eLibrary

1st Edition 2020

© Nomos Verlagsgesellschaft, Baden-Baden, Germany 2020. Overall responsibility for manufacturing (printing and production) lies with Nomos Verlagsgesellschaft mbH & Co. KG.

This work is subject to copyright. All rights reserved. No part of this publication may be reproduced or transmitted in any form or by any means, electronic or mechanical, including photocopying, recording, or any information storage or retrieval system, without prior permission in writing from the publishers. Under § 54 of the German Copyright Law where copies are made for other than private use a fee is payable to “Verwertungsgesellschaft Wort”, Munich.

No responsibility for loss caused to any individual or organization acting on or refraining from action as a result of the material in this publication can be accepted by Nomos or the editors.

Contents

Preface 9

(1) The EU – Defender of Democratic Values?

A stronger Europe in an illiberal world? 13

Sebastian Franzkowiak

EU values: a fragile and outdated foundation for EU-ropean unity? 23

Gabriel N. Toggenburg

How to make the democratic system resilient in the new global environment of the 21st century? 35

András Inotai

Resilience and governance of the European Union 43

Arnaud Leconte

(2) The EU – A Provider of International Security and Cooperation?

Permanent Structured Cooperation: not a panacea but an important step for consolidating EU security and defence cooperation 55

Kyriakos Revelas

Europe-Asia Connectivity – A Dramatic Shift in Global Relations 67

Hartmut Marhold

Les perspectives des relations Union européenne-Afrique 77

Jean-Claude Vérez

Des enjeux européens relatifs à la régulation du cannabis 83

Mohamed Ane

Contents

NATO at Seventy: The Need to Redefine the Transatlantic Bargain <i>Anna Dimitrova</i>	89
Quelles perspectives pour la Défense européenne ? <i>Claude Nigoul</i>	99
Could a Greener Economy Lead to a Polluted Planet? <i>Jean-Marie Rousseau</i>	105
(3) The EU – Which Role in its Neighbourhood?	
Russia and the EU – the helix of alienation <i>Susann Heinecke</i>	115
China’s Balkans Silk Road: Does it pave or block the way of the Western Balkans to the European Union? <i>Magda Stumvoll and Tobias Flessenkemper</i>	125
Where to now for Enlargement? Key Challenges to Western Balkans’ accession into a Brexiting European Union <i>Florent Marciacq</i>	133
La question des frontières en Europe Frontières en Europe, frontières de l’Europe <i>Yvan Gastaut</i>	141
France and Central Asia – Time for a new vision? <i>Susann Heinecke</i>	149
(4) Internal Challenges	
La crise de la zone euro est-elle derrière nous ? <i>Laurent Baechler</i>	161
Germany’s New Instability <i>Hartmut Marhold</i>	169

Contents

Règlement Général de l'Union européenne sur la Protection des Données : tout le monde est-il prêt ? <i>Marta-Claudia Cliza et Laura-Cristiana Spataru-Negura</i>	177
Le déclin démographique de l'Europe à l'horizon 2050 puis 2100 <i>Jean-Claude Vérez</i>	185
Frontière franco-italienne : criminalisation des femmes en mobilité <i>Pinar Selek</i>	191

