



**PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY
OF THE UNION FOR THE
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**WORKING GROUP FOR THE EURO-MEDITERRANEAN
UNIVERSITY (EMUNI)**

MEETING
25 January 2011
09.00 - 11.30
Meeting Room
European Parliament
Brussels

Draft Agenda

1. Adoption of agenda
2. Chairman's announcements
3. Exchange of views on the EMUNI: state of play and objectives
Presentation by Dr. Joseph Mifsud, the President of the EMUNI
"How has the EMUNI University developed since the First EMUNI Working Group held in Brussels in February 2010? What conclusion can be drawn? Is the EMUNI meeting its objectives in promoting dialogue, cooperation and Excellence?"
4. Exchange of views on the EMUNI: forthcoming projects of the EMUNI
Presentation by Prof. Nehale Farid Mostapha, Dean of the Business School of Beirut Arab University
"Which are the current leading projects of the EMUNI? Which are its short-term and mid-term concrete perspectives?"
5. Exchange of views on the support granted to EMUNI by the European Commission, in the presence of Mr. Jan PAKULSKI, Head of Unit - Cooperation and International Programmes, DG Education and Culture (TBC)
"Which are the challenges ahead in the field of education and research in the Euro-Mediterranean region: the place and the role of the EMUNI"

6. Objectives and work programme for 2011, presentation by Rodi Kratsa-Tsagaropoulou, Chair of the EMUNI Working Group of the PA-UfM
"How can the EMUNI Working Group further contribute to the construction of Euro-Mediterranean Higher Education, Science and Research Area and increase its added-value within the Parliamentary Assembly of the Union for the Mediterranean? What conclusion can be drawn from the Italian Presidency and what is to be expected from the Moroccan?"
7. Proposal for a Recommendation on "Policy coordination for a better knowledge and competitiveness in the Euro-Mediterranean region: perspectives and challenges for EMUNI", Rodi Kratsa-Tsagaropoulou and Hamid Narjisse, Vice-President of the EMUNI Working Group of the PA-UfM
"How can we contribute to enhance cooperation, resolve pending issues such as the recognition of diplomas and the promotion of transferability of qualifications, essential to a prosperous Euro-Mediterranean Area of Higher Education, Science and Research?"
8. Any other business
9. Date and place of next meeting