



Closet or springboard

Reflections on the political system of the European Union based on the television series *Borgen*

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Abstract: The central character in *Borgen* was apparently inspired by two personalities whose careers were linked to the European Union, but the series only touches lightly on this subject. The European mandate is depicted as a golden cage, although the epilogue suggests that it can constitute an honorable exit or even a gateway to prestigious posts. While the series exaggerates, it draws on concrete elements. Ultimately, the holder of the European mandate must decide whether to remain in the closet or benefit from the springboard.

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