

The Euro, Greece & the Southern Periphery

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PROGRAMME

08:30 Welcome coffee and Registration

09:00 Opening Address: **Harris Ikononopoulos**, Greek President, British Hellenic Chamber of Commerce

09:10 **Peter C. Nomikos**, Founder and Operator, Greece Debt Free (Non-Profit)

09:15 **Markos C. Kiosseoglou**, General Director, Reload Greece

09:20 Greek Government Keynote Address:
Miltiades Varvitsiotis, Minister for Shipping, Hellenic Republic

09:50 Greek Opposition Keynote Address:

10:15 **Session 1** THE EUROPEAN CRISIS – A DOMESTIC THREAT & A CHALLENGE
Chair **Professor Kevin Featherstone**, London School of Economics
Dr. Platon Monokroussos, Head of Financial Markets Research, Eurobank
Panellists **Constantine Amblianitis**, Managing Director, CA Management Associates Ltd. and
Member, British- Portuguese Chamber of Commerce
Rudi Bogni, D.Econ. Chairman, Medinvest International SCA
Giorgios Dimitrakopoulos, Former Vice President, European Parliament

11:30 Coffee Break

12:00 **Session 2** CAN THE EURO-ZONE SURVIVE?
Chair **Howard Rosen, CBE**, Immediate Past President & Chairman Public Affairs Commission, COBCOE
Panellists **Professor Paul De Grauwe**, European Institute, London School of Economics
Josef Janning, Mercator Fellow, DGAP German Council on Foreign Relations
Professor Albrecht Ritschl, Economic History Department, London School of Economics
Athanasios Vamvakidis, Managing Director and Head of European G10 Foreign Exchange
Strategy for BofA Merrill Lynch Global Research

13:00 **Session 3** THE EUROPEAN BANKING SECTOR, ECB & EUROPEAN MONETARY POLICIES
Chair **Professor Emiliios Avgouleas**, University of Edinburgh
Panellists **Professor Charles Goodhart**, Economics, London School of Economics
Professor Gikas A. Hardouvelis, Professor Department of Banking & Financial Management,
University of Piraeus
Constantinos Vouvounis, General Manager Group Corporate & Investment Banking, and
Member of the Executive Board & Management Committee, Eurobank

14:00 Conclusions & Open Discussion
Harris Ikononopoulos, Greek President, British Hellenic Chamber of Commerce
Professor Kevin Featherstone, London School of Economics
Howard Rosen, CBE, Immediate Past President & Chairman Public Affairs Commission, COBCOE

14:30 Buffet Lunch

Please note that there may be changes to the programme