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## The Participatory Democracy in the European Union

A workshop organised by Notre Europe and the Centre d'études européennes at Sciences Po

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9h45 AM – 5h00 PM

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Room H202b (2<sup>d</sup> floor)

28 rue des Saints Pères – 75007 Paris

- 9:45 AM**      **Welcome and Introduction**  
Renaud Dehousse (Sciences Po/CEE, Director)  
Gaëtane Ricard-Nihoul (Notre Europe, General Secretary)
- 10 :00 AM**    **Why is the EU interested in Participatory Democracy?**  
Sabine Saurugger (Sciences Po Grenoble)
- 10:30 AM**    **A Review of EU Participatory Experiments**
- Monica Burch (Farnet): *the transnational conferences in the fisheries domain*
  - Pierangelo Isernia (University of Siena) : *EuroPolis*
  - Henri Monceau (Ministry of economics and new technologies of Wallonia, Chief of staff) : *Tomorrow's Europe*
  - Gerrit Rauws (King Baudouin Foundation): *Meeting of Minds, European Citizens' Consultations*
  - Carlo Sessa (Isis) : *RAISE, Move together*
- 12:30 AM**    **Lunch**
- 2:15 PM**      **Problems, Lessons to be drawn and Best Practices**  
General discussion with the participation of:
- Loïc Blondiaux (University of Paris I)
  - Laurie Boussaguet (University of Versailles Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines)
  - Daniel Boy (Sciences Po/CEVIPOF)
  - Sophie Duchesne (Sciences Po/CEE, CNRS)
  - Isabelle Durant (European Parliament, Vice-President in charge of the relationship with civil society)
  - Cécile Le Clercq (European Commission, DG Communication, Unit 2)
  - Bernard Manin (EHESS)
  - Yves Sintomer (Centre Marc Bloch, Berlin, University Paris 8)
- 5:00 PM**      **Conclusion**