



MEDPRO: PROSPECTIVE ANALYSIS FOR THE MEDITERRANEAN REGION

244578-FP7-SSH-2009-A

High-Level Stakeholders Meeting Cairo Agenda

Venue: Cairo Marriott Hotel, 16 Saray El Gezira Street, Cairo, Egypt

The objective of the High-Level Stakeholders Meeting is to discuss the MEDPRO scenarios and the preliminary policy recommendations with policy makers and representatives of the civil society in Egypt.

Saturday January 12th 2013

09.30 - 09.45 Registration & Coffee

09.45 - 10.30 Introduction

Dr. Rym Ayadi, Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS) & MEDPRO Coordinator
Prof. Alia El Mahdi, Faculty of Economics and Political Sciences, Cairo University (FEPS)
Prof. Heba Nassar, Cairo University

Keynote: Ambassador Gamal Bayoumi, Secretary General of the Federation of Arab Investors

10.30 - 11.00 Session 1: MEDPRO Framework and Alternative Scenarios

Dr. Rym Ayadi, CEPS
Dr. Carlo Sessa, Institute of Studies for the Integration of Systems (ISIS)

11.00 - 11.45 Session 2: Analyzing the Transition; Political Developments in Egypt Post Arab Spring

Chair: Prof. Alia El Mahdi, FEPS

Roberto Aliboni, Institute of International Affairs (IAI)
Prof. Ali E. Hillal Dessouki, Cairo University
Dr. Amr El Shoubeki, Al-Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies (ACPSS)

11.45 - 13.00 Session 3: Demography, Human Capital, Inequality and Migration; Final Scenarios, Policy Implications and Recommendations

Chair: Dr. Rym Ayadi, CEPS

Dr. George Groenewold, Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute (NIDI)
Prof. Alia El Mahdi, FEPS

Discussants

Prof. Magued Osman, Egyptian Center for Public Opinion Research (Baseera)
Dr. Ibtissam El Ghafarawi, National Center for Social and Criminal Research (EKKE)
Dr. Mohamed Gouda, Justice and Liberty Party

13.00 - 14.30 Lunch

14.30 - 16.30 Session 4: Economic Integration, Trade, FDI and Finance; Final Scenarios, Policy Implications and Recommendations

Chair: Prof. Alia El Mahdi, FEPS

Prof. Marek Dąbrowski / Prof. Ahmed Ghoneim, Center for Social and Economic Research (CASE)
Dr. Rym Ayadi, CEPS

Discussants

Wafaa Sobhy, General Authority for Investment (GAFI)
Dr. Abdala Shehata, Freedom and Justice Party
Dr. Bassem Kamar, International University of Monaco
Nagla Bahr, Finance & Banking Consultants International (FinBi)

16.30 - 17.30 Concluding Remarks

Dr. Rym Ayadi, CEPS

19.00 - 22.00 Informal Dinner



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09.30 - 09.45 Registration & Coffee

09.45 - 10.15 Introduction

Dr. Rym Ayadi, CEPS

Prof. Alia El Mahdi, FEPS

Keynote: H.E. Eng. Osama Kamal, Minister of Petroleum and Mineral Resources

10.15 - 11.30 Session 5: Energy; Final Scenarios, Policy Implications and Recommendations

Chair: Prof. Alia El Mahdi, FEPS

Dr. Manfred Hafner / Simone Tagliapietra, Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei (FEEM)

Emmanuel Bergasse, CASE

Nikos Kouvaritakis, Institute for Communication and Computer Systems, National Technical University of Athens (ICCS/NTUA)

Dr. Frederic Blanc, Forum Euro-Méditerranéen des Instituts de Sciences Economiques (FEMISE)

Discussants

Prof. Maged Al Sherbiny, Academy of Scientific Research and Technology (ASRT)

Dr. Hafez Abdel Al Salmawy, Egyptian Electric Utility and Consumer Protection Regulatory Agency (EEUCPRA)

Prof. Mohamed Salah Elsobki, Paving the Way for the Mediterranean Solar Plan (PWMSP)

Maged Mahmoud, Regional Center for Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency (RCREEE)

11.30 - 11.45 Coffee break

11.45 - 13.00 Session 6: Natural Resources and Environment; Final Scenarios, Policy Implications and Recommendations

Chair: Dr. Rym Ayadi, CEPS

Dr. Francesco Bosello, FEEM

Discussants

Dr. Mohamed Bayoumi, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)

Prof. Ismail Abdel Galil, former Desert Research Center

13.00 - 14.30 Lunch

14.30 - 16.30 Session 7: Macroeconomic and EU-MED Cooperation; Final Scenarios, Policy Implications and Recommendations

Chair: Dr. Rym Ayadi, CEPS

Dr. Carlo Sessa, ISIS

Nikos Kouvaritakis, ICCS/NTUA

Discussants

Nermin Abulata, National Country Coordinator for the EuroMed Charter for Industrial Enterprises

Prof. Alaa El Shazly, FEPS

Dr. Amina Ghanem, The Egyptian National Competitiveness Council (ENCC)

Dr. Alia Soliman, Egyptian Junior Business Association (EJB)

Gerhard Krause, European Union Delegation to the Arab Republic of Egypt

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Prof. Ismail Abdl Galil, Former Chairperson Desert Research Center
Prof. Atef Abdl Salam, Faculty of Agriculture - Cairo University
Prof. Fadia Abdl Salam, Institute of National Planning (INP)
Dr. Hala Abou Ali, Faculty of Economics and Political Sciences - Cairo University (FEPS)
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Prof. Youmn El Hamaki, Ain Shams University
Prof. Ola El Khawaga, Faculty of Economics and Political Sciences - Cairo University (FEPS)
Prof. Heba El Laithy, Faculty of Economics and Political Sciences - Cairo University (FEPS)
Prof. Alia El Mahdi, Faculty of Economics and Political Sciences - Cairo University (FEPS)
Prof. Alaa El Shazly, Faculty of Economics and Political Sciences - Cairo University (FEPS)
Prof. Fawzy El Shazly, Faculty of Agriculture - Cairo University
Prof. Saleh El Sheikh, Faculty of Economics and Political Sciences - Cairo University (FEPS)
Dr. Amr El Shoubeki, Al-Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies (ACPSS)
Prof. Fatma El Zanaty, Faculty of Economics and Political Sciences - Cairo University (FEPS)
Lina El Zein, MENA Private Equity Association
Prof. Fakhri El-Feki, Faculty of Economics and Political Sciences - Cairo University (FEPS)
Prof. Mohamed Salah Elsobki, Energy Research Center (ERC) / Paving the Way for the Mediterranean Solar Plan (PWMSP)
Prof. Mostapha Elwi, Faculty of Economics and Political Sciences - Cairo University (FEPS)
Dr. Mona Essam, Faculty of Economics and Political Sciences - Cairo University (FEPS)
Panagiotis Fragkos, Institute of Computers and Communications Systems - E3M lab, National Technical University of Athens (ICCS/NTUA)
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Dr. Basel Roshdy, Nile Capital
Florian Sauter-Servaes, Paving the Way for the Mediterranean Solar Plan
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