

DI, the Embassy of Spain and the European Commission invite to the seminar

EU2020

Creating Growth and Jobs in the EU

Join the debate!

→ 28 January 2010

9.00 - 12.00Danisco A/S Langebrogade 1, Copenhagen

The "Lisbon Strategy", later revamped as the "Growth and Jobs Strategy", was adopted by the European Council in the year 2000, with the aim to make the EU the most dynamic and competitive knowledge-based economy in the world. Ten years later, the EU and the world is struggling with the worst economic crisis ever. During the Spanish Presidency, the European Council is expected to adopt the successor to the Growth and Jobs Strategy, the so-called EU2020 strategy.

Seize the opportunity to discuss the priorities and the tools in the strategy which will increase competitiveness to the benefit of growth and jobs in the EU. In addition, you are invited to participate in the 2-month online consultation on the EU 2020 Strategy. Please visit ec.europa.eu/eu2020.

Sinne Backs Conan Director

European Affairs

Melitón Cardona Torres Ambassador of Spain in Denmark

/Jan Høst Schmidt European Commission

Representation in Denmark







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Programme

Please find the programme of the seminar on the back page.

A sandwich lunch is provided after the seminar

Moderator: Svenning Dalgaard, TV2

Registration

The seminar is held in English. Participation is free of charge. Mandatory registration must be sent to secretary Cathrine Juhl Bang by email (cju@di.dk) no later than 25 January. Please inform about your name, title and place of work.

Please note that only limited parking is available at Danisco.

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Programme

8.30	Regi	istrat	ion

9.00 Opening Remarks CEO Tom Knutzen, Danisco A/S

9.05 A Fresh Start for the EU Director, European Affairs, Sinne Conan, DI

9.25 **Priorities of the Spanish Presidency** Ambassador Melitón Cardona Torres, Spain

9.45 **The Road towards Growth and Jobs**Representative of the European Commission

10.05 Coffee and Refreshments

10.30 **Doing Business in Europe** CEO Tom Knutzen, Danisco A/S

10.50 **The Political Landscape in the European Union**Director Staffan Jerneck, the Centre for European Policy Studies

11.10 Panel Debate

11.50 Closing Remarks

Head of Representation Jan Høst Schmidt, European Commission in Denmark

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