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Several eminent scholars from different European countries have contributed so far to enlarge L@E content repository, by granting thought-provoking, multi-faceted interviews about relevant historical issues. Below is a list of all the experts whose interviews have been handed out so far during the experience's deployment in schools. Experts are listed in alphabetical order; the country refers to their place of origin, and in most cases – though not always - to their interviews' geographical focus.

| Experts | Interviews | Country |
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| <i>Margaret Archer - Professor of Contemporary Social Theory, Department of Sociology, University of Warwick, U.K.</i> | The role of the Reformation in U.K. history The British identity The birth of a “bottom-up” welfare state in the U.K. | U.K. |
| <i>Edoardo Bressan - Professor of Contemporary History, Università degli Studi di Milano, Italy</i> | The modern welfare state | ITALY |
| <i>Bartolomé Yun Casalilla - Professor of Early Modern History, European University Institute, Florence, Italy</i> | Thoughts on history and the European Union The “Spanish” identity Spain as a modern state | SPAIN |
| <i>Giuseppe Chiesi - Director of the Cultural Heritage Department in Bellinzona, Switzerland</i> | Switzerland and the European Union Foundation and features of the Swiss national identity The creation of the Swiss Confederacy | SWITZERLAND |
| <i>Ricardo Martín De La Guardia - Professor of Contemporary History, Universidad de Valladolid, Spain</i> | Spain after the constitution of Cadiz in 1812 Spain at the time of the Enlightenment | SPAIN |
| <i>Claudia Di Filippo - Professor of Modern History, Università degli Studi di Milano, Italy</i> | Towards the birth of national states: Europe Towards the birth of national states: the history of Italy | ITALY |
| <i>Libero Gerosa - Professor of canonical law and provost of the Faculty of Theology, University of Lugano, Switzerland</i> | The role of laicism and religion in the birth of modern states Birth and history of the Swiss state model The Swiss state model and Europe | SWITZERLAND |
| <i>Heinz Gerhard Haupt - Department of History and Civilization, European University Institute, Florence, Italy</i> | The birth of nation states The process of national identification: symbols and stereotypes The notion of nation | GERMANY |
| <i>Maris Klisans – Director of the Ventspils Museum, Latvia</i> | A short introduction to Latvian history | LATVIA |

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| <p><i>Alberto Martinelli - Professor of Political Sciences, Department of Social and Politic Studies – Università degli Studi di Milano, Italy</i></p> | <p>The formation of national states: the European Union National states and national identities European National Identities The formation of Italy as a national state Why historians, sociologists and students study history</p> | <p>ITALY</p> |
| <p><i>Yves Mény - President of the European University Institute, Florence, Italy</i></p> | <p>The Role of language in today's Europe The French Revolution and its heritage in Europe The role of language in France The birth of the French national state</p> | <p>FRANCE</p> |
| <p><i>Sven Oliver Müller - Fellow of the European University Institute, Florence, Italy</i></p> | <p>Towards German unification German national identity</p> | <p>GERMANY</p> |
| <p><i>Guillermo Pérez Sanchez - Professor of Contemporary History, Universidad de Valladolid, Spain</i></p> | <p>Colonialism and its effects on Spain modernization The Reconquista and the repopulation Spain from the fall of the Roman empire to the Arab invasion</p> | <p>SPAIN</p> |
| <p><i>Henrik Stenius, University of Jyväskylä, Department of Social Sciences and Philosophy</i></p> | <p>The history of Finland</p> | <p>FINLAND</p> |
| <p><i>Bo Stråth - Professor of Contemporary History, European University Institute, Department of History and Civilisation, Florence, Italy</i></p> | <p>The modernization of states and the birth of nationalism Sweden and the Scandinavian countries: history and relations The Scandinavian countries and a European identity</p> | <p>SWEDEN</p> |
| <p><i>Francesca Tancini, Professor of Italian Literature, Università degli Studi di Milano, Italy</i></p> | <p>The concept of homeland in literature: the cultural influence on the formation of modern states</p> | <p>ITALY</p> |
| <p><i>Vincent Viaene - Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Department of Modern and Contemporary History, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium</i></p> | <p>Belgian national identity The birth of Belgium as a national state</p> | <p>BELGIUM</p> |
| <p><i>Armand Vijups - Director of Science, Ventspils Museum, Latvia</i></p> | <p>The origin of the Latvian state</p> | <p>LATVIA</p> |
| <p><i>Marek Ziólkowski - Professor of Sociology, Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań, Poland</i></p> | <p>The formation of Poland as a state and as a nation The Polish identity The history of Poland during and after the two world wars</p> | <p>POLAND</p> |