

# EUROPEAN PARLIAMENTARY WEEK 2025

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## INTERPARLIAMENTARY CONFERENCE ON EUROPEAN ECONOMIC GOVERNANCE

# AGENDA

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**European Parliamentary Week 2025**  
**Inter-parliamentary Conference on Stability,  
Economic Coordination and Governance in the European Union**  
**Co-organised by**  
**European Parliament, Sejm of the Republic of Poland  
and Senate of the Republic of Poland**  
**European Parliament**  
**Brussels, 17-18 February 2025**

**Monday, 17 February 2025**

- 12.00 – 14.30** Registration of participants from national Parliaments (Station Europe)
- 12.00 – 14.30** Political group meetings:
- 12.00 – 14.30 EPP (working lunch), SPINELLI ground floor Members' Salon
- 12.00 – 14.30 S&D, SPAAK 07C50
- 12.00 – 14.30 PfE Patriots, SPAAK 1C47
- 12.00 – 14.30 RENEW (lunch), SPINELLI ground floor Members' Salon
- 12.00 – 14.30 The Greens/EFA, SPINELLI 5E1
- 12.00 – 14.30 The LEFT, SPAAK 1C51
- 12.45 – 14.00** Parliamentary staff-to-staff meeting (*SPINELLI 5G2*)
- 14.30 – 14.35** **Family photo**  
*Hemicycle (SPAAG, 3rd floor)*
- 14.35 – 15.20** **Opening session: EU priorities to promote growth, competitiveness and stability**  
*Meeting room: Hemicycle (SPAAG, 3rd floor)*
- Welcoming words by Ms **Roberta Metsola**, President of the European Parliament
  - Welcoming words by Mr **Szymon Hołownia**, Marshal of the Sejm of the Republic of Poland
  - Welcoming words by Ms **Małgorzata Kidawa-Błońska**, Marshal of the Senate of the Republic of Poland
  - Key opening remarks by Mr **António Costa**, President of the European Council
- 15.45 – 16.10** **Opening of the exhibition "The Republic of Innovation/ Republika Innowacji" organized by the Polish Parliament** with welcoming words by Mr **Szymon Hołownia**, Marshal of the Sejm of the Republic of Poland in presence of Ms **Katarina Barley**, Vice-President of the European Parliament  
*Venue: SPINELLI, 3rd floor 3D SPINELLI Bar Area*

## 16.20 – 19.20 Interparliamentary Committee Meetings (in parallel)

### Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs (ECON)

*Meeting room: ANTALL 4Q2*

Co-chaired by: Ms **Aurore Lalucq**, Chair of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs of the European Parliament, Ms **Maria Małgorzata Janyska**, Member of the Economic and Development Committee of the Sejm of the Republic of Poland and Mr **Waldemar Pawlak**, Chair of the Committee on National Economy and Innovation of the Senate of the Republic of Poland

#### Session I: The future of Banking Union and Capital Markets Union:

Opening panel speakers:

Ms **Julia Symon**, Head of Research and Advocacy at Finance Watch

Mr **Édouard Fernandez Bollo**, Former-member of the Supervisory Board of the European Central Bank

Ms **Anastasia Kotovskaia**, Head of Department, Financial Markets and Information Technology, Centre for European Policy

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#### Session II: Creating an ecosystem for European investments

Opening panel speakers:

Ms **Hélène Bussières**, Head of the Asset Management Unit, DG FISMA, European Commission

Ms **Roxana de Carvalho**, Head of Governance and External Affairs Department, European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA)

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## **Committee on Employment and Social Affairs (EMPL)**

*Meeting room: ANTALL 6Q2*

Co-chaired by: Ms **Li Andersson**, Chair of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs of the European Parliament, Ms **Agnieszka Pomaska**, Chair of the EU Affairs Committee of the Sejm of the Republic of Poland (session 1), Mr **Marek Krzakała**, Deputy Chair of the European Union Affairs Committee of the Sejm of the Republic of Poland (session 2) and Mr **Tomasz Grodzki**, Chairman of the EU Affairs Committee of the Senate of the Republic of Poland

