



# **Brexit:** One year to go

#### **SPRING 2018**

**European Commission publishes** recommendations on the future **EU-UK** relationship

#### **TBC**

UK/EU negotiations on a future relationship begin ("second phase")



May 3, 2018

Local elections in England and Northern Ireland

#### EUI State of the Union Conference, with speeches from Jean-Claude Juncker, Federica Mogherini June 21, 2018

June 28-29

April 16-20, 2018

Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting

**European Council** 

One year to go

September 15-19, 2018

Liberal Democrat Autumn Conference



Labour Party Autumn Conference

September 29, 2018

# Conservative Party Autumn Conference

October 18-19, 2018 **European Council** 

**September 30-October 3** 

May 10-11, 2018

and Antonio Tajani.

#### **October**

Target for having a 'political agreement' in place on the future EU/UK relationship

**November 12, 2018** 

Prime Minister's address to Lord Mayor's Banquet



December 13-14, 2018

**European Council** 

**EARLY 2019** 

European Parliament vote on the withdrawal agreement (simple majority)

March 21-22, 2019

**European Council** 

**TBC** 

Negotiations continue on UK-EU trade agreement

June 20-21, 2019

European Council

TBC

Second referendum on Scottish independence

**TBC** 

European Council vote on final UK-EU future relationship agreement; unanimous vote required

**December 31, 2020** 

EU-proposed end date for a transition arrangement with the UK



# July 4, 2018

Justice Secretary address to City of London Dinner to HM Judges

September 23-26, 2018

Chancellor's address to City of London Dinner to the Bankers and Merchants

Six months to Brexit

# **October**

Target for having reached an agreement on the UK's withdrawal, including details of the transition period, in order for it to be in place by March 2019

## October TBC

Nicola Sturgeon provides update on the proposed timetable for a second Scottish referendum

### November 1, 2018

25th anniversary of the Maastricht Treaty, formally creating the European Union

UK Parliament vote on the withdrawal agreement; simple majority of 650 MPs needed

# **EARLY 2019**

European Council approval of the withdrawal agreement qualified majority (QMV) needed (at least 20 out of 27 states representing at least 65% of the population)

March 29, 2019

Deadline for the UK to leave the EU under Article 50 process



May 23-26, 2019

**European Parliament elections** 

October 31, 2019

Mandate for current European Commission expires

### **TBC**

European Parliament vote on final UK-EU future relationship agreement; simple majority of MEPs needed

# **TBC**

Assuming a mixed agreement, final UK-EU future relationship agreement undergoes ratification procedures in all 27 EU member states; ratification can include national parliament votes, regional parliament votes, and even referendums, depending on the content of the agreement