

VALEUS

Research & Education Network on Contestations to EU Foreign Policy

ValEUs is a **research network** led by **European University Viadrina**, Professor **Timm Beichelt**. It involves 20 partner institutions from 17 countries and 5 continents. The project has received a €1.2 million grant from the **European Commission** under the **Jean Monnet Policy Network (JMPN)** for three years starting in January 2024.

The main objectives of ValEUs are:

- 1 **To investigate** the various contestations of EU values and **provide a realistic account** of EU foreign policy;
- 2 **To learn** potential strategies to counter the contestations and **develop** an alternative policy agenda;
- 3 **To promote** a new role of universities as responsible actors, laboratories of democracy and committed partners in regions at risk, such as Ukraine.

The UniFi team, coordinated by Professor **Laura Leonardi**, leads the **"WP3 - Fostering joint research capacities"**, which aims to promote **fruitful and sustainable opportunities** for collaboration on network issues among ValEUs partners.



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