



Dear Friends of the South North Mediterranean Dialogue

Brussels, 13 April 2012

Object: Third Congress of the South North Mediterranean Dialogue

Six years after the Algiers Congress and three years after the one of Alicante, we have the pleasure to invite you to the

Third Congress of the South North Mediterranean Dialogue

A Shared Vision for the Future

Civil Society and Public Authorities: Which Partnership?

TUNIS, 07-08-09 JUNE 2012

The point 7 of the Algiers Declaration of February 2006 already asserted the need « *to promote the active participation of Civil Society in the Political and Decision-Making Processes [...] to create a Euro-Mediterranean entity founded on universal values which are the basis for promoting political reform and common action plans.* »

At this moment in history marked by the "Arab Spring", where the evolution of Mediterranean societies is very important for Arab States, for Europe and for their relations over the Mediterranean, it is essential to deliberate and think together to structure the future.



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If you are interested to participate, please save the date

If you want to be kept informed of the preparation or

If you are interested in participating in the preparation of the theme in your country (preparatory meeting in April or May) please let us know (secretariat@europeanmovement.eu)

Registration is free but mandatory.

Participation costs for the 2-day Congress will be borne by the participant, his/her association or institution and amounts to 200 Euros (possible support by foundations for individual cases).

We send you a draft program. It opens a wide space for discussion between representatives of each of civil societies. This process will end by a presentation of the main ideas to the public authorities that will be willing to join us.

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