

PROGRAMME

KEDE Conference on:

***"Local Authorities, Refugee Flows and Migration Issue –
Impact on the Society, the Economy and the Tourism"***

**SAMOS, 2-3-4 June 2016
Hotel DORYSSA**

Thursday, June 2, 2016

19:30 - 21:30: **Opening Ceremony**

- ❖ **Michalis Angelopoulos**
Mayor of Samos, Member of KEDE Administrative Board
- ❖ **Kyriakos Mitsotakis**
New Democracy President
- ❖ **Spyros Galinos**
Mayor of Lesvos, Chairman of the Regional Union of North Aegean
- ❖ **Christiana Kalogirou**, Head of the Region of North Aegean
- ❖ **Panagiotis Kouroumbilis**, Minister of Interior and Administrative Reconstruction
- ❖ **George Patoulis**, KEDE President, Mayor of Amaroussion

21.30: **Departure to "Mitilinous", dinner by the Chamber of Samos**

Friday, June 3, 2016

- 10:00-11:00: Speech by **George Patoulis**, ITA - KEDE President
Presentation of the Study of Institute of Local Self Government (ITA) by **Kostas Damis & Stathis Karatzogiannis**
- 11:00-13:00: **Greece & the Refugees Issue: National Threat or National Challenge**
- ❖ Representatives of political parties - Officers in charge of migration issue:
 - ✓ **Dimitris Sevastakis**, Samos Deputy, SYRIZA
 - ✓ **Vasilis Kikilias**, Athens Deputy, New Democracy (ND)

- ✓ **Theodoros Papatheodorou**, Achaia Deputy, Democratic Coalition
- ✓ **Lina Krokidi**, Member of the Central Committee of the Greek Communist party (KKE)
- ✓ **George Tsaousis**, Immigration Policy Coordinator, River (POTAMI)
- ✓ **Mantelena Papadopoulou**, President of the Independent Greeks Youth Section (ANEL)
- ✓ **Dr. Panagiotis Sfaelos**, Centrist Union Party, Expert in European Refugee Law

Discussion

13:00- 14.15: Lunch

14.15 -16:30: ***Strategic Planning Management of the Refugee Issue at Local Level - The Role of Municipalities from their experience up to today***

Presentation of a polling about the Immigration Issue and its effects on the Attica Prefecture

- **Gyorgy Illes**, Co-rapporteur of the Report on Refugees and Immigration, Member of the Chamber of Local Authorities, CLRAE, Mayor of Pilisszentlászlo (Hungary)
- **Nikolaos Papaefstahiou**, Head of the National Health Operations Center
- ❖ **Ioannis Karagiannis**, KEDE 2nd Vice President, Mayor of Lagada
- ❖ **Manolis Vournous**, Mayor of Chios
- ❖ **Efthimios Fotopoulos**, Mayor of Delta
- ❖ **Christos Gkountenoudis**, Mayor of Paionia
- ❖ **George Kyritsis**, Mayor of Kos
- ❖ **Ioannis Konstantatos**, Mayor of Elliniko – Argyroupolis
- ❖ **Petros Kokkalis**, Municipal Counselor of Pireaus

*Moderator: **Michalis Angelopoulos**, Member of KEDE Administrative Board, Mayor of Samos*

Discussion

16:30 -18:30: ***Immigration to Cities - Redesigning Urban Web, Social Integration***

- ❖ **Olga Kefalogianni**, Athens Deputy
 - ❖ **Fernando Clavijo Batlle**, President of the Canary Islands Government
 - ❖ **Santo Caruso**, CEMR Representative Responsible for the Asylum and the Integration, Mayor of Aci Sant' Antonio
 - ❖ **Frank Edelmann**, Coordinator of the Greek-German Council
 - ❖ **Giovanni Lepri**, UN High Commissioner for Refugees - Regional representative for Southern Europe
 - ❖ **Yoomi Renstrom**, Co-rapporteur of the Report on Refugees and Immigration, Member of the Chamber of Regions, CLRAE Councillor of the Regional Executive Bureau of Gavleborg (Sweden),
 - ❖ **Konstantinos Yorkatzis**, Vice-President of the Cypriot Union of Municipalities, Mayor of Nicosia
 - ❖ **Kyriakos Hatzittofis**, Member of the Executive Committee of the Cypriot Union of Municipalities
 - ❖ Representative of the Turkish Union of Municipalities
- Moderator: **Dimitris Kafantaris**, KEDE 1st Vice President, Mayor of Pylos Nestoros*

Discussion

21:00 Concert at the ancient theater of Pythagorion
Revenues will go to charity – Departure scheduled at the entrance of "Doryssa Hotel" at 20.30

Saturday, June 4, 2016

10:00- 12:00: ***Tourism - Development and Refugee Flows***

- ❖ **Gerasimos Zacharatos**, Assistant Secretary General, Ministry of Tourism
 - ❖ **Elisa Vosemberg**, Member of the European Parliament
 - ❖ **Giorgos Hatzimarkos**, Head of the South Aegean Region
 - ❖ **Konstantinos Kyriazis**, President of the Association of Samos and Ikaria Hotels
 - ❖ **Giorgos Kyriazis**, President of Chamber, Samos
 - ❖ **Manos Valis**, Member of the Hotels Association Board
- Moderator: **Gerasimos Damoulakis**, Member of KEDE Administrative Board, Mayor of Milos*

Discussion

12:00 - 14:00: ***Social Solidarity, Voluntarism and Humanitarian Aid***

- ❖ **Inigo de la Serna**, CEMR President, Mayor of Santander
- ❖ **Anders Knape**, Vice-President of the Congress and President of its Chamber of Local Authorities
- ❖ Presentation of Project "We Care"
- ❖ **Dr. Antonis Avgerinos**, President of the Hellenic Red Cross
- ❖ **Marc van den Reeck**, Head of International Cooperation and Projects, NGO "Hamogelo tou Paidiou"
- ❖ **Konstantinos Dimtsas**, NGO "Mission" General Director

Discussion

14:00 - 14:30: **Conclusions - End of the Conference from the President of KEDE, Giorgos Patoulis, Mayor of Amaroussion**

14.30 **Departure to Karlovasi – Lunch by the Municipality of Samos**

16.00 **Visit to the Tannery Museum and the Karlovasi Folk Museum**

Sunday, June 5, 2016

10.30 Race "Lykourgos Logothetis Trophy" – Karlovasi Stadium