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# FEE TAX DAY 2015

## THE FUTURE OF TAX POLICY: A MATTER FOR SOCIETY AS A WHOLE

The role of policymakers - tax administrations - tax advisors - taxpayers

Wednesday 29 April 2015

**VENUE:** European Economic and Social Committee,  
Van Maerlant building, 2, rue Van Maerlant, Brussels



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## PROGRAMME

Friedrich Rödler, Chair of the FEE Tax Policy Group, will guide you through the day

09.30 **Registration and coffee**

### Opening & welcome

10.00 **Petr Kriz** *President, FEE*

10.05 **Joost van Iersel** *President of the Section for Economic and Monetary Union and Economic and Social Cohesion, EESC*

## SESSION I

10.15 **The Status of the BEPS Project**

**Pascal Saint-Amans** *Director of the Centre for Tax Policy and Administration, OECD*

10.40 **The Commission's investigations into tax ruling potentially constituting illegal state aid**

**Gert Jan Koopman** *Deputy Director General - State Aid, DG Competition, European Commission*

11.00 **PANEL DISCUSSION****The Impact of Current Policy Initiatives in the Real World**

Moderated by **Frances Robinson** *Journalist*

*The panel will discuss how emerging policy initiatives are shaping the current environment.*

**Martin Kreienbaum** *Director General of International Taxation, German Finance Ministry*

**Charlotte Redcliffe** *Head of Tax, Centrica plc*

**Dag Wyntin** *Group Tax Manager, KBC Group*

**Lucie Watrinet** *Financing for Development Advocacy Officer, CCFD-Terre Solidaire*

**Dr. Gabriele Rautenstrauch** *Senior Manager International Tax, KPMG*

12.30 **Lunch**

## SESSION II

14.00 **PANEL DISCUSSION****The Tension between Cooperation and Competition**

Moderated by **Olivier Boutellis-Taft** *CEO, FEE*

*The panel will consider the tension between a sustainable tax system and the protection of national tax bases. It will further explore whether better coordination of tax policy could form the basis of a more sustainable tax system in the future.*

**Pierre Gramegna** *Minister of Finance, Luxembourg*

**Ingrid Rensema** *Vice President Group Tax, ABN AMRO Group*

**Petru Sorin Dandea** *EESC member and rapporteur for the EESC opinions on the fight against tax fraud and tax evasion*

**Joseph Stead** *Senior Economic Justice Adviser, Christian Aid*

**Michael Izza** *CEO, ICAEW*

## SESSION III

15.45 **The Way Forward for Europe**

**Pierre Moscovici** *Commissioner for Economic and Financial Affairs - Taxation and Customs, European Commission*

16.25 **Closing Remarks**

**Olivier Boutellis-Taft** *CEO, FEE*

16.30 **Event close**