

**UNDER THE HIGH PATRONAGE OF HIS MAJESTY
KING MOHAMMED VI**

THE EUROMED UNIVERSITY OF FEZ MEETINGS ON THE ALLIANCE OF CIVILIZATIONS

Fez, Kingdom of Morocco, December 6th and 7th, 2024

“Rebuilding Trust for A Unified and Diverse World”

PROGRAM

Day 1: Friday, December 6 th		
Time	Event: Under the direction of Prof. Abdelhak Azzouzi, President of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair, founding member and member of the Board of Directors of UEMF	Venue
4:00 PM - 7:00 PM	OPENING REMARKS Mr Mouaad Jamaï, Wali of the Fez-Meknes Region, Governor of the Fez Prefecture, Prof. Mostapha Bousmina , President of the Euromed University of Fes, H.E. André Azoulay , Advisor to His Majesty King Mohammed VI.	Agora, Conference Center, Euromed University of Fes
	Official Address <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Screening of a Film on the "Alliance of Civilizations" Chair - H.E. Nasser Bourita Minister of Foreign Affairs, African Cooperation and Moroccan Expatriates - H.E. Miguel Ángel Moratinos High Representative for the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations - Prof. Abdelhak Azzouzi President of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair, founding member and member of the Board of Directors of UEMF 	

	<p>“BUT WHERE THE DANGER IS, ALSO GROWS THE SAVING POWER”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - H.E. Mana Saeed Al Otaiba Personal Adviser to His Highness the President of the United Arab Emirates - Mr. Amadou Lamine Sall Senegalese poet and scholar, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair <p>OPENING SESSION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Remarks by H.E. Josep Borrell High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy / Vice-President of the European Commission - Msgr. Khaled Akasheh Dicasterium Pro Dialogo Inter Religiones – Vatican - Prof. Amal Jellal President of Al Qaraouyne University, Fez, Morocco - Mr. Mohammed Tawfik Mouline Director General of the Royal Institute for Strategic Studies - H.E. Mark Green CEO of the Wilson Center, Washington, D.C., Member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - H.E Ahmed Bin Mohamed Al Jarawan President of the Global Council for Tolerance and Peace, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Mr. Eric Falt Director of the UNESCO Office for the Maghreb in Morocco <p>REMARKS FROM THE EUROMED UNIVERSITY OF FEZ MEETINGS ON THE ALLIANCE OF CIVILIZATIONS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - H.E. Khalid Hamad AlMalik Member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia <p>MEDITERRANEAN AWARD CEREMONY BY HIS EXCELLENCY MICHELE CAPASSO</p> <p>The award has an international scope and annually honors individuals who have made significant contributions to production and creativity in various fields, particularly in the areas of peace, development, and innovation.</p>	
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	<p>CONCERT FOR PEACE, CREATED AND LED BY MS. FRANÇOISE ATLAN</p> <p>A precious moment to share around the three monotheistic spiritual traditions, led by the artistic direction of singer Françoise Atlan, who will be joined by the voices of Fadwa Tadist and Brigitte Allemand. They will be accompanied by the prestigious and iconic Abdelkrim Raiss Orchestra, conducted by Ustad Mohamed Briouel.</p>	
	<p>GROUP PHOTO</p>	

Day 2: Saturday, December 7 th		
Time	Event	Venue
09:00 AM - 10:45 AM	<p>1st Plenary Session: <i>Toward an Alliance for Peace Through Trust: Pathways to building peaceful, cohesive, and just societies through the advancement of interreligious, intercultural, and intercivilizational dialogue.</i></p> <p>Moderator: Prof. Abderrahman Tenkoul, Dean of the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences at UEMF, and member of the Executive Board of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - H.E. Michele Capasso President of Fondazione Mediterraneo - Italy - Ms. Rodi Kratsa-Tsagaropoulou Member of the Board of Directors of UEMF, Governor for the Ionian Islands Region 2019 – 2023; Member of the European Parliament (E.P.) 1999-2014 & Vice-President E.P. 2007-2012 - Mr. Eric Falt Director of the UNESCO Office for the Maghreb in Morocco - Msgr. Khaled Akasheh Dicasterium Pro Dialogo Inter Religiones - Vatican - Prof. Abdelillah Benarafa Deputy Director General – ICESCO - H.E. Mark Green CEO of the Wilson Center, Washington, D.C., Member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Mr. Amadou Lamine Sall Senegalese poet and scholar, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - H.E. Ahmed Bin Mohamed Al Jarawan President of the Global Council for Tolerance and Peace, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - H.E. Brahmeshan Brahmeshanand Acharya Swamiji President and Founder of the International Sadhguru Foundation and Peace Ambassador – India, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair 	Agora, Conference Center, Euromed University of Fes

