

The Bulletin

This week's issue of The Bulletin kicks off with the first article in a two-part series about the future of electric transportation in Europe.

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An electric car being charged.
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DRIVING ELECTRIC IN EUROPE: THE CHALLENGES OF THE ELECTRIC CAR

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WHILE THE AUTOMOTIVE SECTOR, LIKE MANY OTHER INDUSTRIES, IS SUFFERING IN THE CURRENT HEALTH CRISIS, THE ELECTRIC CAR SECTOR IS BREAKING RECORDS. IN 2020, FRANCE PASSED THE 110,000TH REGISTRATION OF AN ELECTRIC VEHICLE (EV). HOWEVER, THE INTRODUCTION OF A RECORD NUMBER OF ELECTRIC VEHICLES ON OUR ROADS AND PURSUING THIS DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY HAS RAISED A NUMBER OF NEW CHALLENGES IN OUR DAY-TO-DAY LIVES.

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BY LADISLAV CHAROUZ

In just seven months, the Czech Republic has cycled through as many Health Ministers as it did during the preceding seven years.

On April 7th, Petr Arenberger, director of the University Hospital Vinohrady, became the fourth person to accept this ungrateful task.

To recapitulate: Adam Vojtěch, Health Minister since December 2017, resigned on the 21st of September as the country's daily infection rate began to be counted in the thousands. Relatively successful in his handling of the first wave of the pandemic, Vojtěch was critically undermined by Prime Minister Andrej Babiš, who struck down his proposal of an indoor mask mandate towards the end of summer.

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THE RISE OF ISLAMOPHOBIA IN DENMARK

BY RHIANNON ERDAL

Islamophobia has become a polarising topic in recent years. Often intertwining with narratives and policies on immigration, it threatens to disrupt the EU and its values. The rise of Islamophobia across Europe now poses some difficult questions; for whom is the European dream of equality and opportunity? For whom is Europe? This article will look at Denmark, which at first glance may seem to be one of the most modern and tolerant countries in the world.

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IN ORDER TO TURN THE TIDES ON GLOBALISATION, DENMARK HAS COMMITTED ITSELF TO A 'ZERO ASYLUM SEEKER GOAL'



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Current Affairs

FROM RENZI TO SALVINI: THE FURIOUS WALTZ OF THE MATTEOS

BY SAUVONS L'EUROPE

TRANSLATED BY HUNTER WILSON-BURKE

Matteo Renzi has often been presented as a kind of modern Machiavelli of the Italian political scene. The comparison is quite easy to make when you're talking about a former mayor of Florence. But if we consider the caricature of Machiavellianism—which is simplistic because the Florentine philosopher's thinking was much more profound—according to which the ends justifies the means, though the tortuous maneuvers which the former Prime Minister is accustomed to are clearly hard to miss.

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“ WITHOUT A DOUBT, THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT OF 2018-2023 WILL REMAIN ONE OF THE STRANGEST IN EUROPE'S RECENT POLITICAL HISTORY ”



Kristina Dimova in Sofia.
Credit: Kristina Dimova.

THE MEDIA START-UP TAKING ON BULGARIA'S CORRUPT PRESS: INTERVIEW WITH KRISTINA DIMOVA

BY ANNIKA PIETRUS

Freedom of press is an important pillar needed to hold democracy upright. In Bulgaria, it is crumbling.

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