

## **ECP 10th Session Pécs, Hungary, 14-16 October 2011**

(including meeting of ECP Youth Network 12-13 October and ECP Senate meeting on 13 October)

Venue: Zóltan Kodály Centre, 4 Marcell Breuer sétány, Pécs, 7621.

### **Preliminary Programme:**

11 October: Arrival of participants in the ECP Youth Network, accommodation in Nap Hostel Pécs

12-13 October: First Session of **the ECP YN** – workshops i.a. on “Active citizenship through culture”, “Interactive spaces...”, “The need of neutral and creative public spaces for youth” and “Entry barriers in the arts & culture field” (see separate program). Venue: Zsolnay Centre.

13 October, afternoon/evening: Arrival of ECP Participants, accommodation in Hotel Corso

19.30: Meeting of the **ECP Senate** at Hotel Palatinus

Evening for all arriving participants: “An All-European Buffet” with contributions from ECP-members at the Restaurant “Trafik”

### Friday 14 October:

09.00: Registration and Coffee at Kodály Centre

10.00: Opening of the Session – The Hungarian Minister of National Resources, Mr. **Miklós Réthelyi** – The Mayor of Pécs, Dr. **Zsolt Páva** – The Secretary General of the ECP, Ambassador **Karl-Erik Norrman**

10.30: The Theme of the session “***The Relevance of Europe – European Culture, Politics and Economy in the Era of Global Competition***”

Introduction and Moderation: The President of the ECP Senate, Minister **Pär Stenbäck**, Finland

Keynote Speaker: The Oscar Prize Winner **István Szabó**, Budapest

Guest Speaker: Dr. **Kate Coyer**, USA/Budapest

Guest Speaker: Dr. **Rui Vieira Nery**, Portugal, on *“Europe and Cultural Education: The Challenge of Creativity”*

Followed by plenary debate on the theme of the session

13.00: Press Conference / Lunch

14.30: General Debate on the theme of the Session

16.00: Coffee break

16.15: *“The work of Art - a distinctly European Tradition of Faith in Human Values through Art”* – contribution by the new ECP member **Timothy Emlin Jones**, Ireland

Followed by debate on the theme of the session

17.30: Presentation of **new ECP members**

19.00: Welcome Reception of the Mayor of the City of Pécs at Corso Hotel

### Saturday 15 October

09.00: **Workshop 1** – *“European Capitals of Culture, including the Hungarian Experience”*. Moderator: **Rodolfo Maslias**. (Already registered contributors: Tamás Szalay, Ljudmila Nurse, László Komlósi, Luise Kloos, Jaanus Rohumaa, Mary Miller)

11.00: Coffee break

11.00: **Workshop 2** – *“Danube and the Balkans – Myths and Realities”* Moderator: **Therese Larsson**. (Already registered contributors Marie-Louise von Plessen, Márton Méhes, Maria Antas, Kresimir Rogina, Josip Zanki)

13.00: Quick lunch, followed by sightseeing, to the **Zsolnay Centre** (famous porcelain centre) or to **Cella Septichora** (Roman excavations)

15.30: **François Carbon**: *“Living Culture...in the University – a Transatlantic Experience”*

15.45: Presentation of **new ECP Members**

17.00: **Workshop 3** (in cooperation with the London Institute of Ideas), A Battle of Ideas: *“European Limits to Tolerance?”* Moderator: **Claire Fox**. Panelists: Jean-Marc Dreyfus, Joe Friggieri, Gergely Pröhle, Bruno Waterfield

19.00: **Concert in the Kodaly Concert Hall** – ECP members and friends: Janis Vakarelis, Sabina Rakcheyeva, Steven Walter, Adam Niesiolowski and Jarozlav Murin

Followed by a buffet reception

Sunday 16 October

08.30: Drafting of resolutions and/or common statements. Leader of drafting group:  
**Bert Mulder**

09.00: Presentation by the **ECP YN**

09.45: Concluding debate

11.00: Coffee break

11.15: Concluding debate and adopting of possible resolutions and/or statements

12.30 (approx) End of Session

Afternoon: Departure from Pécs

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