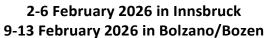


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Federalism and Innovation





	Monday, 2 February Welcome and Introduction UNO Saal	Tuesday, 3 February Theory Sowi Aula	Wednesday, 4 February Theory Sowi-Aula	Thursday, 5 February Practice Claudia Saal	Friday, 6 February Practice Sowi Aula					
09:00- 10:30	09.30-10.30 Official Opening	Competitive Federalism Prof. Eva Maria Belser	Constitutional Courts as Innovators of Federal Design Prof. Anna Gamper	10.00-12.15 Round Table Discussion: Innovation in Policy Making Moderator: Prof. Jens Woelk Dr. Mariachiara Alberton, Prof. Marcelo Jenny; TBD	Simulation Game Dr. Francisco Javier Romero Caro Mag. Petra Malfertheiner					
11:00-	Introduction: Federalism and Innovation, Federalism as Innovation Prof. Francesco Palermo		Team building activity							
	LUNCHBREAK									
14:00- 15.30 16.00- 17.30	City of Innsbruck: Reception and Guided Tour	Subnational Constitutional Autonomy as Innovation Hubs Prof. Patricia Popelier	The Role of Digitalisation for Multi- Level Bureaucracy TBD	14.30-16.00 Short specialized input presentation and discussion sessions on that topic with experts Prof. Jens Woelk; Dr. Mariachiara Alberton, TBD	Cultural Programme in Innsbruck/Tyrol					
	Welcome Dinner at Tyrolean restaurant				Dinner (optional)					



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2-6 February 2026 in Innsbruck 9-13 February 2026 in Bolzano/Bozen



	Monday, 9 February Conference Hall	Tuesday, 10 February Case Studies Conference Hall	Wednesday, 11 February Case Studies Conference Hall	Thursday, 12 February Practice Conference Hall	Friday, 13 February Conclusion Conference Hall				
09:00- 10:30	Italy Dr. Elisabeth Alber	Innovation in Common Law vs Civil Law federations	Federalism and Innovation in the African context Prof. Nico Steytler	Federalism and Innovation in the South American context Dr. Ana Tereza Fernandes	Conclusion and Diploma Ceremony, farewell				
11:00- 12:30	Subnational Autonomy, Case Study South Tyrol Dr. Elisabeth Alber	Prof. Vito Breda							
LUNCHBREAK									
14:00- 15:30	14.30 Visit at the South Tyrolean Parliament including discussion with Provincial Counsellors 16.00 Guided tour Bolzano Dr. Georg Grote	Interactive Workshops: Federalism, Innovation and 1) Economy (Dr. Alice Valdesalici) 2) Democracy (Dr. Jonas Kaschka) 3) Migration (Dr. Emilia Melossi, Dr. Sophia Schönthaler) 4) Public Health (Dr. Sara Parolari)	Federalism and Innovation in the Asian context	Student Presentations	Visiting of a vinery and wine tasting (optional)				
16:00- 17:30									
19.30- 21:00	19.30 Dinner (optional)		Visit Victory Monument (optional)		19.30 Dinner (optional)				