

# PROGRAM OF THE MEDITERRANEAN CULTURAL FORUM

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MARSEILLE, 4<sup>TH</sup>-5<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2008

**Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> of November**

9h00 – 11h00

**Exceptional session of the workshop “Religions and society”**  
for the Muslim-Catholic Forum organised in the Holy See  
following the Call of the 138 Muslim intellectuals

Euroméditerranée Marseille

9h30 – 11h30

**Round table « Al-Dhakira al-Arabiyya »,**  
Arab Memory in Beirut and Marseille: Towards a new partnership

Centre d'Archives des Bouches-du-Rhône

13h – 15h

**Welcome at the Park of Pharo – Badges Delevering**

15h – 16h

**Opening Session**

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## *Opening Addresses*

Jacques HUNTZINGER, Ambassador in Mission in charge of the Mediterranean Cultural Forum  
et Henry ROUX-ALEZAIS, President of the Mediterranean Institute

## *Keynote Speeches*

Bernard KOUCHNER, Minister of Foreign Affairs

Speech of the European Commission

Michel VAUZELLE, Deputy, President of the region Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur

Jean-Noël GUERINI, Senator, President of the Conseil général des Bouches-du-Rhône

Jean-Claude GAUDIN, Senator-Mayor of Marseille and Vice-President of the Senate

Jacques PFISTER, President of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry Marseille Provence

Alain LEMAIRE, Président of the executive board of the Caisse d'Epargne Provence-Alpes-Corse

16h30 – 20h

**First Work session of the Workshops**

Hôtel de Région, Hôtel du Département,  
Chambre de Commerce et d'Industrie MP,  
Caisse d'Epargne PAC

21h

**Reception**

Hôtel de Région

**Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> of November**

9h30 – 13h

**Second Work session of the Workshops**

Hôtel de Région, Hôtel du Département,  
Chambre de Commerce et d'Industrie MP,  
Caisse d'Epargne PAC

13h – 14h

**Lunch**

14h – 17h

**Third Work session of the Workshops**

Hôtel de Région, Hôtel du Département,  
Chambre de Commerce et d'Industrie MP,  
Caisse d'Epargne PAC

18h – 20h

**Closure Session**

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*Conclusions of the Workshops*

*The Great Actors of Mediterranean Change*

Thierry Fabre, Jean-Louis Reiffers, Michel Colardelle...

*Closure Speeches from officials of Institutions*

Regional representation of the European Commission in Marseille, Anglo-Arab Organization, Anna Lindh Foundation, World Bank, European Council, UNESCO, The Arab World Institute, Alecso, Caisse d'Epargne, EuroMed Non-Governmental Platform, Association Marseille 2013...

21h

**Réception**

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