



LAC-EU ECONOMIC FORUM 2013

Globalization, International Trade and the Welfare State at Crossroads: Converging Views in European and Latam countries? January 21-22, Raúl Prebisch Conference Room

PROGRAMME

Monday 21st, January

9:00. Inauguration — The Economic Forum as a new space for a high level economic dialogue between the European Union and Latin America and the Caribbean

9:00-9:20: Alicia Bárcena, Executive Secretary of ECLAC

9:20-9:40: Francois Bourguignon, Director, Paris School of Economics, France

09:40-12:30 Session 1 — Cycles, Crisis and the Asymmetric Response of Macroeconomic Policy

Each panelist will have 20 minutes, then discussion with the public.

Economists

Ricardo Ffrench-Davis, Professor of Economics, Department of Economics and Institute of International Studies, University of Chile

Carlos Winograd, Professor of Economics, Paris School of Economics and University of Evry VE, France

Daniel Titelman, Director, Financing of Development Division, ECLAC

10:40-11:00 — Coffee Break

Hubert Kempf, Professor of Economics, University of Paris 1 – Sorbonne, France

Arturo O'Connell, Adviser to the Chairperson of the Board of the Central Bank, Argentina

Moderator: **Mario Cimoli**, Director, Production, Productivity and Management Division, ECLAC





12:30 -14.30 — Lunch

14.30-17.00 Session 2 — Real imbalances: trade, industrial development and environmental issues

Each panelist will have 20 minutes, then discussion with the public.

Economists

Alan Winters, Professor of Economics, University of Sussex, United Kingdom

Esther Dweck, Chief of Economic Advisors, Ministry of Planning, Budget and Management, Brazil

Giorgio Barba Navaretti, Professor of Economics, University of Milan, and Scientific Director of the Centro Studi Luca d'Agliano, Italy

15:30-15:50 — Coffee Break

Tilman Altenburg, Head of the Department of Competitiveness and Social Policy, German Development Institute

Luis Bértola, Professor of Economic History and Development, Universidad de la República, Uruguay

Moderator: *Carlos Winograd*, Professor of Economics, Paris School of Economics and University of Evry VE, France

17:00 – 18:00 — The Economic Forum in the Context of the EULAC dialogue and cooperation

Ambassador Jorge Valdez, Executive Director of the EU-LAC Foundation

Carlos Quenan, Vice President of the French Institute of the Americas (IDA)





Tuesday 22nd, January

09.00-11:15 Session 3 - Social policies: is it the case of dismantling the welfare state?

Each panelist will have 20 minutes, then discussion with the public.

Economists

Santiago Levy, Vicepresident of Sectors and Knowledge at the Inter American Development Bank

Andrea Brandolini, Banca, Head of the Economic Structure and Labour Market Division in the Department for Structural Economic Analysis of the Bank of Italy

Klaus F. Zimmermann, Professor of Economics at Bonn University and Director of the Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA Bonn)

Martin Hopenhayn, Director, Social Development Division, ECLAC

Moderator: **Luis Miguel Galindo**, Chief, Unit of Climate Change, ECLAC

11:00-11:20 — Coffee Break

11:20-12:30 — Summary and policy recommendations

Francois Bourguignon, Director, Paris School of Economics, France

Mario Cimoli, Director, Production, Productivity and Management Division, ECLAC

12:30 — Closing Ceremony

Alicia Bárcena, Executive Secretary of ECLAC

