

ANNUAL MEETING 2012

# EUROPEAN STEERING COMMITTEE (ESC) PROGRAMME

FRIDAY 23 ET SATURDAY 24 NOVEMBER 2012

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## Friday, 23 November

**19.00 > 20.00**    **Cocktail**

**20.00 > 22.30**    **Dinner-debate**

### **Welcome address**

António VITORINO, President, *Notre Europe – Jacques Delors Institute*

### **The state of the European Union in autumn 2012**

Debate introduced by  
Jacques DELORS, Founding President, *Notre Europe – Jacques Delors Institute*, President of the ESC

## Saturday, 24 November

**9.00**    **Welcome coffee**

**9.15**    **Introduction**

Jacques DELORS, Founding President, President of the ESC  
António VITORINO, President, *NE-JDI*

**9.30 > 11.00**

### **The Single Market 20 years on: achievements and prospects on economic, social and political dimensions**

Debate introduced by  
Riccardo PERISSICH, Former Director General Industry,  
European Commission

**11.00 > 12.30**

### **How to balance stringency and growth in the Eurozone?**

Debate introduced by  
Anna DIAMANTOPOULOU, Former European Commissioner, Former  
Greek Minister  
Paavo LIPPONEN, Former Prime Minister of Finland

**12.30 > 14.00**    **Lunch**

**14.00 > 16.00**

### **No monetary union without a political union?**

Debate introduced by  
António VITORINO, President, *NE-JDI*

**16.00 > 16.45**

### **Adoption of a final statement on the political union**

Yves BERTONCINI, Director, *Notre Europe – Jacques Delors Institute*

**16.45 > 17.00**    **Conclusions**

Jacques DELORS, Founding President, President of the ESC