

Panel Discussion with Jean Lambert & Eva Lichtenberger

Brexit: A Testing Time for Politics

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What will happen after Brexit is causing unease and uncertainty among Europe's citizens. A plan to prevent a no-deal Brexit in March by giving Members of the Parliament the power to request an extension to Article 50 has failed to receive the backing of the Commons. How and if the British position on Brexit is going to change is difficult to estimate due to the imponderability within Parliament.

*These issues and other questions will be discussed by **Jean Lambert**, Member of the European Parliament for the Green Party of England & Wales, **Eva Lichtenberger**, Member of the European Parliament for the Austrian Green Party and Univ.-Prof. Dr. **Sibylle Baumbach**, head of the Academic Network „BritInn“ of the University of Innsbruck.*



Jean Lambert has been London's Green Member of the European Parliament since 1999. She is a member of *The Employment and Social Affairs Committee* working on issues including immigration, social inclusion, workers' rights and social security. She is the Vice President of the Intergroup on Ageing, on Anti-poverty and on Anti-racism & Diversity. She is also a member of the Intergroups on Disability and Gay & Lesbian rights, as well as the spokesperson on asylum and refugees for the Green group.



Eva Lichtenberger has been a Member of the European Parliament for the Austrian Green Party since 2004. She has been a consulting member of the environmental committee of the city of Hall. In 1989, she became a member of the Tyrolian Landtag and was fraction leader until 1994. From 1994 to 1999 she was the first member of the Austrian Green Party to become a minister in the state council, with the portfolio for environmental affairs. From 1999 to 2004 she was also a Member of the National Council of Austria.

