



Addressing the main challenges of the Euro-Mediterranean cooperation: A progressive agenda

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Draft programme

Wednesday 27th June

15h00 - 18h00 S&D - GPF Conference - Addressing the main challenges of the Euro-Mediterranean cooperation: A Progressive Agenda

15h00 - 15h30 Opening remarks

Our progressive vision for the Euro-Mediterranean relations

Elena Valenciano MEP, S&D Vice-President

Enrique Guerrero Salom MEP, GPF Co-Chair

15h30 - 16h40 Panel 1

Fostering fair and sustainable growth, decent work and social cohesion

Chaired by: **Ines Ayala Sender MEP**, DMAG Chair

Speakers:

- **Rachid Malaoui**, Syndicat National Autonome du Personnel de la Fonction Publique (SNAPAP), Algérie
- **Messaoud Romdhani**, Forum Tunisien pour les Droits Économiques et Sociaux (FTDES), Tunisie
- **Ousmane Thiam MP**, Alliance pour la Justice et la Démocratie - Mouvement pour la Rénovation (AJDMR), Mauritanie
- **Mustapha Tlili**, Secretary General, Arab Trade Union Confederation, (ATUC)
- **Nathalie Janne d'Othée**, Chargée de programmes Moyen-Orient et Afrique du Nord, CNCD

16h40 - 16h50 Coffee break

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16h50 - 18h00

Panel 2

A comprehensive Mediterranean response to the migration challenges

Chaired by: **Conny Reuter**, Secretary General, Solidar

Speakers:

- **Iyed Dahmani**, Minister of Relations with the Parliament, Tunisia
- **Abdelmoumene Khelil**, Ligue Algérienne pour la Défense des Droits de l'Homme (LADDH), Algérie
- **Juan Fernando Lopez Aguilar MEP**
- **José Naranjo Noble**, journalist
- **Hammuda Siala MP**, Libya
- *Violeta Moreno-Lax, Queen Mary University of London (tbc)*

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9h15 - 12h15 S&D - GPF Conference - Addressing the main challenges of the Euro-Mediterranean cooperation: A Progressive Agenda

9h15 - 10h30 Panel 3

Building partnerships to jointly prevent and counter radicalisation and terrorism

Chaired by: **Sylvie Guillaume MEP**, EP Vice-President

Speakers:

- **Chokrane Amam MP**, Head of the UFSP Group, Morocco
- **Myriem Amrani**, President, Dakira
- **Myriam Benraad**, Assistant Professor, Institute of Security and Global Affairs, Leiden University
- **Nicola Pedde**, Institute of Global Studies
- **Gilles Kepel**, *Directeur de la Chaire Orient Méditerranée, Ecole Normale Supérieure (tbc)*
- **Ehab Mansour MP**, Head of the ESDP Group, Egypt (tbc)

10h30 - 10h45 Coffee break

10h45 - 12h00 Panel 4

Promoting democratic governance and constitutional reforms in the Euro-Mediterranean region

Chaired by: **Mercedes Bresso**, S&D Vice-President

- **Ziad Abdel Samad**, Arab NGO Network for Development (ANND)
- **Lobna Jribi**, President, Solidar Tunisie
- **Batoul Benazzou**, *Présidente, Maghreb des films (tbc)*
- **Chaafa Bouaiche MP**, *FFS, Algeria (tbc)*
- **Kamal Jendoubi**, *President, Cairo Institute for Human Rights Studies (tbc)*

12h00 - 12h15 Closing remarks

Javi Lopez MEP, Chair of the AFET Working Group on Southern Neighbourhood (tbc)

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