



HIGH-LEVEL SEMINAR

Twenty years of EU-Latin America relations. Building a future

Monday, 18 February 2019

15:00-18:30

European Parliament
Bât. Paul-Henri Spaak
Salle P4 B-1
60 rue Wiertz
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- Panelists in alphabetical order -

14:00h. Registration

15:00h. Opening session

Ramón Jáuregui, Chair, European Parliament Delegation to the Euro-Latin American Parliamentary Assembly (EuroLat)

Ángel Durández, Vicepresident of the Euroamérica Foundation

Special Guests:

Rebeca Grynszpan, Ibero-American Secretary General

Federica Mogherini, High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy *

16:00h. First session: The European Union and Latin America: the story so far. Areas of investment and economic development in Europe and Latin America

Josep Piqué, former Spanish Science and Technology Minister (2002-2003); Foreign Minister (2000-2002); and Industry Minister (1996-2000). Member of the Board of Trustees, Euroamérica Foundation

Luis Carranza, President of CAF- development bank of Latin America *

Introduction and moderation: **José Ignacio Salafranca**, MEP, Co-Chair, Euro-Latin American Parliamentary Assembly (EuroLat) (from 2006 to July 2014). Member of the Board of Trustees, Euroamérica Foundation

17:00h. Second session: Looking to the future: shared challenges in a globalised world. Digitalisation of the economy for inclusive and equitable development.

Representative of **European Commission**

Pablo Bello, Executive Director of the Inter-American Association of Telecom Operators (ASITET)

Mario Cimoli, Deputy Executive Secretary, Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean, ECLAC

José Manuel González-Páramo, Head of Global Economics & Public Affairs at BBVA. Member of the Executive Board and of the Governing Council, European Central Bank (2004-2012)

Pedro Less, Director of Government Affairs & Public Policy for Latin America, Google

Eduardo Navarro de Carvalho, Global Director for Comms, Brand, Public Affairs & Sustainability at Telefónica

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