



PARLIAMENTARY EVENT

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TAX POLICY AND ECONOMIC GROWTH: DOES IT REALLY MATTER?

Host: MEP Lara Comi, Vice-Chair of the EPP

Altiero Spinelli (ASP 5E-3)

European Parliament

from 14:00-15:30



Programme

WELCOME ADDRESSES

MEP Lara Comi, Host MEP
MEP Markus Ferber

INTRODUCTORY SPEECH

Giorgio Spaziani Testa, President of Confedilizia

PRESENTATION OF THE "TAX POLICY AND ECONOMIC GROWTH: DOES IT REALLY MATTER?" ANALYSIS

Prof. Riccardo Puglisi

DISCUSSANT

Prof. Micael Castanheira

Q&A SESSION

CLOSING REMARKS

Stratos Paradias, President of UIPI



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Speakers Profile



Lara Comi

MEMBER OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT

Italian MEP and Vice-President of the EPP Group, Lara Comi is an active member of the Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection and of the delegation for relations with the United States at the European Parliament.



Markus Ferber

MEMBER OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT

German MEP belonging to the EPP Group, Markus Ferber is a prominent member of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs, the Special committee on financial crimes, tax evasion and tax avoidance as well as of the Delegation for relations with South Africa.



Giorgio Spaziani Testa

PRESIDENT OF CONFEDILIZIA

Giorgio Spaziani Testa is the President of Confedilizia since 2015. Prior to his two terms as President, he was General Secretary of the association. Trained in fiscal law, he has a strong expertise in real estate.



Riccardo Puglisi

PROFESSOR AT PAVIA UNIVERSITY
ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR AT BOCCONI UNIVERSITY

Riccardo Puglisi is Professor in Economics – Department of Political and Social Sciences – at the University of Pavia, as well as Associate Professor at Bocconi University.



Micael Castanheira

PROFESSOR AT ULB-UNIVERSITÉ LIBRE DE BRUXELLES

A director for research with the Belgian National Science Foundation, he is professor at ULB, where he also teaches microeconomics and political economics. He is also a member of the scientific board of the Price Observatory of the Belgian Government and the National Bank of Belgium.



Stratos Paradias

PRESIDENT OF UIPI & POMIDA

Stratos Paradias is the President of the International Union of Property Owners (UIPI) since 2005. Stratos is a Supreme Court Lawyer in Athens, specialised in Property Law. In 1983, he founded the Hellenic Property Federation (POMIDA).