

Thursday June 21st
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The American School
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forum II

"Can Private Equity, Venture Capital and Startups be one of the Solutions to the Problematic Greek Economy?"

DAY 1: PRIVATE EQUITY Thursday June 21st, 2012

- 09.40 Welcome notes
09.45 Conference Opening: **Panayotopoulos Litsa**, Partner Boston Hamilton Executive Search Services
and Treasurer & President of Innovation and Education Committee American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce

Round Table Discussion:

"Can Private Equity, Venture Capital and Startups be one of the Solutions to the Problematic Greek Economy?"

Coordinator: **Goudinakos Stratos**, Chief Risk Officer, ATE Insurance

- 09.50 **Piliitsis Loukas**, Head of VC-PE Group Piraeus Bank, CEO Piraeus Equity Advisors
10.00 "Private equity has always been opportunistic"
Koulis Nicos, Head Private Equity of Eurobank Equities
10.10 **Papadopoulos Giannis**, Co-founder and CEO Attica Ventures
10.20 **Athanasopoulos Dimitrios**, Group Managing Director, Axia Ventures Group Ltd

10.30 Round Table Discussion
11.30 Coffee Break

Panel 1: "Greek Companies Competing in the Global Arena. Dynamics, Challenges and Opportunities!" (part 1)

Coordinator: **Kiritsis Constantine, Ph.D**, Entrepreneur

- 12.00 "What is the microeconomic development model that will expedite Greece's exit from the macroeconomic slump it has fallen into?" **Koutsoyannopoulos Giorgos, Ph.D**, Co-founder, Chairman and CEO of HELIC
12.10 "Biovista: Leading the emergence of a new sector in the life sciences and healthcare industry"
Persidis Andreas, Ph.D, CEO of Biovista
12.20 **Sanchez-P. Jorge-A., Ph.D**, Director, Strategy and Development of Corallia Clusters Initiative

12.30 Q & A
13.00 Light Snack

14.00 "Social Media & Entrepreneurship in Greece"
Gogos Roberta, Product Design, Marketing, Gnostix
Charami Despoina, Online Marketing, Gnostix

Panel 2: "Greek Companies Competing in the Global Arena. Dynamics, Challenges and Opportunities!" (part 2)

Coordinator: **Tsigos Dimitris**, Founder & CEO of Virtual Trip

- 14.10 "Is a laptop with Internet connection all you need?"
Papadopoulos Panos, Founder & VP of BugSense
14.20 "NanoMaterials Made in Lavrion?"
Theoharakis Vasilis Ph.D, Chairman of the Board of Nanophos
14.30 "Building an international technology company in Greece"
Veremis Marcos, President and Founder of Upstream

14.40 Q & A
15.20 End of Forum

The forum will take place in English with no parallel translation in Greek.