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**Towards the  
European elections**

*For a federal Europe*



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UNION OF EUROPEAN FEDERALISTS

**25-26 November 2023**

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# After Valencia

## For a true European democracy: There can be no true European democracy without an autonomous EU fiscal power



Union of European Federalists - UEF Secretariat

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Historically, the creation of fiscal power has coincided with the founding act of a political community, and has required strong democratic control over who wields it; hence democratic societies have always required fiscal power to be exercised by parliament. Today, the attribution of fiscal power to the European Parliament (together with the Council of the European Union, under the ordinary legislative procedure) is an indispensable condition for building an effective and fully democratic European Union.

At present, the EU budget depends on the will of the individual member states. On the revenue side, Article 311 TFEU stipulates that the system of own resources shall be decided by the Council unanimously and that the decision shall then be approved by the individual Member States in accordance with their respective constitutional requirements. In this procedure, the representative body of the citizens - the European Parliament - is only consulted and each government retains the right of veto on the issue of resources transferred and then used by the EU budget.

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# FOCUS ON THE CONFERENCE ON THE FUTURE OF EUROPE OUR CAMPAIGN-2021



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RIGHT OF VETO  
BY GIVING  
MORE POWER  
TO THE EU**



~~TAXATION~~  
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# The aggression against Ukraine



**UEF Statement**  
on the war in Ukraine and

**WE ALL STAND WITH UKRAINE**

**FREITAG, 4. März**  
RÖMERBERG, FRANKFURT

**18.00**

**WITH PRESIDENT** **LIVE**  
**VOLODYMYR ZELENSKY**

\* Simultaneous demonstrations with other European cities.

**1:04**

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A FEDERAL EUROPE.  
A FEDERAL EUROPE  
NEEDS YOU.**

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petition on  
**change.org**

@lorenzoeppis

**CAFE KYIV** **27.02.2023**

**Ukrainian EU membership**  
**What YOU can do about it**  
**and how WE get organized**  
**WORKSHOP - HYBRID EVENT**  
27 FEBRUARY 2023, 19:00 | CAFE KYIV | ROOM  
LUHANSK | KARL MARX ALLEE 34 10178 BERLIN

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**Saturday 5 March**  
**19:30 CET**

**#MOREEUROPE NOW**  
WE STAND WITH UKRAINE







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For a federal Europe, sovereign and democratic  
**#moreEUROPEnow #toFedEU**



2.462 hanno firmato. Arriviamo a 2.500.

Più firme aiuteranno questa  
petizione a **ottenere una risposta**  
da parte del decisore. Aiuta a  
portare questa petizione a **2.500**  
firme!

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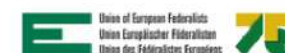
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## THE TIME IS NOW

YOUR NEWSLETTER ON  
THE CONFERENCE ON THE FUTURE OF EUROPE

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## THE UEF REPRESENTATIVES IN THE CONFERENCE ON THE FUTURE OF EUROPE

5th Plenary Session  
of the COFE  
25.03.2022  
Workgroup on European  
Democracy



