



National Reform Programs

Key to Successful Future of the European Project?

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- 9.00-9.30** **Registration and welcome**
9.30-9.35 **Welcome address**
Jan Szomburg, President of the Polish Lisbon Strategy Forum, Poland
Charles Crawford, CMG, HM Ambassador to Poland, UK
- 9.35-11.00** **OPENING PLENARY SESSION**
Keynote address
Kazimierz Marcinkiewicz, Prime Minister of the Republic of Poland
Jan Szomburg, President of the Polish Lisbon Strategy Forum
Senior speaker*
- 11.00-12.15** **EFFECTIVENESS OF THE NEW ECONOMIC REFORM GOVERNANCE SYSTEM IN THE EU**
National Reform Programs: Key To Successful Future Of The European Project?' Presentation Of The Gime Report
Mariusz-Jan Radlo, VP for Research of the PLSF, GIME/WSE
Economic governance after the Lisbon mid-term review: will it accelerate economic reform?
Iain Begg, London School of Economics, UK
- 12.15-13.00** **Lunch break**
- 13.00-15.00** **NATIONAL REFORM PROGRAMS VS. NATIONAL ECONOMIC CHALLENGES**
National Reform Programs of Selected EU Member States
Peter Bachratý, Head of EU Office, EPPP, Slovakia
Petr Barton, University of Chicago, Czech Republic
Lars Christensen, Head of New Europe Research, Danske Bank, Denmark
Tamás Szemlér, Senior Research Fellow, Institute for World Economics, Hungarian Academy of Sciences
Ton van Der Wijst, Social and Economic Council, Netherlands
Maciej Grabowski, Vice President, PLFS, GIME, Poland
- 15.00-15.15** **Coffee break**
- 15.15-16.45** **ECONOMIC REFORMS IN A SECOND PHASE OF LISBON PROCESS**
Economic and Political Consequences of Non-Lisbon
Jan Host Schmidt, Director, Directorate-General for Economic and Financial Affairs, European Commission, Brussels
How Can Social Dialog Support Economic Reform in the EU?
Joost P. van Iersel, Member of the European Economic and Social Committee
Economic Challenges and Reforms in the Enlarged EU
Witold M. Orłowski, Economic Adviser to the President of Poland
- 16.45-17.45** **ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION SUMMING UP THE CONFERENCE**

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