### **Session I: AI and the labour market with a focus on changing working conditions**

Opening panel speakers:

Ms **Roxana Minzatu**, Executive Vice-President for Social Rights and Skills, Quality Jobs and Preparedness

Mr **Maarten Goos**, Faculty of Law, Economics and Governance, Utrecht University School of Economics

Mr **Alberto Mayoral de Lamo**, Member, Commission on Labor, Social Economy, Inclusion, Social Security and Migration, Spanish Parliament

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### **Session II: The role of social and employment policies in the EU's reviewed economic governance framework**

Opening panel speakers:

Mr **Bart Vanhercke**, Director of Research Department, European Trade Union Institute (ETUI)

Mr **Mario Nava**, Director-General, DG Employment and Social Affairs

Ms **Hele Everaus**, Member, Social Affairs Committee, Riigikogu (Estonian Parliament)

Ms **Sónia Ramos**, Member, Committee on Labour, Social Security and Inclusion, Portuguese Assembly of the Republic

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## **Committee on Budgets (BUDG)**

*Meeting room: ANTALL 4Q1*

Co-chaired by: Mr **Johan Van Overtveldt**, Chair of the Committee on Budgets of the European Parliament and Ms **Krystyna Skowrońska**, Deputy Chair of the Committee on Public Finance of the Sejm of the Republic of Poland (session 1), Mr **Rafał Kasprzyk**, Deputy Chair of the Committee on Public Finances of the Sejm of the Republic of Poland (session 2) and Mr **Kazimierz Kleina**, Chair of the Committee on Budget and Public Finance of the Senate of the Republic of Poland

Session I: Bridging the competitiveness gap: how to increase synergies between the national budgets and the post-2027 Multiannual Financial Framework.

Keynote speaker: Mr **Piotr Serafin**, European Commissioner for Budget, Anti-Fraud and Public Administration

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Session II: European Public Goods: how to identify and finance them?

Keynote speaker: Mr **Armin Steinbach** – Jean Monnet Professor of Law and Economics at HEC Paris

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### **19.30 – 21.30 Official dinner** (*Members' Salon, SPINELLI ground floor*)

Co-hosted by Ms **Katarina Barley**, Vice-President of the European Parliament, and Mr **Maciej Żywno**, Deputy Marshal of the Senate of the Republic of Poland

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## Tuesday, 18 February 2025

### **9.00 – 11.30** Plenary session: Improvement of EU's competitiveness through the single market, innovation policy, better regulation and quality jobs

*Meeting room: Hemicycle (SPAAK, 3rd floor)*

Co-chaired by: Ms **Katarina Barley**, Vice-President of the European Parliament, Ms **Agnieszka Pomaska**, Chair of the EU Affairs Committee of the Sejm of the Republic of Poland and Mr **Tomasz Grodzki**, Chairman of the EU Affairs Committee of the Senate of the Republic of Poland

Keynote speaker: Mr **Mario Draghi**, former Prime Minister of the Italian Republic and former President of the European Central Bank

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### **11.30 – 12.00** **Coffee break** (*Foyer of the Hemicycle*)

### **12.00 – 13.30** Plenary session: The first national plans under the revised Economic Governance Framework – lessons learned

*Meeting room: Hemicycle (SPAAK, 3rd floor)*

Co-chaired by: Ms **Katarina Barley**, Vice-President of the European Parliament, Ms **Zofia Czernow**, Deputy Chair of the Committee on Public Finances of the Sejm of the Republic of Poland and Mr **Tomasz Grodzki**, Chairman of the EU Affairs Committee of the Senate of the Republic of Poland

Opening panel speakers:

Mr **Alberto Fonseca**, Member of the Portuguese Parliament (*Assembleia da República*)

Mr **Adam Reuterskiöld**, Member of the Swedish Parliament (*Riksdagen*)

Mr **Massimo Suardi**, Director, European Commission,

Mr **Roel Beetsma**, former Member of the European Fiscal Board

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### **13.30 – 14.45** **Walking Lunch** (*ANTALL 2 Q, Catering area*)

The conference can be followed online: <http://www.europarl.europa.eu/ep-live>