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on the Future  
of Europe

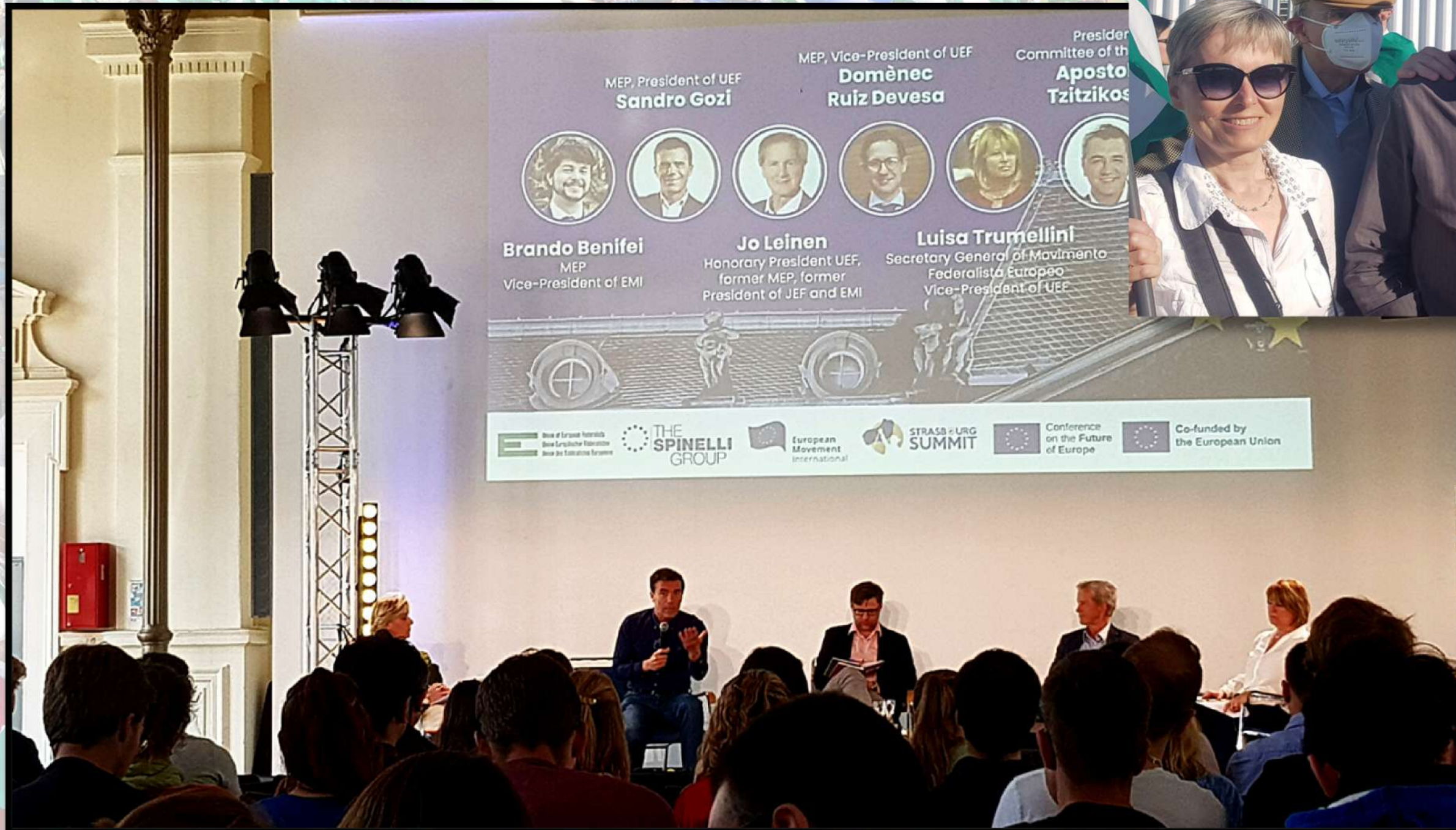


# 8 May 2022 - Participation March for Europe





# 9 May 2022 - End of the COFOE



Anna Echterhoff  
@AnnaEchterhoff

After the [#CoFoE](#), the work continues: a process of Treaty change is necessary to realise the long-awaited reforms to the [EU](#) institutional architecture. Count on the commitment & support of [@federalists](#) and its local, regional & national sections across the [EU](#)!



Dubravka Suica and 9 others

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EU must equip itself to become stronger, more united and more democratic.

That is why we strongly support the call in the CoFoE conclusions for a Convention to open up the reform of the Treaties.

29.04.2022

7th Plenary Session of the Conference on the Future of Europe

**Sandro GOZI**  
**UEF President**



ABOUT Ideas Events

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**Federalist proposal is part of the CoFoE proposal**

**European Parliament should decide on the budget of the EU as it is the right of parliaments at the national level**

Proposal n. 38, n. 4, "European Democracy"  
Proposal of the Conference on the Future of Europe

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# After the COFOE



To the European Council

2-12-2022

Subject: Usage of the CoFoE proposals.

Dear members of the Council of the ministers of the European Union.

Today, December 2nd, the citizen component of the Conference on the Future of Europe will receive feedback on the decisions made regarding the future use of the proposals elaborated. That will be welcome.

So far, we have struggled a lot to figure out what exactly each EU institution is planning to do with our work. The EU parliament kept us involved, especially after the 9th of May, and showed constant support towards our proposals. Therefore, we felt the necessity to write only to you and to the Council of ministers of the EU.

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**After the end of the CoFoE, the UEF is committed to the implementation of the CoFoE proposals and therefore supports the Citizens' Panel Ambassadors in their request for implementation of the proposals.**

**On the occasion of the event on 2 December, the CoFoE Citizens' Panels Ambassadors – who also represented citizens in the plenary of the Conference - denounced the Council's silence and obstructionism**









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PETITION TO THE  
COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION  
**RESPECT THE CITIZENS'  
WILL AND THE  
CONFERENCE ON THE  
FUTURE OF EUROPE**

