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***Finding a United Path through Differentiation:
Scenarios and Ideas for the Way Forward***

DiCE Regional Assembly

organised by the Institut für Europäische Politik (IEP)

in cooperation with

the Trans European Policy Studies Association (TEPSA)

Monday 16 May 2022

15:00h-16:30h

(All times are CET)

Online Event

The event will be in English with no translation

The DiCE Regional Assemblies foster a dynamic discussion on the future of the European Union as well as potential scenarios of differentiated integration. They provide a platform for the exchange between researchers from the [DiCE network](#) as well as EU and regional policy experts. The participants' expertise and active discussions during these events contribute to bridging the gap between the EU and regional level policymaking. The goal of each DiCE Regional Assembly is twofold. First, the assemblies inform regional political representatives about the different future scenarios of integration in the EU. Second, they draw knowledge from the representatives themselves, who will provide valuable feedback on why and how the EU influences their daily work. This is particularly relevant in Germany, where the Länder-level representations play an important role in the implementation of EU policies.

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15:00-15:10 Words of Welcome

Almut MÖLLER, State Councillor (secretary of State) and Plenipotentiary of the Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg **(tbc)**

Dr. Funda TEKIN, Director, Institut für Europäische Politik (IEP), Berlin

Henry KAEDING, Trans European Policy Studies Association (TEPSA), Brussels

15:10 -16:20 DiCE Presentations by Researchers and interactive Roundtable discussion

Dr. Dia ANAGNOSTOU, *EU3D*, Hellenic Foundation of European and Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP) **(tbc)**

Dr. Paolo CHIOCCETTI, *InDivEU*, European University Institute (EUI), Florence

Dr. Piero TORTOLA, *EU IDEA*, University of Groningen

Moderator Dr. Funda TEKIN, Director, Institut für Europäische Politik (IEP), Berlin

16:20-16:30 Concluding Remarks

Henrik LESAAR, Head of the European Policy Department, Senate of the Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg

Dr. Vittoria MEISSNER, Research Advisor, Institut für Europäische Politik (IEP), Berlin