

**“Smart Public Procurement:
Efficient Management through E-Procurement”**

3rd Annual Conference on Public Procurement

**20 June 2014
Athens, Greece**

Housekeeping remarks: **Nikita Stampa**, Head of Unit, Economic analysis and e-procurement, DG Internal Market and Services, European Commission
09h15 - 09h20

Welcome – Opening session: 09h20 - 09h35

Konstantinos Hatzidakis, Minister for Development and Competitiveness, Hellenic Republic

Michalis Chrisochoidis, Minister for Infrastructure, Transport and Networks, Hellenic Republic

Session 1 09h35 - 10h40

A kick off to smart public procurement in Europe

- *Achieving a transparent, efficient and professional public procurement*

Gustavo Piga, University of Rome Tor Vergata

- *A federative approach to demand aggregation in the French health sector*

Bruno Carrière, Director-General UniHA

- *Lessons from procurement in a private company*

Hanne Goebel, Global Category Director Packaging, Heineken

- *Key challenges in Public Procurement from OECD perspective*

Rolf Alter, Director of the Public Governance and territorial Development, OECD

Moderator: **Joaquim Nunes de Almeida**, Director, Public Procurement, DG Internal Market and Services, European Commission

Coffee break

10h40 - 11h05

Session 2 - Panel discussion

11h05 - 12h00

The road to e-invoicing

- *Introduction on the key points of the e-invoicing Directive,*
Bartosz Dworak, Economic analysis and e-procurement, DG Internal Market and Services, European Commission

Panel discussion

- **Stephen McPartland**, Member of Parliament, UK

- **Jostein Frømyr**, Vice Chair CEN/BII and UN/CEFACT

- **Kerstin Wiss Holmdahl**, Legal advisor, SALAR/Council of European Municipalities and Regions

Moderator: **Nikita Stampa**, Head of Unit, Economic analysis and e-procurement, DG Internal Market and Services, European Commission

Session 3

12h00 - 13h00

The potential of new technologies for smart procurement

- *The Dutch experience: an efficient solution for business and administration*
Kornelis Drijfhout, Information manager, TenderNed

- *Cutting red tape in certificates – a French solution*
Emmanuel Poidevin, President e-Attestations

- *The national information system on public procurement in Portugal*
Isabel Rosa, Qualification and Licensing Director, Instituto dos Mercados Públicos, do Imobiliário, e da Construção (*IMPIC*)

Moderator: **Ivo Locatelli**, Economic analysis and e-procurement, DG Internal Market and Services, European Commission

Lunch break

13h00 - 14h30

Session 4 - Panel discussion

14h30 - 15h30

Opportunities, risks and challenges of e-procurement in a cross-border context

- **Stefanos Komninou**, Secretary General of Commerce, Ministry of Development and Competitiveness, Greece
- **Miguel Sobral**, Chairman of EUPLAT
- **Andreas Nemec**, CEO, Austrian Federal Procurement Agency (BBG)
- **Morten Qvist Fog Lund**, Senior Adviser, Danish Industry
- **Ivančica Franjković**, Head of Sector, State Office for Central Public Procurement, Croatia (CPO)

Moderator: **Panayotis Stamatopoulos**, Head of Unit, Public Procurement Legislation II, DG Internal Market and Services, European Commission

Coffee break

15h30 - 16h00

Session 5

16h00 - 17h00

Fighting corruption in public procurement

- *New tools to fight corruption in public procurement*

Giancarlo Spagnolo, SITE - Stockholm & DEF - Tor Vergata

- *zIndex: benchmarking the transparency of contracting authorities*

Jiří Skuhrovec, Centre for Applied Economics (NGO, Czech Republic)

- *Putting anti-corruption measures into practice*

Ellen Lücke, Procurement Agency of the Federal Ministry of Interior, Germany

Moderator: **Dimitrios Raikos**, President Hellenic Single Public Procurement Authority, Greece

Closing keynote speech

17h00 - 17h10

Joaquim Nunes de Almeida, Director, Public Procurement, DG Internal Market and Services, European Commission