

European Parliament, Brussels - PHS 3 C 050
Tuesday, January 10th 2012, 2 pm - 5:30 pm

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The case for Euromed
"Erasmus" and "Leonardo da Vinci" programs
Challenges of youth mobility in the Mediterranean

2 pm - Introduction

Welcome by **Vincent Peillon**

Youssef Amrani, Secretary General of the Union for the Mediterranean

2:45 pm - The handing in of Unimed's petition in favour of a Euromed Erasmus program to the Commission

Prof. Franco Rizzi, Secretary General of Unimed

Xavier Prats Monne, Deputy Director-General, DG Education and Culture, European Commission

3 pm - "Euromed Erasmus" for student mobility

Moderator: Cristian Preda, MEP

Jordi Curell, Director for Higher Education and International Affairs, DG Education and Culture, European Commission

Prof. Motaz Khorshid, former Minister of Higher Education of Egypt
(on behalf of Prof. Hossam Kamel, President of Cairo University and Vice President of Unimed)

Allan Päll, Chairperson of the European Students' Union

Zied Rawefi, Student at l'Ecole Supérieure des Sciences Economiques et Commerciales de Tunis

Baki Youssoufou, President of the Confédération étudiante



4:15 pm - "Euromed Leonardo da Vinci" for vocational training abroad

Moderator: Françoise Castex, MEP

Jordi Curell, Director for Higher Education and International Affairs,
DG Education and Culture, European Commission

Abdessalem Jerad, Secretary General of l'Union Syndicale des
Travailleurs du Maghreb Arabe

El-Hadi Khaldi, Minister of Vocational Education and Training of
Algeria (*tbc*)

Lutz Nothbaum, Desertec Foundation

Murat Yalçintas, President of the Association of the Mediterranean
Chambers of Commerce and Industry

5:20 pm - Conclusion by Pier Antonio Panzeri, Chair of the Delegation
for relations with the Maghreb countries and the Arab Maghreb Union

Translation in French, Arabic and English will be provided.

*The conference will be followed by a **cocktail party**
during which **initiative "WD15"** will be presented by
Mounia Harkati, Henri Lastenouse and Najet Mizouni
(mezzanine, PHS 2nd floor)*

