

Directorate-General for the Presidency
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PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs Exchange of views with EU National Parliaments on "The 2016 Cycle of the European Semester"

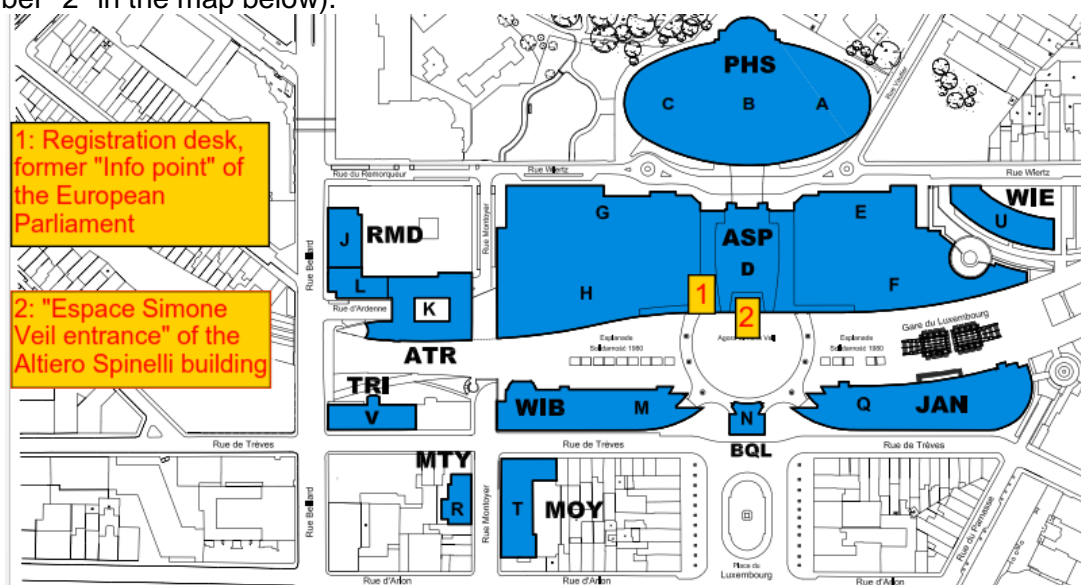
Wednesday 28 September 2016, 15.00 - 17.00
European Parliament, Brussels
Paul-Henri Spaak Building, room PHS 3C050

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Alternatively, the Brussels-based administrative representatives of national Parliaments may collect the access cards for their delegations prior to the meeting, from the offices of the Directorate for Relations with National Parliaments (rue Wiertz 50, 5th floor, office WIE 05U018, Patrizia Di Leo) on **Wednesday, 28 September 2015, from 9.30 to 12.00**.

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LANGUAGES

At the meeting, interpretation will be provided from and into the following languages: Bulgarian, Croatian, Czech, Danish, Dutch, English, Finnish, French, German, Greek, Hungarian, Italian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Slovak, Slovenian, Spanish, Swedish.

MEETING DOCUMENTS

Meeting documents are available at
<http://www.europarl.europa.eu/relnatparl/en/meetings.html>.

SPEAKING TIME

Please note that speaking time will be limited and the priority will be given to ensuring that all Parliaments/Chambers have the opportunity to be heard in the debate. The chair will adapt the speaking time in accordance with the number of request for interventions. It is highly likely that interventions will be limited to 2, or maximum 3, minutes.

Speaking cards will be available for each Member that would like to take the floor. The cards should be filled (in capital letters) and handed over to any of the ushers who will be present in the meeting room.

CLOAKROOM

Coats may be left (unguarded) on coat racks outside the meeting room. The European Parliament declines responsibility for the loss or theft of items.

INTERNET / WIFI ACCESS

Participants will be able to access the European Parliament's wireless internet network for visitors. Please note that no workstations or computer rooms will be available during the meeting.

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