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Kusturica: Europe cannot condition Serbia's integration by taking away Kosovo

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Famous Serbian film director Emir Kusturica said on Wednesday that Europe should refrain from conditioning Serbia's European integrations by taking away its Kosovo identity.

"Europe cannot impose us conditions for integration by taking us away from our tradition", Kusturica said.

"Kosovo is in the heart of Serbian identity and Serbia is in the heart of Europe, on the frontier between the East and the West", the director of "Underground" and "Time of the Gypsies" said in an interview to French "Liberation".