



EuropeFides Annual General Meeting

26 - 27 January 2018 in St. Julian's, Malta

The Westin Dragonara Resort, Malta

Dragonara Road – St. Julian's, STJ 3143 – Malta

PROGRAMME

Thursday, 25 January 2018

- 20.00 Informal Dinner for those arriving early
Restaurant La Matija – 1, Church Street, St. Julian's STJ 4011
Dinner and drinks not included in registration fee and at own expense.
Departure from lobby of the Westin Dragonara Resort at 19.45h

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Friday, 26 January 2018 Seminar:

(open to Members & Guests) – meeting room Carthaginian Suite

- 10.30 – 11.00 Registration & Welcome Coffee – Conference Foyer
11.00 – 11.15 Introduction by Miquel Masramon, President of EuropeFides

Session I:

- 11.15 – 12.15 Cryptocurrencies and blockchain technology
Dr. Karl Sammut, Partner at sammut.legal
Steve Tendon, TameFlow Consulting Limited, Strategic Advisor to Maltese Government on the National Blockchain Strategy
- 12.00 – 12.45 The EU's General Data Protection Regulation:
Changes and challenges for businesses
Maria Lancri, GGV Avocats à la Cour – Rechtsanwältin Paris
- 13.00 – 14.00 Lunch at Westin Dragonara Resort – Conference Foyer

Session II:

- 14.00 – 15.30 Panel Discussion: Investment in private real property
Cross-border tax and legal aspects
Moderator: Pascal Ngatsing, GGV Avocats à la Cour – Rechtsanwältin Paris
Stephen Balzan, ACT Advisory Services Limited
Sandra Gomes Pinto, Sandra Gomes Pinto & Associados
Alessandro Atzeni & Stefano Meani, Atax – Associazione professionale
- 15.30 – 16.00 Coffee break – Conference Foyer
- 16.00 – 16.20 The outsourcing of accounting services in Algeria
Mohamed Boukhari, Cabinet audit et de conseil Boukhari
- 16.20 – 16.30 Update on the Indian economy after the Goods & Service Tax
Deepa Goyal, Macramé Consultants Private Limited
- 16.30 – 16.45 ATAX : Expansion of professional services in Dubai
Stefano Meani & Alessandro Atzeni, Atax – Associazione professionale
- 17.00 **End of afternoon programme for Members & Guests**

Friday, 26 January 2018 cont'd

17.00 – 18.00 **Meeting of the Management Committee** (Board Members only)
Meeting room Phoenician Suite

Evening Programme (open to everyone)

19.00 – 21.00 **Cocktail Reception at the Westin Dragonara Resort** – The Verandah

Saturday, 27 January 2018

Annual General Assembly – Meeting room Carthaginian Suite

9.00 – 11.00 **General Assembly EuropeFides SAS** (Members only)
Meeting room Castilian Suite

As of 11.00 open for Guests and Members

11.00 – 11.30 Coffee break – Conference Foyer

11.30 – 13.30 **Presentations of potential new Member Firms**

Sajic Law Firm – Banja Luka, Bosnia Herzegovina
Sandra Gomes Pinto & Associados – Lisbon, Portugal
Bouvy & Avocats – Luxembourg
Naoum Farah Law Office – Beirut, Lebanon
KAP Soejatna Mulyana & Rekan – Jakarta, Indonesia
Babalakin & Co Legal Practitioners– Lagos, Abuja, Nigeria
AlcazarAbogados y Consultores – Malaga, Granada, Zaragoza, Spain
SGOC Sousa Guedes, Oliveira Couto & Associados – Porto, Lisbon, Portugal
Belluzzo & Partners – Verona, Milan, London, Singapore, Lugano

13.30 – 14.30 **Lunch at the Westin Dragonara Resort** – Conference Foyer

Social and Networking Afternoon and Evening Programme (open to everyone)

15.00 – 18.30 **Sightseeing Tour**

- Short walking tour of Valletta
 - Visit to Marsaxlokk for a photograph of Malta's most charming fishing village
 - a photo opportunity at Blue Grotto
- Departure from hotel lobby by bus at 15.00

20.00 **Dinner – The Medina Restaurant**
7, Holy Cross Street, Mdina MDN 1231, Malta
Departure from hotel by bus at 19.30

Social Programme for Spouses and Partners:

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14.00 – 17.00 Visit to Mdina with guided tour of the city
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