

Dublin, 27 September 2017

To MEP David Campbell Bannerman

Dear Mr Campbell Bannerman,

As coordinator of the Brexit Institute, I am contacting you to invite you to participate in the event "Brexit, Citizens' Rights and their Protection", that we organise in Dublin on 5th October 2017.

The <u>Brexit Institute</u> has been launched in June 2017 on the anniversary of the Brexit referendum with the aim to analyse the implications of Brexit from both an academic and a policy perspective. It is directed by Federico Fabbrini, Full Professor of EU Law at the School of Law & Government of Dublin City University (DCU).

Given your expertise and experience in this field, we are convinced your participation would be of great importance, and your contribution of great interest, to the debate. We would appreciate if you wanted to use this occasion to articulate your views on the challenges and opportunities that Brexit poses for the rights of the citizens.

The event will feature the participation of policy makers, such as Mrs Bertie Ahern (former Irish Prime Minister) and John Temple-Smith (Information Office in Ireland of the European Parliament). It will also feature the participation of academics, such as Brenda Daly (DCU) and Dimitry Kochenov (University of Groningen).

I would therefore be delighted if you wanted to accept this invitation to participate to this event, which would start at 1 PM and last the whole afternoon. We would try to schedule your presentation to suit best your agenda.

I sincerely hope you may be able to respond positively to this invitation. I look forward to hearing from you soon at your earliest convenience – and I very much look forward to welcoming you to Dublin. Needless to say, I remain at your disposal if you need any further clarification.

In the meanwhile, please accept my best wishes.

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