**Essential Reading**

Some reflection...

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Please note, you may also find the other articles in this special issue relevant to your final assessment.

And some food for thought...

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* White, J. (2015) ‘[Emergency Europe](http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/1467-9248.12072/abstract)’, Political Studies, 63(2), 300-18.

**Essential Introductory Reading**

None!

If you have worked hard each week, as I'm sure you have all done so, by now you know as much about the EU as everyone else in the room! This is a sign of  clear progress and something positive to take away from the unit! Well done! ;-)

**Further Reading**

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* Majone, G. (2014) [*Rethinking the Union of Europe Post-crisis: Has Integration Gone Too Far?*](http://capitadiscovery.co.uk/port/items/1131949?query=majone+rethinking&resultsUri=items%3Fquery%3Dmajone%2Brethinking)*,* Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
* Majone, G. (2015) '[The deeper Euro-crisis or: the collapse of the EU political culture of total optimism](http://cadmus.eui.eu/bitstream/handle/1814/35281/LAW_2015_10.pdf?sequence=1&isAllowed=y)', EUI Working Paper, LAW 2015/10.
* Mearsheimer, J.J. (2010) '[Why is Europe peaceful today?](http://mearsheimer.uchicago.edu/pdfs/A0055.pdf)', European Political Science, 9(3): 387–97.
* Moravcsik, A. (2012) '[Europe after the crisis: How to sustain a common currency?](https://www.foreignaffairs.com/articles/europe/2012-05-01/europe-after-crisis)', Foreign Affairs, 91(3): 54–68.