

THE WORLD CRISIS AND ITS IMPLICATIONS FOR EMERGING & DEVELOPING COUNTRIES

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10:30–11:00 am Refreshments

11:00–11:30 am Opening session

- *Christine Lagarde, Minister of Economy, Industry and Employment*
- *John Lipsky, First Deputy Managing Director, International Monetary Fund*

Introduction

- *Ramon Fernandez, Chairman of the Paris Club*
- *Hung Q. Tran, Counsellor & Senior Director, Capital Markets and Emerging Markets Policy Department, Institute of International Finance*

11:30 am–12:30 pm Roundtable 1 – Financial and macroeconomic factors underpinning the crisis

Chair: Daniel Cohen, Professor of Economics, Paris School of Economics / Ecole Normale Supérieure

- *Christian Noyer, Governor, Banque de France*
- *John Lipsky, First Deputy Managing Director, IMF*
- *Jean Lemierre, Adviser to the President, BNP Paribas*

12:30 - 1:30 pm Roundtable 2 – Impacts of the crisis on emerging markets: liquidity squeeze and balance of payments vulnerabilities in emerging countries

Chair: Benoît Coeuré, Co-Chair of the G20 working Group 4 on the WB and other MDBs

- *Sri Mulyani Indrawati, Minister of Finance and Acting Coordinating Minister for Economic Affairs, Indonesia*
- *Isabel Guerrero, Regional Vice President, South Asia Region, World Bank*
- *Bill Brummitt, General Manager, International Economy Division, Treasury, Australia*
- *Rintaro Tamaki, Director General of the International Bureau, Ministry of Finance, Japan*
- *András Simor, Governor, Central Bank of Hungary*
- *Erik Berglöf, Chief Economist and Special Adviser to the President, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)*

1:30 - 3:00 pm Luncheon

3:00 - 4:30 pm Roundtable 3 – New financing challenges in low-income countries (LICs)

Chair: Patrick Guillaume, Professor, Centre d'Etudes et de Recherches sur le Développement International (CERDI)

- *Essimi Menye, Minister of Finance, Cameroon*
- *Dr. Paul A. Acquah, Governor, Bank of Ghana*
- *Donald Kaberuka, President, African Development Bank Group (AfDB)*
- *Otaviano Canuto, Vice President, Poverty Reduction Management Network, World Bank*
- *Klaus Rudischhauser, Director of Directorate C. (ACP I – General Affairs), Directorate General Development and relations with African, Caribbean and Pacific States, European Commission*

4:30 - 5:00 pm Wrap-up/Closing session

- *Hung Q. Tran, Counsellor & Senior Director, IIF*