

ECFR Council Meeting Agenda

Friday 5 November

- 14.00-14.30 *Registration and welcome coffee*
- 14.30-16.30 **The Spectre of a Multipolar Europe** - panel discussion chaired by **Martti Ahtisaari** with the co-authors **Mark Leonard** and **Ivan Krastev** and ECFR Members **Emma Bonino**, **Robert Cooper**, **Pierre Hassner**, **Nickolay Mladenov** and **Javier Solana**
- 16.30-17.00 *Coffee break*
- 17.00-18.30 **Fire side chat with Baroness Catherine Ashton**, EU High Representative for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy
- 19.00 Official dinner hosted by **Belgian Foreign Minister Steven Vanackere** at the Palais d'Egmont

Saturday 6 November

- 09.00-09.30 *Welcome coffee*
- 09.30-10.45 **Does Europe's foreign policy need the euro?** debate with ECFR Members **Hans Eichel**, **Jean Pisani-Ferry** and **George Soros**, moderated by Head of ECFR Paris office **Thomas Klau**
- 10.45 – 11.00 *Coffee break*
- 11.00-12.15 **How can Europe deal with the new Germany?** debate with ECFR Members **Timothy Garton Ash** and **Michael Stürmer**, joined **Dirk Schumacher**, Senior European Economist at Goldman Sachs and moderated by Head of ECFR Berlin office **Ulrike Guérot**
- 12.15-13.15 **2010 Progress report and looking ahead** by ECFR CEO Dick Oosting & Director Mark Leonard
- 13.15-14.45 *Light lunch served. Optional lunch discussion on ECFR strategy and fundraising*
- 14.45-16.30 **Assessing European foreign policy in 2010:** six parallel workshops to assess the EU's performance on China, Russia, the United States, the Neighbourhood, Multilateral Institutions & Crisis Management chaired by ECFR Members **Heather Grabbe**, **Gerald Knaus**, **Dominique Moisi**, **Ana Palacio**, **Varia Vike-Freiberga** and **Antonio Vitorino**
- 16.30-17.15 **The state of the Union: what has the EU achieved in 2010 and what next?** Reporting back from the Chairs of the workshops chaired by ECFR Member **Timothy Garton Ash**

17.15-18.00

Drinks reception