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# Can the Greek Social Security System be Sustainable and Provide Adequate Benefits?

**Thursday, February 18, 2016**

Grande Bretagne Hotel, Golden Room



CREATING CODE

**09.30-10.00 REGISTRATION**

**10.00-10.30 WELCOME ADDRESSES - INTRODUCTION**

**Elias Spirtounias**  
Executive Director  
American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce

**Simos Anastasopoulos**  
President  
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**10.30-11.00 INTERNATIONAL & EUROPEAN TRENDS IN FUNDING INSURANCE SYSTEMS**

**Konstantinos Kremalis**  
Professor Emeritus, President, Insurance, Social Security and Labor Affairs  
Committee American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce

**11.00-11.45 EFFECTIVE METHODS FOR FINANCING THE SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM**

Moderator: **Triantafyllos Lysimachou**, Member, Social Security and Labor Affairs  
Committee, American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce  
Executive Advisor Insurance Business, Piraeus Bank Group

**Nikos Fragos**  
Secretary General  
Ministry of Labor and Social Security

**Nektarios Miltiades**  
Alt. Professor, Finance & Statistics Department  
University of Piraeus

**Q & A**

**11.45-12.30 THE IMPACT OF THE MANAGEMENT OF INSURANCE SYSTEMS IN FISCAL POLICY**

Moderator: **Christos Ioannou**, Member, Social Security and Labor Affairs  
Committee, American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce  
Economist, Deputy Ombudsman for Social Protection, Health & Welfare

**Panos Tsakoglou**  
Professor, Department of International and European Economic Studies  
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**Platon Tinios**  
Assistant Professor, Department of Statistics & Insurance Science  
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**Q & A**

## 12.30-13.15 THE ROLE OF THE THIRD PILLAR IN THE NEW MODEL OF SOCIAL PROTECTION

Moderator: **Anthony Michalopoulos**, Member, Social Security and Labor Affairs Committee, American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce | Manager Corporate Pensions, Metlife Alico

**Margarita Antonaki**  
Director General  
Hellenic Association of Insurance Companies

**Hercules Daskalopoulos**  
Alternate General Manager  
Hellenic General Insurance Co. S.A. "The Ethniki"

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## 13.15-14.15 RECEPTION - LIGHT LUNCHEON

## 14.15-15.15 OPEN DISCUSSION - SOCIAL SECURITY: SEEKING NATIONAL CONSENSUS

### KEYNOTE ADDRESS

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Minister  
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### OPEN DISCUSSION

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**Vasileios Alexandris**  
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**Theodore Vassilopoulos**  
President  
Panhellenic Union of Young Farmers (PENA)

### Q & A

## 15.15-15.30 CONFERENCE CONCLUSIONS

\* Awaiting confirmation