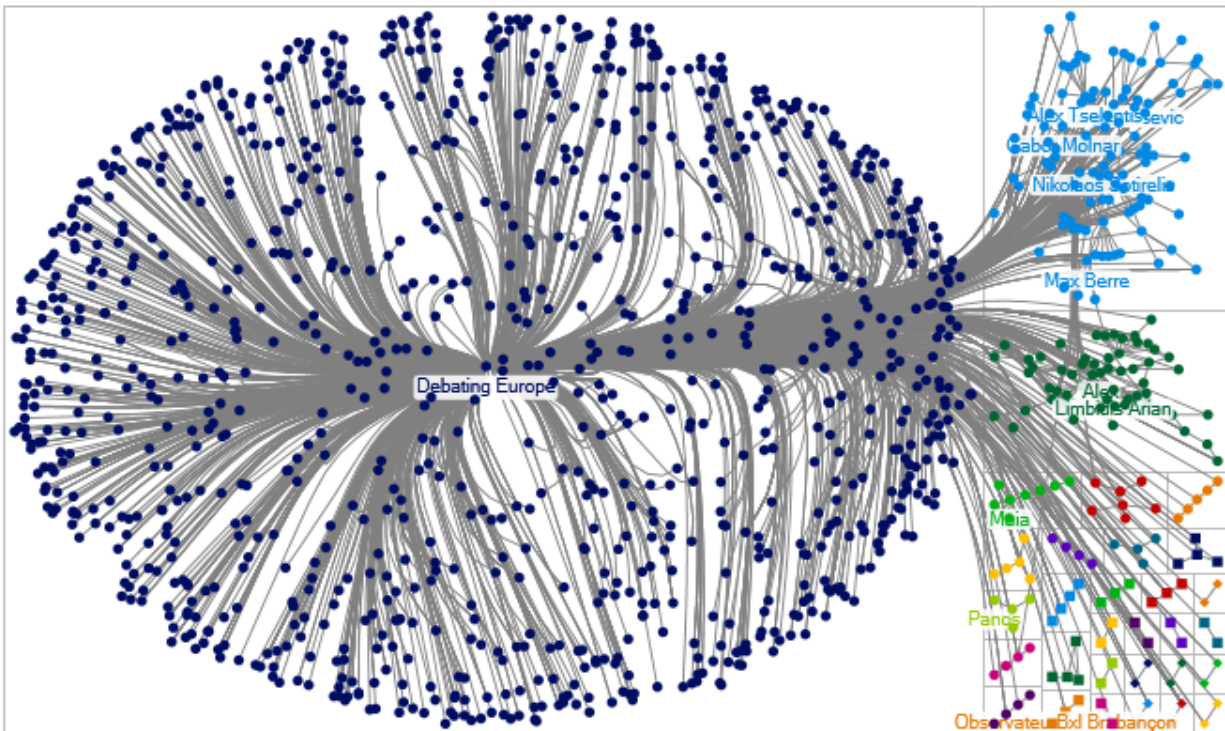


SECURITY CHANNEL – DEBATING EUROPE PLATFORM¹

THE GROUP CLUSTERS AND THE MOST ACTIVE DEBATERS

SECURITY Channel - top 10 debaters & groups - betweenness centrality



Created with NodeXL Pro (<http://nodexl.codeplex.com>) from the Social Media Research Foundation (<http://www.smrfoundation.org>)

DESCRIPTION

The graph² represents a network of the comments posted on the SECURITY Channel - Debating Europe Platform (there were selected seven debates³ having the comments above the average number of comments on this channel). The network was obtained from the NodeXL Graph Server on September 10, 2016.

¹ We selected all the debates which were above the average number of comments.

² The graph was created by Mirela Lazar.

³ The debates selected were: How should NATO respond to Russian bombing in Syria? (286 comments); What will it take to stop the rise of the so-called “Islamic State”? (302 comments); How can we prevent the radicalisation of young European Muslims? (544 comments); What is the biggest security threat to Europe right now? (517 comments); Should all European countries give up nuclear weapons? (300 comments); Why should Europe care what happens between Ukraine and Russia? (440 comments); Is the EU about to begin a “New Cold War” with Russia? (327 comments).

The graph is directed. The graph's vertices were grouped by cluster using the Clauset-Newman-Moore cluster algorithm.

The graph was laid out using the Harel-Koren Fast Multiscale layout algorithm.

OVERALL GRAPH METRICS

Graph Metric	Value
Graph Type	Directed
Vertices	1271
Unique Edges	1018
Edges With Duplicates	1718
Total Edges	2736
Self-Loops	1
Reciprocated Vertex Pair Ratio	0.015710383
Reciprocated Edge Ratio	0.030934768
Connected Components	1
Single-Vertex Connected Components	0
Maximum Vertices in a Connected Component	1271
Maximum Edges in a Connected Component	2736
Maximum Geodesic Distance (Diameter)	6
Average Geodesic Distance	2.126009
Graph Density	0.000921216
NodeXL Version	1.0.1.360