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State aid regulation has withstood the test of the fiscal and banking crisis

On Friday, 19th October 2012, the Center for European Integration Studies in cooperation with the law firm Gleiss Lutz organized a „first round table on state aid law regulation of financial markets and institutions“. In a nutshell, the event was centered on the current practice of the European Commission with regard to the application of EU state aid notices and guidelines that were adopted during the financial and monetary crisis on the basis of Art.

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ZEI Class of 2013 has begun its studies

23 participants from 17 nations started their studies at ZEI on October 08, 2012. Over the next twelve months, the fellows of the “Master of European Studies” (MES) are going to deepen their knowledge of political, economic and legal aspects of the European integration process.

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Poland and Greece -
Two Contrasting
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Ryszard Rapacki:
Poland and Greece – Two Contrasting EU Enlargement Experiences

The aim of this contribution is a comparative analysis of the challenges Poland and Greece (and more broadly – ten former socialist countries from Central and Eastern Europe or CEE-10, and Greece, Ireland, Portugal and Spain or GIPS) had to face in the past as latecomers to the European Union and are facing now, in the aftermath of the world financial and economic crisis of 2008-09.

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Sustaining regional integration through research and analysis

The Center for European Integration Studies (ZEI) and the West Africa Institute (WAI) in Praia, Cape Verde, started their long-term research cooperation 2012-2016 with a first study group meeting in Praia. On this occasion, renowned scholars from Europe and Africa discussed challenges of sustainable regional integration.

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Economic Partnership
Agreements in the EU's
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Claudia Rommel:
Economic Partnership Agreements in the EU's post-Lomé Trade Regime: Negotiations with West Africa

The Discussion Paper deals with the negotiations between West Africa and the EU in order to conclude an Economic Partnership Agreement. The paper shows how the EU has shifted from a preferential trade relationship with the ACP countries in the Lomé Treaty to a reciprocal free trade relationship.

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