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Thursday 19 November: OPENING SESSION  
Venue: Castle Santa Barbara, Alicante, Province of the Region of Valencia

19h30 – 20h30: Official launching Ceremony

- Mr Martin Quiros, President, European Movement Valencia
- Mrs Yolanda Parrado, Director, Casa Mediterraneo
- Mr. Abdelkader Messahel, Minister delegate in charge of Maghreb and Africans affairs, Algeria
- Ms Sima Bahous Ph.D., Assistant Secretary General for Social Affairs, League of Arab States
- Mr Pat Cox, Former President of the European Parliament and President of the European Movement International
- Dr Iman El Kaffass, special representative of the Director, Bibliotheca Alexandrina
- Mr José Riera, Ambassador for Mediterranean Affairs
- Mrs Benita Ferrero-Waldner, EU Commissioner
- Mrs Sonia Castedo, Mayor of Alicante
- Doña Paula Sánchez de León, Councillor of Justice, Generalitat Valenciana

20h30 – 22h00 RECEPTION offered by the Generalitat of Valencia and the City Hall of Alicante
Songs by the Choir of the European School of Alicante

Friday 20 November: WORKSHOPS  
Venue: University of Alicante, Aulario II

9h00 – 10h00: PLENARY SESSION  
Venue: Salón de Actos, Universitity of Alicante

- Mr Ahmed Sayed Khalil, Director, Departement of Education, ALECSO
- Mr Abdulaziz Othman Altwaijri, ISESCO
- Mr Carlos Bru Purón, President of the European Movement Spain
- Mr Charles-Ferdinand Nothomb, Minister of State and Vice-President of the European Movement International
- Mr Ignacio Jiménez Raneda, Rector of the University of Alicante

10h00 – 10h30: COFFEE BREAK

10h30 – 12h00: PARALLEL WORKSHOPS
Workshop Education 1: Primary education: Access, equality and quality
Workshop Migrations 1: New migratory policy, a common management of flows: Migration, an added value for both shores

12h00: Intervention of Mr Miguel Ángel Moratinos, Minister of Foreing Affairs, Spain

12h30 – 14h00: LUNCH  
Venue: Club social 1
14h00 – 16h00: PARALLEL WORKSHOPS
Workshop Education 2: Secondary Education: Access, equality, quality and mobility
Workshop Migrations 2: Migrations and interdependent development in the South and the North

16h00 – 16h30: COFFEE BREAK

16h30 – 18h30: PARALLEL WORKSHOPS
Workshop Education 3: University and Professional Education: employability and internationalization of education; mobility and brain drain
Workshop Migrations 3: Preparation for departure and better integration at arrival: preparing the North and the South for Migration

19h00 – 20h30: WORKSHOP / DISCUSSION PANEL: PRIORITIES 2010
Venue: Salón de Actos, University of Alicante

- Mrs Annika Annerby Jansson, President of the Regional Council of Skane in Sweden and representative the Employment, Training and Social Inclusion Working Group of CPMR
- Mr Vicent Garcés, Mediterranean Citizens’ Assembly (ACM)
- Mrs Yolanda Parrado, Director, Casa Mediterráneo
- Mr Joseph Mifsud, President, EuroMed University
- Mrs Fanny Durville, Anna Lindh Foundation
- Mr Román Reyes, Rector, EMUI
- Mr Rafael Ripoll Navarro, Regional Secretary for EU Relations, Valencia, Spain

20h30 – 22h00: RECEPTION offered by the Council of the Province of Alicante
Venue: Museum of the University of Alicante
Musical event

Saturday 21 November: CSOs challenge Public Authorities Education and Migration
Venue: University of Alicante, Paraninfo

09h30 – 10h30: PLENARY SESSION
Presentation of the Political Declaration “Education and Migration” by Dr Bichara Khader and Dr Iman El Kaffass.
Intervention of Mr Robert Manchin, Chairman and Managing Director of Gallup Europe.

10h30 – 12h30: POLITICAL DEBATE on “MIGRATION”

10h30-11h05: Leaders’ reactions to the political declaration
- Mr. Rafael Blasco Castany, Councillor on Immigration and Citizenship, Generalitat Valenciana and representative CRPM.
- Mr. Jacques Barrot, EU Commissioner
- Ambassador Ahmed Farouk Ghoneim, Egypt
- Mr. Slim Tlatli, Minister of employment and Professional Integration of Youth, Tunisia
- Mr. Abdelkader Messahel, Minister delegate in charge of Maghreb and Africans affairs, Algeria
- Mr. Francisco Caamaño Domínguez, Ministre of Justice, Spain
- **Ms. Sameha Mohiyaddin**, Director of Arab Expatriates Department, League of Arab States

11h05-12h30: Debate between leaders and participants

12h30 – 13h00: PRESS CONFERENCE

13h00 – 14h30: LUNCH
   **Venue: Club social 1**

14h30 – 16h30: POLITICAL DEBATE on “EDUCATION”

14h30 -15h10: Leaders’ reactions to the political declaration

- **Mr Alejandro Font de Mora Turón**, Councilor in charge of Education, Region of Valencia
- **Dr Hany Mahfouz Helal**, Minister in charge of Higher Education and Scientific Research, Egypt
- **Mr Ángel Gabilondo**, Minister of Education, Spain
- **Mr Ahmed Akhchichine**, Minister in charge of Education, Morocco
- **Mr Hatem Ben Salem**, Minister in charge of Education, Tunisia
- **Mr El-hadi Khaldi**, Minister of Vocational and Educational Training, Algeria
- **Ms Faeqa Alsaleh**, Advisor to the SG, Director of Education and Scientific Research Department, League of Arab States

15h10-16h30: Debate between leaders and participants

16h30 – 16h50: CONCLUSION

- **Mr Charles-Ferdinand Nothomb**, Vice-President, European Movement International: “Conclusions Remarks and Follow up”
- **Mr Ignacio Jiménez Raneda**, Rector of the University of Alicante

16h50 – 17h00: CLOSING

- **Mr Ángel Lossada**, Secretary of State, External Affairs, Spain
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