



## DRAFT AGENDA (Dated 25/01/2018)

### **European Parliamentary Week 2018**

- European Semester Conference -
- Interparliamentary Conference on Stability, Economic Coordination and Governance in the European Union -

Co-organised by the European Parliament and the National Assembly of the Republic of Bulgaria

> European Parliament Brussels, 19 - 20 February 2018

#### Monday, 19 February 2018

12.00 - 15.00	Registration of participants from national Parliaments
	Registration desk "Event Participants and Guests", Altiero Spinelli Building

**12.00 - 15.00** Political group meetings (tbc)

## 15.00 - 16.30 <u>Opening plenary session</u>: Policy priorities of the 2018 European Semester cycle?

Meeting room: Hemicycle (Paul-Henri Spaak Building, 3rd floor)

Co-chaired by **Roberto Gualtieri**, Chair of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs of the European Parliament and **Evgeniya Angelova**, Deputy Chair of the Finance and Budgetary Committee of the National Assembly of the Republic of Bulgaria

*Introductory remarks by* 

- Valdis Dombrovskis, Vice-President of the European Commission for the Euro and Social Dialogue [tbc]
- **Pierre Moscovici**, European Commissioner for Economic and Financial Affairs, Taxation and Customs [tbc]
- Marianne Thyssen, European Commissioner for Employment, Social Affairs, Skills and Labour Mobility
- Krzysztof Hetman, rapporteur on the 2018 European Semester, Committee on Employment and Social Affairs of the European Parliament
- **Hugues Bayet**, rapporteur on the 2018 European Semester, Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs of the European Parliament

#### - Two Members of national Parliaments [tbc]

Exchange of views among participants in the presence of representatives from the Committee of Regions and the European Economic and Social Committee.

#### 16.45 - 18.45 Interparliamentary Committee Meetings (in parallel)

#### **Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs (ECON)**

Meeting room: PHS 3C50 (Paul-Henri Spaak Building, 3rd floor)

Co-chaired by **Roberto Gualtieri**, Chair of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs of the European Parliament and **Petar Kanev**, Chair of the Committee on Economic Policy and Tourism of the National Assembly of the Republic of Bulgaria

Session I: Future of EU Tax Policy: Taxation of the Digital Economy, follow-up to Panama Papers & Paradise Papers, and the work of the EP PANA Inquiry Committee

Session II: Banking Union: managing the balance between risk sharing and risk reduction

#### **Committee on Employment and Social Affairs (EMPL)**

Meeting room: JAN 4Q1 (József Antall Building, 4th floor)

Co-chaired by **Marita Ulvskog**, Vice-Chair of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs of the European Parliament and **Hasan Ademov**, Chair of the Committee on Labour, Social and Demographic Policy of the National Assembly of the Republic of Bulgaria

Session I: **Digitalisation and the future of work** 

Session II: Inequalities in Member States

#### **Committee on Budgets (BUDG)**

Meeting room: JAN 6Q2 (József Antall Building, 6th floor)

Co-chaired by **Jean Arthuis**, Chair of the Budget Committee of the European Parliament and **Evgeniya Angelova**, Deputy Chair of the Finance and Budgetary Committee of the National Assembly of the Republic of Bulgaria

Session I: The post-2020 Multiannual Financial Framework (MFF) - addressing emerging challenges and new priorities, and their financing

Session II: Reform of the European Union's system of own resources

#### **19.00 – 21.00** Cocktail and Dinner

House of European History, Rue Belliard 135, 1000 Brussels Welcome address by **Mairead McGuinness**, Vice-President of the European Parliament

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#### Tuesday, 20 February 2018

#### 9.00 - 11.00 Plenary session: Strengthening resilience and stabilisation in the EMU

Meeting room: Hemicycle (Paul-Henri Spaak Building, 3rd floor)

Co-chaired by **Antonio Tajani**, President of the European Parliament and **Tsveta Karayancheva**, President of the National Assembly of the Republic of Bulgaria

*Introductory remarks by* 

- Jean-Claude Juncker, President of the European Commission
- **Donald Tusk**, President of the Euro Summit [tbc]
- *Mário Centeno*, President of the Euro Group [tbc]
- *Mario Draghi*, President of the European Central Bank [tbc]

Exchange of views among participants

# 11.00-12.30 <u>Plenary session</u>: From the ESM to the EMF: What should be the role of Parliaments?

Meeting room: Hemicycle (Paul-Henri Spaak Building, 3rd floor)

Co-chaired by **Boguslaw Liberadzki**, Vice-President of the European Parliament and **Menda Stoyanova**, Chair of the Finance and Budgetary Committee of the National Assembly of the Republic of Bulgaria

Introductory remarks by

- **Roberto Gualtieri**, Chair of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs of the European Parliament
- Two Members of national Parliaments [tbc]

Exchange of views among participants

#### 12.30 - 15.00 Lunch

Espace Yehudi Menuhin (Paul-Henri Spaak Building, 1st floor)

#### **13.00 - 15.00** Political group meetings (tbc)

## 15.00 - 17.00 <u>Concluding plenary session</u>: The next Multiannual Financial Framework (MFF)

Meeting room: Hemicycle (Paul-Henri Spaak Building, 3rd floor)

Co-chaired by **Jean Arthuis**, Chair of the Budget Committee of the European Parliament and **Menda Stoyanova**, Chair of the Finance and Budgetary Committee of the National Assembly of the Republic of Bulgaria

*Introductory remarks* 

- Günther H. Oettinger, European Commissioner for Budget and Human Resources [tbc]
- Marinela Petrova, Deputy Minister of Finance of the Republic of Bulgaria

- Jan Olbrycht and Isabelle Thomas, co-rapporteurs on the MFF, Committee on Budgets of the European Parliament
- Two Members of national Parliaments [tbc]

Exchange of views among participants