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Practical example on bilateral dimension

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Abstract

This thesis lays out both of appositive (descriptive) and normative (analytical) approaches to the study of power in International Relations. This approach emphasizes the role of cooperative security practices, region building, and pluralistic integration in order to achieve peaceful change.

My thesis discusses the challenges to cooperative Political and Economic practices in the Euro-Med process “Barcelona Process”, as well as humanitarian and social development to the respect of human existence.

This process aims to promote the construction of a “Euro - Mediterranean region” of stability and peace, economic development and regional integration have been among the key pillars in the relations with Mediterranean neighbors. The Barcelona Process, started in 1995, seeks to promote a zone of shared prosperity through three types of partnership:

- 1- Political and Security partnership
- 2- Economic and financial partnership and the gradual establishment of a regional free trade area.
- 3- Social and Humanitarians partnership

In order to understand what lies behind the EU's use of use of these practices, this paper suggests that they represent the application of liberalism theory in international relations. The practice of this theory differs significantly from traditional understanding of international relations.

The paper assess the potential of Liberalism theory concept to promote a shared sense of security political, economic and social understanding, and peoples' regional identification with, spaces and socially constructed regions that transcend the cultural and civilization borders of the Mediterranean region

The Europeans do plan for what will come after the EURO – Mediterranean partnership. Neighborhood Policy wants to be a new approach by the EU towards the Mediterranean region. The focus is now on conditionality and offering a

premium for countries implementing a comprehensive pack of economic and political reforms.

In the economic domain, the offer to participate in the European Single Market is seen as a strong incentive for reform to Mediterranean Partner Countries. *To some extent it can be called the 'Europeanization' of Mediterranean Partner Countries without becoming members of the EU.* Under this approach, MPC's should upgrade their institutions and policies to put them in line with the harmonization process that in the European integration literature is called 'Europeanization'.

The thesis will deal with 'Palestine – EU partnership' trying to foresee its implementation of the EURO – Mediterranean partnership on the bilateral bases. I will focus on the economic dimensions of the partnership, presenting some economic implications of including a Mediterranean Partner Country in the European Single Market discipline, and exploring the usefulness of modernization the MPC's as Europeanization and its feasibility.

This thesis is divided in six parts.

The first one deal with the thesis proposal and research process, the second part is an introduction to the historical EURO- Mediterranean relationship and what obstacles it will face and third part is a detailed discussion of the Barcelona process and its dimensions.

The fourth part is discussing the European role in the region whether it satisfies the partners expectations in two specific areas, the occupation and Arab Israeli long struggle, and the European Neighborhoods policy. The fifth covers the bilateral relation dimension in the partnership and Palestine European union agreement is a practical case.

The last part includes the final conclusion and the recommendation that I divided it for three target parties, the government. The private sector and civil society, finally I finish with the bibliography that I used to conclude my thesis.

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