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Προς: Όλα τα μέλη

16TH CYPRUS SUMMIT

Europe: Putting solidarity to the test - Cyprus: In need of a new growth model?

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16TH CYPRUS VIRTUAL SUMMIT

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November 24th 2020 • 2:00 pm (EEST) • 7:00 am (EDT)

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14:00 EEST
(07:00 EDT)

THE *ECONOMIST*'S FORECAST ON EUROPE'S ECONOMY

- Discussing recession shapes
- The impact of the pandemic on the eastern Mediterranean's economic and geopolitical landscape
- Brexit: Back to the drawing board?

John Peet, political and Brexit editor, *The Economist*

14:05 EEST
(07:05 EDT)

CYPRUS AFTER THE STORM

- Building resilience
- Enhancing regional cooperation
- Supporting economy and the society
- A test for EU's cohesion

Keynote address:

Nicos Anastasiades, president, Republic of Cyprus

14:20 EEST
(07:20 EDT)

EUROPE: PUTTING SOLIDARITY TO THE TEST

- How has Cyprus tackled the pandemic?
- The business & academic perspectives

Stella Kyriakides, European Commissioner for health and food safety (recorded message)

Ierotheos Papadopoulos, head, European Commission Representation in Cyprus

Theodore Tryfon, president, Panhellenic Union of Pharmaceutical Industries (PEF), member of the board, Hellenic Federation of Enterprises (SEV)

* **Christoforos Hadjikyprianou**, CEO and president of the council, European University Cyprus

14:35 EEST
(07:35 EDT)

Discussion

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(07:55 EDT)

Break

15:05 EEST
(08:05 EDT)

THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN AFTER THE US PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION: WHAT WILL CHANGE & WHAT WILL NOT?

Keynote speaker:

Robert Menendez, United States Senator (acceptance in principle)

15:15 EEST
(08:15 EDT)

Discussion

15:35 EEST
(08:35 EDT)

US FOREIGN POLICY & THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN

Nicholas Burns, former US under secretary of state for political affairs

ENERGY DIPLOMACY IN TURBULENT TIMES

- Is there hope for peace & mutual understanding?

Nikos Christodoulides, minister of foreign affairs, Cyprus

Nikolaos Dendias, minister of foreign affairs, Greece

15:55 EEST
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Discussion

16:25 EEST
(09:25 EDT)

EFFORTS FOR PEACE AND STABILITY

AT THE CROSSROADS OF THREE CONTINENTS

- Drilling activities and exclusive economic zones in the Levantine basin
- Alliances in the Mediterranean region: Is there a game changer?
- Escalating tension with Turkey: Next steps?

* **Florence Parly**, minister for the armed forces, France

Charalambos Petrides, minister of defence, Cyprus

Thanos Dokos, national security advisor to the prime minister, Greece

Spyros Economides, associate professor in international relations and European politics, London School of Economics

16:50 EEST
(09:50 EDT)

Discussion

17:10 EEST
(10:10 EDT)

Break

17:20 EEST
(10:20 EDT)

THE POST-PANDEMIC ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL PROSPECTS FOR EUROPE AND CYPRUS

- Is there enough ammunition to trigger recovery?
- The Eurobond concept: pros and cons
- How soon can the Cypriot economy recover?

Klaus Regling, managing director, European Stability Mechanism (ESM)

* **Yiannis Stournaras**, governor, Bank of Greece

* **Constantinos Herodotou**, governor, Central Bank of Cyprus

Evgenios Evgeniou, CEO, PwC Cyprus

17:50 EEST
(10:50 EDT)

Discussion

18:10 EEST
(11:10 EDT)

TESTING THE STRENGTH OF THE FINANCIAL SECTOR

- Are the banking systems in a position to contain the recession and boost recovery?
- Mainstream and alternative ways to finance recovery
- Reducing non-performing loans: Why is it now more crucial than ever?
- Cyprus: Is there a risk of a new bank crisis?
- How is the “new normal” accelerating the fintech revolution?

* **Representative**, from the banking sector (name to be advised)

Christina Torrella, senior director, financial institutions, Fitch Ratings

Michael Christos Charalambides, CEO and managing director, ECommBX

18:25 EEST
(11:25 EDT)

Discussion

18:45 EEST (11:45 EDT)	Break
19:00 EEST (12:00 EDT)	<p>WILL THE HYDROCARBONS EXPLORATION RESUME ITS MOMENTUM?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The current global trends in the energy sector • Hydrocarbons exploration in the eastern Mediterranean: The repercussions of the pandemic – the political implications <p>* Stefano Patuanelli, minister of economic development, Italy Natasa Pilides, minister of energy, commerce and industry, Cyprus</p> <p>In dialogue with: Representative from Exxomobil</p> <p>* Romaric Roignan, vice-president North Africa, Total Exploration & Production * Aldo Napolitano, executive vice-president exploration projects, Eni S.p.A.</p>
19:30 EEST (12:30 EDT)	Discussion
19:50 EEST (12:50 EDT)	<p>TOWARDS A POST COVID-19 GROWTH AND BUSINESS MODEL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innovation – flexibility - competitiveness • Technology disruption in the post-pandemic world <p>Gallina Andronova Vincelette, director for the EU countries, World Bank Group * Michalis Michael, chairman of the board of directors, Invest Cyprus Christodoulos Angastiniotis, president, Cyprus Chamber of Commerce and Industry</p>
20:10 EEST (13:10 EDT)	Discussion
20:30 EEST (13:30 EDT)	End of sessions

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