

*How can education contribute to tackle
radicalism and fundamentalism in Europe?*

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15.00 - 18.30

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Introductory remarks

15.00 - 15.30 **Mr. Antonio Tajani**
Vice-President of the European Parliament responsible for interreligious dialogue

Ms. Silvia Costa
Chairwoman of the Committee on Culture and Education

Panel I: The European dimension
(Chair: Vice-President Antonio Tajani)

15.30 - 16.10 **Ms. Julie Ward**
Rapporteur for the European Parliament initiative report on "the role of intercultural dialogue, cultural diversity and education in promoting EU fundamental values"

Ms. Martine Cerf
Secretary General of Egalité Laïcité Europe

Mr. Pierre Galand
President of the European Humanist Federation

Ms. Yvette Ramon
Grand Master of International Order of Co-freemasonry, "Le Droit Humain"

16.10 - 16.40 **Discussion**

16.40 - 16.50 **Break**

Article 17 TFEU dialogue with the Churches, philosophical and non-confessional organisations

Panel II: National policies and practices in perspective

(Chair: Ms. Silvia Costa)

16.50 - 17.30 **Mr. Barend van Driel**
Secretary General of the Association for Intercultural Education

Ms. Nieves Bayo Gallego
Grand Master of the "Gran Logia Simbólica Espanola"

Mr. Henri Sylvestre
Grand Orient de France

Mr. Keith Porteous Wood
Executive Director of the UK National Secular Society

17.30 - 18.10 **Discussion**

Conclusions

18.10 **Mr. Frans Timmermans**
First Vice-President of the European Commission

18.20 **Mr. Martin Schulz**
President of the European Parliament

Reception hosted by **Mr. Antonio Tajani**, Vice-President of the European Parliament