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“THE VISION OF YOUTH ON THE ROOTS OF THE CRISIS IN THE MIDDLE EAST ”



25 – 26 JUNE 2019 ROME

One of the basic challenges of the 21st Century is assuring international peace and fostering development, in the light of the new World balance. Today, there are problems that can only be solved by action at the global level. New strategic thinking is required to approach global issues and advance “global public goods”. Consequently, international communities must become protagonists of a new strategy to intervene in crisis areas and to promote peace, human rights and development with a strategy based on realistic and effective foreign common policy. Such a strategy must include the collaborative efforts of diplomatic, economic and peace forces actions, while being rooted in the common goal of development of a strong cooperation culture of solidarity capable of understanding local needs and providing quick and efficient solutions that are at once professional and respectful of human dignity. Such a strategy must rely on cultural expertise and include expert knowledge of the theoretical elements of crisis and development management and the capability to understand the real comprehensive needs of the populations, and their historical and cultural roots in order to give effective answers to them, and to promote peace and development even in the first phases of the interventions.

PROGRAMME - DRAFT

25 June 2019 Borromeo Palace Italian Embassy to the Holy See - Ministry of Foreign Affairs and IC

12.30/1.00 pm Welcoming of Amb. Pietro Sebastiani - Italian Ambassador to the Holy See

Greetings: President AESI, European Commission Delegation in Italy and European Parliament Office in Italy

1.00 /2.30 pm Lunch Break

2.30/3.30 pm SESSION: JERUSALEM

Chaired by Prof. Massimo Maria Caneva President AESI (Italy)

Prof. Munther Dajani - Professor of Political Sciences (Palestine)

Prof. Oron Shagrir - Vice President of the Hebrew University (Israel)

Discussion with the Students



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3.30/4.40 pm SEMINAR “FOR A NEW EUROPEAN FOREIGN POLICY OF JUSTICE AND PEACE”

Interventions: Amb. Pietro Sebastiani Italian Ambassador to the Holy See, Prof. Massimo Maria Caneva - President AESI, Dr. Vito Borrelli - European Commission Delegation in Italy - Dr. Fabrizio Spada - European Parliament Office in Italy, Gen. Chris Whitecross Commandant, NATO Defense College, Amb. Giorgio Marrapodi Director General for Development Cooperation, Min. Plen. Raimondo De Cardona Diplomatic Advisor to the Minister of Education Moderation: On. Alberto Micheli - Presidency AESI

4.40/5.00 pm Discussion with the Students

26 June 2019 GENERAL AUDIENCE WITH POPE FRANCIS VATICAN