10:45 AM - 11:00 AM	Break	
11:00 AM - 12:45 PM	<p>2nd Plenary Session: <i>Migration and International Cooperation: Toward More Humane and Coherent Immigration Policies.</i> Moderator: Mrs. Mama Hamimida, Professor at Hassan II University of Casablanca, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr. Driss El Yazami President of the Council of the Moroccan Community Abroad (CCME) - Prof. James F. Hollifield Professor of Political Science, Ora Nixon Arnold Chair in International Political Economy, and Director of the Tower Center at Southern Methodist University - USA, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Prof. Mohammed Zakariya Aboueddahab Professor of International Relations at Mohammed VI University in Rabat - Ms. Laura Palatini Chief of IOM Morocco Mission - Prof. Catherine Wihtol de Wenden Emeritus Research Director at the CNRS – France, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Prof. Martina Cvajner Professor at the University of Trento – Italy - Prof. Fiona B. Adamson Professor at the University of London – United Kingdom, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Prof. Rut Bermejo Casado Professor at Rey Juan Carlos University – Spain, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair 	Agora, Conference Center, Euromed University of Fes
11:00 AM - 12:45 PM	<p>3rd Plenary Session: <i>Transparency, Accountability, and Trust: The Foundations of Sustainable Global Governance.</i> Moderator: Prof. Mohammed Benmoussa, University Professor, former member of the Special Commission on the Development Model.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr. Mohammed Zine Alabidine Former Minister of Culture (Tunisia), Chief of Culture and Communication Sector – ICESCO - Mr. Brahim Benjelloun Touimi Administrator, General Director of BMCE Bank, Doctor 	Amphitheater B, Building 1, Euromed University of Fes

	<p>of Finance and Banking from the University of Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr. Abdeslam Seddiki Former Minister – Morocco - Mr. Mohamed Horani Member of the Board of Directors of UEMF - Prof. Philippe Blachère Member of the Supreme Court of Monaco - Prof. Philippe Marchesin Professor in the Department of Political Science at Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne University, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair 	
1:00 PM - 2:30 PM	Lunch	
3:00 PM - 4:45 PM	<p>4th Plenary Session: <i>Preventive Diplomacy and International Cooperation Through Trust: Toward a more Secure World</i></p> <p>Moderator: Prof. Abderrahman Tenkoul, Dean of the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences at UEMF, and member of the Executive Board of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - H.E. Mohamed El-Arabi Former Ministry of Foreign Affairs – Egypt, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Prof. Lola Banon Professor of Television Journalism specializing in Information Science and International Mediation – Spain, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Mr. Kamal El Mahdaoui Political Director, Secretariat of the Union for the Mediterranean, Barcelona - Mr. Khalid Fathallah Former Ambassador, Head of the Department of Civilizational Dialogue at ICESCO - Prof. Ghazi Gherairi Former Ambassador of Tunisia to UNESCO – Tunisia, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Mr. Mario Russell President of The Center for Migration Studies - Prof. Mohammed Mesmoudi Author and Specialist in Political Science 	Agora, Conference Center, Euromed University of Fes

4:45 PM - 5:00 PM	Break	
5:00 PM - 6:45 PM	<p>5th Plenary Session: <i>Building a Smart Future: Artificial Intelligence Serving Societies.</i> Moderator: Prof. Chakib Nejjari, Vice-President of the Health Pole at the Euromed University of Fes.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - H.E. Osama Hassan Heikal Former Minister – Egypt, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Prof. Othmane Benmoussa Dean of the Euromed Polytechnic School - Prof. Abderrahmane Haddad Director of the Euromed Institute of Legal and Political Science - Mr. Effenus Henderson CEO of HenderWorks, Inc.– USA, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Mr. Rachid Achachi Director-General of Arkhé Consulting, Lecturer and International Columnist - Prof. Mohammed El Maâzouz Anthropologist and writer 	Agora, Conference Center, Euromed University of Fes
5:00 PM - 6:45 PM	<p>6th Plenary Session: <i>Cultural Diversity and Social Harmony: The Benefits of Well-Managed Immigration.</i> Moderator: Prof. Alex Toshkov, Director of the Language Center at the Euromed University of Fes.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Prof. Giani D’Amato Professor at the University of Neuchâtel, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Prof. Ferruccio Pastore Director of the International Immigration Research Forum (FIERI) – Italy, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Prof. Hélène Thiollet CNRS Permanent Researcher – France, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Prof. Giuseppe Sciortino Professor at the University of Trento – Italy, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair - Prof. Leila Hadj-Abdou 	Amphitheater B, Building 1, Euromed University of Fes

	<p>Deputy Head of the Policy Research and Migration Law Unit of the IOM Country Office for Austria</p> <p>- Prof. Lembe Tiky Professor at Fairfield University – USA, member of the Alliance of Civilizations Chair</p>	
6:55 PM	Closing Session	Agora, Conference Center, Euromed University of Fes