



8th International PEACE Programme Conference
on
**Palestinian-European Academic Cooperation-"The PEACE
Programme/UNESCO New Developments"**
and
9th PEACE Programme General Assembly

*Fontenoy Bld. Room IX
UNESCO – Paris*

December 14, 2012

Programme

Thursday, 13 December, 2012: Arrival of participants

16:00-17:00 Meeting of the Steering Committee of PEACE on last minute details of the conference. (Room 4.067, Fontenoy)

17:00-18:00 Registration of early arriving participants

Friday, 14 December, 2012

09:00 Registration of participants (continued)

09:30-10:15 *Opening Session*

- **Welcoming note** by Professor Frederic Ogee, Vice President for International Relations, Université Paris Diderot, and Vice-President of PEACE.
- **Opening address** by Professor Radwan Barakat, President of Hebron University, President of PEACE.
- **Greeting Candidates:**
 - o Mr Frédéric Desagneaux, French Consul General in Jerusalem
 - o Mr. David Atchoarena, Representative of the Director-General of UNESCO
 - o Mr Mounir Anastas, First Counsellor, Deputy Permanent Delegate, Permanent Delegation of Palestine to UNESCO

10:15-10:30: Official signing ceremony for the Joint Scholarship Agreement between the French Consulate General in Jerusalem, and the PEACE Programme

- 10:30-10:45 Coffee break
- 10:45-11:15 *New lines in the PEACE Programme Future Activities*, Professor John Morgan, President of the UK National Commission for UNESCO and Professor at University of Nottingham School of Education and a member of PEACE Steering Committee.
- 11:15-12:45 **Session 1: European-Palestinian Cooperation in PhD Programmes**
- 11:15-11:35 **Keynote speaker1: Professor Khalil Hindi**, President, Birzeit University – Joint PhD Programmes "Palestinian Perspective and Needs".
- 11:35-12h45 **Roundtable 1 discussion:**
Panelists (Professors Ibrahim Masri, Salam Al-Agha, Suleiman Baraka; Gianni Vaggi, ...).
Moderator: Mr Georges Haddad, Director, Education Research and Foresight, ED Sector, UNESCO
- 12h45-14:15 Lunch break
- 14:15-15h45 **Session 2: Capacity-building of Palestinian Universities**
- 14:15-14:50 **Keynote speaker1:** Professor Rami Hamdallah, President, An-Najah National University.
- Keynote Speaker 2:** Dr Andrée Surssock, Senior Advisor, European University Association (EUA)
- 14h50-15h45 **Roundtable 2 discussion: Panelists** (Professors Michael Sansur, Kamalain Shaath, Silvia Naef,)
Moderator: Mr Kim Van der Borght
- 15h45-16:00 Coffee break
- 16:00-17:00 **PEACE Programme 9th General Assembly Meeting**
- Financial report: Professor Ibrahim Masri**, President, Palestine Polytechnic University and Treasurer of PEACE.
- Plan of action (2013-2014): Professor Frederic Ogee**, Vice-President, Université Paris Diderot, and Vice-President of PEACE.
- Election of the new Steering and Executive Boards**
- Miscellaneous**
- 17h00-18h00 Réception - Bar des Conférences