

ΣΥΛΛΟΓΟΣ

ΑΙΤΩΛΟΑΚΑΡΝΑΝΩΝ

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**Under the auspices of the President of the Hellenic Republic  
Mr. Prokopis Pavlopoulos**

**PROGRAM  
29.11 – 2.12.2018**

**THURSDAY 29.11.2018**

- 20.30 **Welcome Reception By the Mayor of Agrinio  
Old Agora**
- 21.30 **Working Dinner with the Minister of Tourism Ms. Elena Kountoura  
Video of the Aitoloakarnania Region  
Welcome speech by Mr. Apostolos Katsifaras, Governor of Western Greece  
Kiki Pappa, Journalist - speech on Aitoloakarnania as a tourist destination  
Speech by Mr Christos Spirtzis, Minister of Transport  
Speech by Ms. Elena Kountoura, Minister of Tourism**

**CONGRESS PROGRAM**

**Aitoloakarnania Chamber, Conference Hall**

**FRIDAY 30.11.2018**

- 9.00 **Registration**
- 9.30 **Congress**

**Cordinator: Saia Tsaousidou, President, AEJ Greek Section**

**Opening speeches:**

**Panos Sompolos, President of the Aitoloakarnania Association Journalist**

**Giorgos Varemenos, Deputy President of the Hellenic Parliament**

**Christina Staraka, Deputy Head Region of Western Greece**

**Giorgos Papanastasiou, Mayor of Agrinio**

- 10.00 **Opening Speech by Minister of Digital Policy Mr. Nikos Pappas**

**"Can Europe remain democratic?"**

**Moderator – Vasiliki Grammatikogianni, Journalist "EFIMERIDA TON SYNTAKTON", Member of the AEJ, Greek Section**

**Marietta Giannakou, former MEP**

**Otmar Lahodynsky, AEJ International President**

**Christos Doulkeridis, New Mayor of the Brussels Region**

**George Kyrtzos, Member of the European Parliament**

**Kostas Tsoutsoplidis, Press Officer - Office of the European Parliament in Greece**

- 12.00 **Coffee break**

**12.30 "The new media landscape"**  
**Moderator - Matroni Dikaiakou**, Journalist (Television of the Hellenic Parliament),  
Treasurer AEJ, Greek Section  
**William Horsley**, AEJ Vice-President and Representative for Press Freedom  
**Manolis Kottakis**, Journalist, Director of ESTIA newspaper  
**Irina Nedeva**, President of the Bulgarian Section  
**Haris Karanikas**, Journalist, protagon,gr  
**Klimentini Diakomanoli**, Head of Press, EC Representation in Greece

**Questions, Talk**

**14.30 High School Students have a dialogue with Journalists**

**15.00 Closing of the conference**

**Departure for Lunch at Lake TRICHONIDA**

**17.00 Return to Agrinio. City tour**

**21.00 Dinner offered by the Mayor of Agrinio**

**Saturday 1.12.2018**

**8:30 Departure from Agrinio to Mesologi**

**9:30 - 13:00 AEJ General Assembly**

**13:00 -16.00 Guided tour Lunch offered by the Mayor of Mesologgi**

**16:00 Departure from Mesologi to Vonitsa  
Guided tour, Reception offered by the Mayor of Vonitsa**

**20.00 Return to Agrinio**

**Sunday 2.12.2018**

**8.30 Bus departure to the airport – early flights**

**8.45 Bus departure to Nafpaktos**

**Guided tour, Light Lunch offered by the Mayor of Nafpaktos**

**13.00 Bus departure to the airport – afternoon flights**

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