



Program

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Facing Economic and Monetary Challenges in Light of the Euro Crisis: Impact on Israeli-European Relations and Regional Cooperation

November 11, 2010

Location:

Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung
Shenkar St. 14,
Nolton House, 3rd floor
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AGENDA

9.00 - 9.30 Gathering and registration

9.30 - 9.40 Greetings

Dr. Ralf Hexel, Representative of FES Israel

Amb. Andrew Standley, Head of Delegation of the European Commission in Israel

SESSION I:

The Impact of the Euro Crisis on the Political and Economic Future of the EU and its Consequences for Neighbouring Countries

Chair: Mr. Christoph Moosbauer, IEPN Coordinator

09.40 – 10.20 Inputs from an EU perspective

Dr. Constantinos Papadopoulos, Secretary General,

Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Greece

Dr. Dermot Hodson, Birkbeck College, London

10.20 –10.40 Comment from an Israeli perspective

Prof. Rafi Melnik, Dean of the Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy at the Interdisciplinary Center, Herzliya

10.40 - 11.10 Discussion

11.10 - 11.30 Coffee break

SESSION II:

The Israeli Perspective of the Euro Crises

Chair: Prof. Stephan Stetter, University of the Bundeswehr München, IEPN Coordinator

11.30 – 11.50 Input from an Israeli expert

Dr. Meir Sokoler, Former Deputy Governor of the Bank of Israel and
Advisor to the International Monetary Fund (IMF)

11.50 - 12.10 Comment from an EU perspective

Prof. Dr. Arne Heise, Chair for Finances and Public Governance, University of
Hamburg / Izmir

12.10 – 12.40 Discussion

SESSION III:

Summary and Conclusions

Chair: Dr. Roby Nathanson, General Director, Macro Center for Political Economics, IEPN
Coordinator

12.45 – 13.00 Israeli perspectives

Dan Catarivas, Director of the International Trade Department at the
Manufacturers Association in Israel

13.00 – 13.15 EU perspectives

Prof. Dr. Dominico Nuti, Prof. of Comparative Economic Systems,
University of Rom in Italy

13.15 – 13.30 Discussion

13.30 – 14.30 Light buffet