**TREATY  
REFORM  
NOW**



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MATTER**



**EP  
MATTERS**



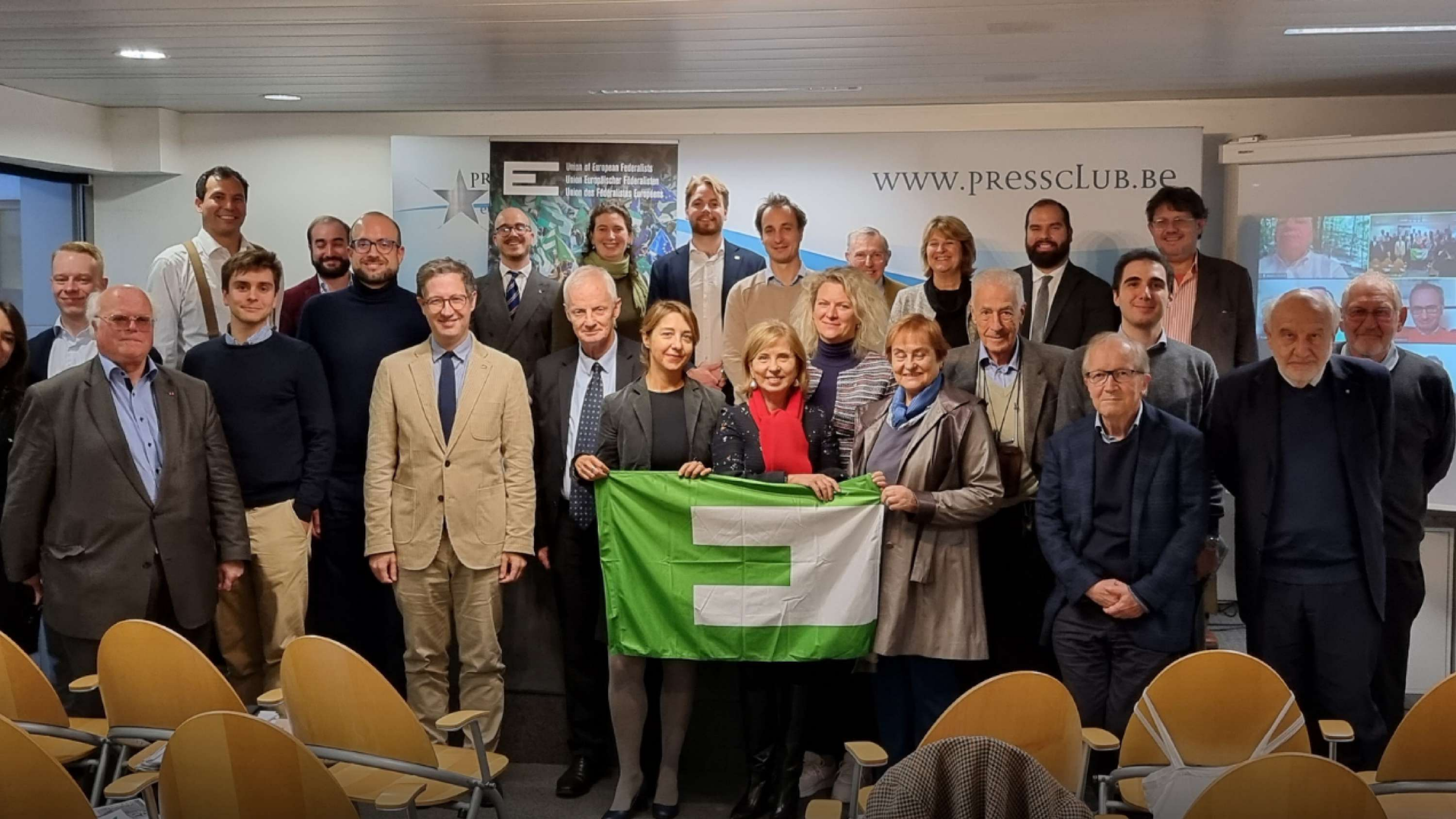


# IT'S TIME TO CHANGE EUROPE



PRESS RELEASE







*Call to action*  
**SATURDAYS  
 FOR EUROPE**

Support in your city the  
 European Parliament and the  
 reform of the EU Treaties

*17-18-19 November 2023*



**MORE EUROPE NOW**

*Feedback from*  
**SATURDAYS  
 FOR EUROPE**

*17-19 November  
 european actions*

Strasbourg  
 Foyer de l'étudiant catholique F.E.C.  
 YouTube

LIVE COMMENTARY  
 20 NOVEMBER 2023  
 18:30 - 19:30



*Let's support*  
**TREATY  
 REFORM  
 NOW!**

European Federalists at the  
 European Parliament to support  
 the vote on the proposal for  
 Treaty reform

STRASBOURG  
 21 NOVEMBER 2023  
 10:00 - 12:00



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MEP Lukas MANDL  
president UEF Austria



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