



Seminars Master Public Governance in the Arab World Granada, 20th to 23rd March, 2012 Euro-Arab Institute Foundation for Education and Training

Current Processes of Political Change in the Arab World: Challenges and Opportunities for Good Governance and Policy Reform

<u>Program</u>

• 20th March Political Change and Transitions: an Analysis from a Comparative Approach

9:00 Opening session

- Euro-Arab Institute Foundation for Education and Training
- League of Arab States
- Academic Director

9:30 – 10:30 Opening conference "La transición española" Rodolfo Martin Villa, former Spanish Politician

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 – 13:30 Round table Conference"Key Elements of Transitions: an Approach from the Perspective of Political Science"Prof. Philippe Schmitter, European University Institute of FlorenceProf. Laurence Whitehead, University of Oxford

13:30 – 16:00 Lunch Break

16:00 – 20:00 Workshop "Political Representation and Elections" Prof. Dieter Nohlen, University of Heidelberg

• 21st March *Governance and Security*

9:00 – 10:30 Lecture "Local Development in the Arab World" Dr. Cristino Pedraza, UNDP-ART GOLD Morocco

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break



11:00 – 12:30 Conference

"Security Sector Reform: Experiences and Applications for Current Arab Scenarios" Juan Esteban Verástegui, General of the Spanish Army

12:30 – 15:00 Lunch Break

15:00 – 20:00 Workshop, "Arab Spring and International Security" Dr. Hasan Momani, Jordan Institute of Diplomacy

• 22nd March Gender, Governance and Legitimacy of Power,

9:00 – 10:30 Conference "The legitimacy of Power in the Arab World" Dr. Severine Bellina, IRG-Paris

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:30 Lecture"Economic Reforms after the Arab Spring"Dr. Hedi Larbi, Director, Middle East Department, World Bank

12:30 – 15:00 Lunch Break

15:00 – 20:00 Workshop: Gender Mainstreaming Prof. Hayat Zizari; University of Hassan II

• 23rd March OtherImportant Topics Related to the Arab Spring

9:00 – 10:30 Conference "Transparency and Fighting Against Corruption" Prof. Jesús Lizcano, Univerty of Madrid and International Transparency

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:30 Lecture "Challenges and Threats of Change Processes after the Arab Spring" Dr. Edward Donelan

12:30 – 13:30 Meeting with the Academic Coordination and Module Coordinators: Conclusions and Evaluation of the Program

13:30 – 14:30 Lunch Break From 14:30 time off